Newsletter No 20

Dear Parents and Carers,



Friday 28th April 2017



As you know we were inspected by OFSTED this week under the Section 8 short inspection framework led by HMI Linda Killman.

I am unable to disclose the outcome of the inspection to you until we receive the letter from OFSTED. This normally takes about three weeks but *may* be affected by the upcoming bank holiday or by the period of 'purdah'. This is the time period before a general election which prevents central and local government from making announcements.

I would particularly like to take the opportunity to thank those of you who took the time to share your views about the school with the inspector, either in person, or via the ParentView website.

I will, of course, share the letter from the inspector with you when I receive it and am happy to disclose that I am pleased with the indicated outcome.



afternoon and will be available to buy later in the term.



Whilst on the subject of 'the dark side'... I would like to remind you that next Thursday 4th May, we will again be celebrating Star Wars Day. This provides a really engaging opportunity for pupils to get excited about our school curriculum. Pupils are invited to come dressed as their favourite Star Wars Character. Activities planned include coding lessons, fencing sessions and access to exciting new reading books.



Did you know you can keep up to date and be signposted to other information by following us on Twitter? @westhorndonprim

School Dinners

Our new menu is proving popular with the children. Tuesday's exciting new dish is Sausage and Mash! Wednesday is Roast Gammon, Thursday is Pizza and Friday is Fish & Chips.

Have a great extended weekend.

Yours sincerely Matt O'Grady, Headteacher

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