



Weekly Newsletter

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PTFA Easter Bingo Update



A huge thank you to all parents and children who attended our PTFA Easter Bingo evenings and making them a great success.

An amazing £1200 was raised over the two evenings



Wishing you all a Very Happy Easter

School re-opens Tuesday 22nd April

Polite Notice

Just a gentle reminder that dogs are not permitted on the school grounds (even when they are being carried by their owner).

Thank you.



STARS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to:

Reception: Nyla

Year 1: Rex

Year 2: James

Year 3: Oliver

Year 4: Erin

Year 5: Theo P.

Year 6: Jack B.



ATTENDANCE



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
95.3%	83.9%	97.9%	99.6%	93.5%	96.0%	97.3%



OUR LEARNING

In Reception... We have had such a wonderful half term in Reception, full of learning and laughter. It was lovely to share with parents the progress the children have made since they started school in September! We are so proud of every single one of them. This week we have had a visit from a dental nurse to highlight how important it is to clean our teeth and how to keep our mouths healthy. We really enjoyed the question-and-answer time and using the big dental equipment.

In Year 1... This week, Year 1 have been retelling the story of the Gingerbread Man! The children have shown great excitement in using different describing words to make their stories more interesting! In Maths, we have been solving missing number problems, using part-whole models and number lines to support us. On Wednesday, the children enjoyed a countries party with Miss Silver, to celebrate their learning in Geography! They tried different foods from around the UK. It was a great success! Have a lovely Easter break everyone!

In Year 2... In English, Year 2 have created amazing diary entries as Jim from 'Jim and The Beanstalk'. We have shared our predictions of how this story might end, and we are all very keen to find out what happens when we return to school! In Maths, we have found different ways to give change; the children worked with their partner as shopkeepers and customers to act this out. In PSHE, we learnt about age ratings in films and TV shows and created our own 'U' and 'PG' superheroes! We are going to keep a look out for these symbols at home!

In Year 3... In English, Year 3 have planned and written our newspaper articles about endangered animals, and what we can do to help save them. In Maths, we have been working incredibly hard on our times tables facts, doubling and halving too! In RE, we have been learning about the fruits of The Holy Spirit and how we can live a fruitful life. In MyHappyMind, we have started our new topic of 'relate' and this has been helping how we treat ourselves and others. In PE, we played rounders and other games out in the sun, and are really looking forward to more of this next half term!

In Year 4... After the excitement of last week's residential we thought this week would be quieter, but Year Four have been busy creating our own book based on the text 'When The Giant Stirred', made pneumatic monsters, made Easter cards, created Roman shields and been a Roman Centurion for the day! Just another week in the thrilling life of Year Four! Happy Easter everyone.

In Year 5... What a fantastic (and busy!) half term we have had, Year 5! You have shown resilience when publishing your Chris Hadfield biographies; they are absolutely fantastic! We have continued our fractions topic and learnt how to convert improper fractions to mixed numbers, and vice versa. We had a special visitor who taught us about life in the Ancient Greek times; we learnt about the Gods of Olympus, made some jewellery, and found out how the Spartans went to war. Enjoy your chocolate-filled Easter break!

In Year 6... We have continued with our online newspaper reports about Charles Darwin this week. We are working hard to precise longer paragraphs currently; this means checking the success criteria we are given and including these areas in our writing. In Maths we are revising lots of areas: Y6 enjoyed marking some of my arithmetic and took great delight in checking for any careless errors! Miss Silver, Mrs Forrester and I hope you all have a lovely Easter break.



OTHER AWARDS



Congratulations to:

- **Incredible Dancer; Luna-Rae** (Best Performer trophy from Shooting Stars Dance Academy).
- **Football and Rugby Heroes; James** (Opposition Player of the Match certificate and trophy from Latchford Giants ARLFC), **Arslan** (Defender of the Day from Crosfields ARLFC), **Hayden** (Player of the Match from Eagle U9's JFC), **Arthur** (Player of the Month from Whittle Hall Cosmos), **Jackson** (Coaches Player of the Match from Whittle Hall JFC) and **Toby**, who received a medal for 'being good at football' from his team!
- **Scouting Superstar; Sophia**, who gained 3 Brownie badges!
- **Super Swimmer; Willow**, who achieved a Level 3 certificate and badge.
- **Expert Gymnasts; Georgia** (Commitment certificate from Warrington Gymnastics Club) and **Emily** ('Under The Sea' badges and medals from Penketh Gymnastics Club).
- **Talented Martial Artist; Axel**, who gained an Orange/Black stripe belt in karate.
- **Florence**, who was presented with one 1st, two 2nd and one 3rd place rosettes from Brookhead Warrington Riding Club.
- **Hayden** and **Luke**, who received 'My First Fish' and 'Lets Fish' certificates from The Canal and River Trust.
- **Connie-May**, who was awarded Most Improved Player from Grappenhall Poppies Netball Club.
- **Jackson**, who received a medal for being part of a league winning basketball team!
- **Ethan**, who won the season ticket to watch Warrington Wolves on Saturday!



REMARKABLE READERS



Reception: Grace

Year 1: Effie

Year 2: Yohan

Year 3: Eleanor

Year 4: Alice

Year 5: Lailah

Year 6: Isla



Mega Mathematicians

Reception: Elodie

Year 1: Hugo

Year 2: Ellie

Year 3: Charlotte

Year 4: Lexi

Year 5: George

Year 6: Sumie



LUNCH MENU W/C 21/04/25

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Vegetarian Sausage Roll, Herby Diced Potatoes and Baked Beans	Pork Sausage, Yorkshire Pudding, Mash with Carrots and Peas	Pasta Bake with Seasonal Vegetables	Crumb Coated Chicken or Oven Baked Fish Fingers, Chips with Peas or Baked Beans	BBQ Chicken, Potato Wedges & Sweetcorn
Jacket Potato with various fillings	Jacket Potato with various fillings	Jacket Potato with various fillings	Cooks Choice Biscuit	Jacket Potato with various fillings
Vanilla Ice Cream	Fresh Fruit Segments or Yoghurt	Orange Jelly and Fruit		Blueberry Cake or Muffin