

Woodstone Green News

Clean for the Queen

A HUGE thank you to everyone who took part in our 'Clean for the Queen' litter- pick, you did Woodstone, Ravenstone village and the Queen proud.



Waste Week March 7th - 11th Our message for waste week

You should never throw your WEEE

(waste, electrical, electronic, equipment) in the bin. Plastic, metal and glass all take a very, very long time to decompose. But even more importantly, toxic chemicals from our electronic equipment can leak into landfill, which could harm people and wildlife living nearby.

Instead you should re-use or recycle your WEEE. Lots of charities take old electrical items, or you could take it to your local recycling centre. Or if you're buying a new version of the same gadget, the company that made it should take back your old model.



The Green Team are continuing to recycle the following items in school:

- Used printer cartridges - box in the school entrance.
- Used batteries - box in the school foyer.
- Postage stamps - school foyer.

Woodstone Foodbank Open for Business

Monday April 11th

When the new term begins, Woodstone is launching the Summer term collection for the Coalville foodbank. Thank you to everyone who donated in our previous collections.

The following items are on the shopping list as most needed items.

Collection point is in the school foyer.

Toiletries

- e.g
- Shower gel,
 - Shampoo,
 - Nappies,
 - Washing powder,
 - Washing-up liquid.



Thank you Woodstone Community Primary School for supporting Coalville Foodbank by donating 89.1 kg of food. Enough to feed three families of five (two adults and three kids) for 3 days



Grandparents' Gardening Week

As part of our FFL (Food For Life) campaign Woodstone would like to invite any grandparents to come along on Wednesday March 16th after school at 3.15pm and help prepare the school garden for the growing season. We would love to tap into your wealth of knowledge and expertise. In return our 'Let's Getting Cooking' cookery club will provide some refreshments.

Our school FEAST group (Food Education Action School Team) are working hard to achieve silver status and this is one of the projects we will be undertaking towards that goal. Please come along and support us if you can.





Here is a great waste tip from Woodstone's Gardening Club.

STOP throwing away your celery root when you've used up all the sticks, try planting the base into soil and like magic it will grow new sticks of celery for you. Thank you Gardening Club for a great tip. Does it also work with asparagus?

Woodstone Gardening Club have planted bulbs supporting Marie Curie Cancer Care. These bulbs are nearly ready and will be available soon. Please take a pot and donate what you can; all proceeds will go to Marie Curie Cancer Care. Thank you for your support.



Think you know a GREAT waste tip? Please share it and we will print the best ones in our next newsletter and on the school website.

Name.....

My waste tip is.....