

# Naphill and Walters Ash School Newsletter Issue 1 8/9/17

## **Key Dates**

12/9/17 practice 11+ 14/9/17 actual 11+

17/10/17 and 19/10/17 parents' evenings for Yrs 1-6

## A message from the Miss Gwynn

Welcome back and welcome to school. 27 new children have joined us this term in Years 1-6, so lots of new faces.

I would like to welcome Mrs Fernandes to Year 1 and Miss Brown to Year 3 as new class teachers. Mrs Bowles is joining as a Teaching Assistant in Year 5. There were two weddings over the summer; Miss Rowe is now Mrs Turner and Miss Yapp is now Mrs Clarke.

I would like to thank those of you who, at the end of last term, very kindly gave the teachers, teaching assistants, office staff and myself a gift. We do not get to always thank you personally but your cards and gifts are much appreciated.

#### **E** safety

On the parent questionnaire that was completed by many of you last year I asked if you had any concerns regarding issues around esafety. This year I will include regular updates on topics covered in school so you can see what your child is learning about. I will also pass on any information that comes to schools from the authority on Apps, videos etc that they have been made aware of that may be inappropriate for your child.

If you have any concerns about anything your child might have seen or heard online then please let us know. We cannot stop children accessing the web, it is here to stay but we all have to ensure that they grow up safe and can use this technology safely.

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School Library
Our library is nearly ready! We still have a
number of things to do. If you could help
with any of the following things, please
speak to Mrs Wallace.

We are currently trying to log all the books on a computer system and if anyone could help with that it would be great.

Some books need covering in sticky back plastic – if you could either come into school or do a few at home then let us know.

To help keep the books in order if anyone would like to be a 'librarian' let us know. We are looking in particular for people to volunteer between 12.00 to 1.00, and then 1.00 to 2.00.

Howdy Partners!
Year 4 are preparing for their Wild West Topic this term.





#### Reminder

We will be sending out a letter reminding those of you who have not yet paid for the panto trip. If you have just joined you will also get a letter.

## **NOTICE BOARD**

## Request

If any of you have an unwanted digital camera that you no longer use we can make good use of it here at school.

#### **Hair Bows**

If your child has a hair bow it should be navy blue or as close to the school sweatshirt blue as possible. Thank you.