

# The Weekly NEWSLETTER



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## Welcome back...

As the seasons are changing and the weather has certainly taken on a chillier feel, please ensure children come to school wearing a **NAMED** coat.

You will be aware that a General Election has been called and has been confirmed for **Thursday 12 December 2019**. This does mean that the school will be **CLOSED** to all pupils and staff on this date.

**Mark Hamblett, Principal**

## Children in Need...

On Friday 15 November we had a non-uniform day in aid of Children in Need. Thank you to all Children for making such a huge effort. We had such a fun day! I can confirm that we raised an **OUTSTANDING...**

# £1820 - WOW!

## Attendance matters...

	YNBP AM	YNBP PM	Year R VW	Year R CH	Year R SC	Year I JC	Year I SHo	Year I SK
No. of lates	2	1	0	2	4	3	6	0
Attendance	92.5%	94%	95.7%	94%	91%	95.3%	94.3%	97.6%
	Year 2 MBr	Year 2 CK	Year 2 WG	Year 3 SH	Year 3 CHa	Year 3 NC	Year 4 BC	Year 4 KR
No. of lates	5	3	11	6	2	4	3	8
Attendance	91.8%	95.3%	95.7%	94.2%	97%	93.6%	93.3%	98%
	Year 4 SM	Year 5 JW	Year 5 KM	Year 5 RJ	Year 6 LB	Year 6 JR	Year 6 TD	Whole School
No. of lates	1	4	5	2	7	0	5	94.8%
Attendance	95.4%	94.1%	93.8%	97.9%	93.3%	96.7%	94.5%	
<b>EXCELLENT (97% or above) ☺</b>			<b>AVERAGE (93-97%)</b>			<b>POOR (below 93%) ☹</b>		

## Principal's Award Winners...

YRVW	YRCH	YRSC	YIJC	YISHo	YISK	Y2MBr	Y2CK	Y2WG
Tobe N	Melodie-Jane P	Ella J	Kara B	Mariam S	Taylan K	Connor L	Aimee-Leigh	Oliver H
Y3SH	Y3CHa	Y3NC	Y4BC	Y4KR	Y4SM	Y5JW	Y5KM	Y5RJ
Olly W	Ellen W	Lexus C	Daisy B	Thomas R	Kerion K		Katie R	Kaydan W
Y6LB	Y6JR	Y6TD	<b>This week's theme was: Physical Education...</b> Congratulations to all our award winners, well done!					
Corey/Lorenzo	Harvey D	Tia W						

## Praise in the post...

Look out in the post...this week, Mr Hamblett has posted **three** 'praise cards' home. These special cards have been sent in the post to pupils who have made an extra-special effort, have gone 'above and beyond', or have stood out for all the **right** reasons. *Will one be coming through your letterbox this weekend?* Hopefully, praise cards will be posted out every week, staff can fill out a form to nominate any child.

**Well done to anyone receiving one this week!**

## House Points...

Weekly totals	Hope	452	Running totals	Hope	3266
	Peace	545		Peace	3755
	Respect	534		Respect	3760
	Trust	512		Trust	3856

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## Term Dates 2020-21

Next years' term dates have been agreed at the autumn term meeting of Waterloo's Academy Council (our governing board) and will be available to view shortly on the school website.

## Dance Festival...

Well done to all pupils that took part in the **Dance Festival at the Winter Gardens** on Thursday 7 November. Waterloo was one of 25 schools that took part. You were all fantastic and did the school proud.

**Well done!**



## Meet the staff...



### **Mrs Victoria Woodcock, Reception Teacher**

Hi, most of you know I'm Mrs Woodcock as I have been teaching at Waterloo for over 20 years now. I love working in Reception at the start of the children's journey through school. I live with Mr Woodcock and our two boys and much of my spare time revolves around their taekwondo, kayaking and rock band rehearsals. After years of not wanting a dog, I love our new addition to the family, 'Bailey', and it has to be said that she has a very good calming influence on all the family and school. I also love getting out in the fresh air taking her for walks.

## Dates for your diary...

DATE	TIME	MORE DETAIL
10/12/19	9.30am	Reception Nativity
11/12/19	2.15pm	Reception Nativity
13/12/19	All day	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day
17/12/19	Lunch	<b>Free</b> Christmas lunch for children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and 2
18/12/19	Lunch	<b>Free</b> Christmas lunch for all children in Year 3,4,5,6

## Sports News...

**Good luck** to the Year 3&4 athletics team who are competing in the finals on Tuesday afternoon. Also a huge good luck to the girls' football team who are taking part in the football finals day on Wednesday.

We are delighted to announce that we have achieved the 'School Games **GOLD** mark' award for the second year running. A massive thanks to all the children who have been so enthusiastic and dedicate to sports, physical activity and PE! Well done everyone!



## Don't be a stranger, contact us...

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