



Western House Academy



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A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY!

The Park Federations First Ever.....

Lark in the Park! - 6th July 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

The Park Federation is committed to providing a first-rate education in an inclusive, socially progressive and enlightened environment. We are here to serve the families in our local area, and respect and celebrate the diversity and dynamism of our local communities. We are also dedicated, in a modest way, to making the world a more humane place for children across the globe, particularly in those regions where poverty, disease and oppression blight children's lives and their freedom. To this end, we are launching a new annual federation event: Lark in the Park!

On 6th July 2018, all eight of the schools in the federation will set aside normal lessons and instead learn from direct involvement in exciting fundraising for the "Save the Children" charity. Our aim is for over 6,000 children, over 700 staff colleagues, and 2,000 – 3,000 families in our Hillingdon and Slough schools to focus together on raising money to alleviate some of the suffering and deprivation tragically experienced by children overseas. In addition to having fun and games on the day, we will be providing assemblies in advance of the event to educate the children about some of the appalling challenges faced by children and communities abroad. And, very significantly, we will discuss how we can work together to address collectively some of these problems. We want the children to actively understand that we all share one world and we are members of one global family of humankind. Wherever we are in the world, we need to look out for one another.

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So, can we really make a difference? YES! If on average every child donated £2.00 to Lark in the Park, we would raise over £10,000! Just imagine, the difference that money could make to the children's fellow pupils in the developing world. We know from previous charity-giving that the families and staff teams linked to the federation are super-generous people. Please put your shoulder to the wheel one more time and help Lark in the Park to be both fun for our school communities, and financially fantastic for the Save the Children charity and the tens of thousands of youngsters they support across the globe.

Let Lark in the Park 2018 be a day to remember!

At WHA we will be holding special lessons in the morning and in the afternoon we will be having our annual whole school picnic and RUWALJOG. The money raised from this fun event will be donated to this wonderful cause; let's see if WHA can be the academy who raises the most money for children across the world.

Please put this date in your diaries and we look forward to welcoming many of you and your extended families to this fun and worthwhile day.

Fondest regards,

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