

#### **Weekly Newsletter**

### Friday 11th October 2024

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### Harvest Assemblies

The children have been practising for our Harvest Festivals and are very excited to welcome all our friends and families to attend next week. We are continuing to support the Warrington Foodbank with the need for your donations being higher than ever. Please donate what you can to support families in need in the

Warrington area.



Warrington Foodbank is running short of ...

- Tinned meat
- UHT semi-skimmed milk
- Long-life orange juice
- Tinned spaghetti
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned pulses and vegetables
  - Jam
  - Toiletries

### Thank you



Congratulations to:

- **Reception: Kaitlyn**
- Year 1: Bodhi
- Year 2: Luke
- Year 3: Ruby
- Year 4: Scarlett
- Year 5: James
- Year 6: Jack



	<b>A</b> 1	ATTENDANCE				
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
99.1%	98.3%	99.1%	100%	99.6%	93.1%	99.6%







### OUR LEARNING

**In Reception...**Reception have enjoyed reading their new book, 'Handa's Surprise'. We have been drawing, painting and labelling the different fruit found in Handa's basket. We have enjoyed identifying lots of the cheeky animals who steal the fruit from the basket too. We are also enjoying practising our Harvest songs ready for our Harvest Assembly next week!

In Year 1...This week, Year 1 have been very busy in English! We have been retelling the story of 'Lost and Found' in our own words. At Forest School this week, we have enjoyed making our own bird feeders and in Maths, we have been working hard to place numbers onto marked and unmarked number lines. What another great week!

**In Year 3...**This week in Year 3, we have been working hard in English, creating diary entries and character descriptions, focusing on up-levelling our vocabulary. We have learnt about the human body and how our skeleton helps support how we function. We have been learning about The Salvation Army and the work they do for the community. We have also really enjoyed rehearsing our Harvest songs too!

**In Year 5...**This week, Year 5 have written and edited their AMAZING stories, based on Shaun Tan's 'The Lost Thing'. Each and every one of you worked incredibly hard—I am impressed. We will be sharing our stories with Reception next week. We have been learning about the human life cycle in our Science lessons and have created some detailed leaflets. We have been practising our song, 'Autumn Days' for our Harvest assembly and we look forward to showing off our singing voices next week. **In Year 2...**Year 2 have had another fantastic week. In English, we have described a setting from our story using noun phrases. In Maths, we have compared two digit numbers and are becoming confident in using the greater and less than symbols. In History, we compared the life of Queen Elizabeth II and Edith Cavell. In Science, we have learnt about the life cycle of a butterfly and discussed the basic needs of all animals.

**In Year 4...** This week we had a visit from the heart Dr who told about how we can take good care of our hearts and a visit from a dental nurse who gave us some good tips to help us to look after our teeth. As well as those important life lessons we have also continued our work on our gorilla reports, learnt what a food chain is, created some fantastic pencil drawings of Warrington Town Hall and begun practising for our Harvest Festival. We hope you can join us!

**In Year 6...** This week, Year 6 have been incredibly passionate historians, learning about the causes of World War Two. They have had some sensitive and meaningful debates over which causes they consider the most significant. Their hard work has continued in Maths as they've grappled with various mental and written strategies to tackle addition and subtraction problems. We are really enjoying Harvest practice and can't wait for our families to join us next week!



# **OTHER AWARDS**



- Football Superstars; Bobbie (Warrington Town Women's Summer Cup winners 2024 and Coaches Player of the Match from Matthiola and Crosfields JFC), Georgie (Trainer of the Week from Wigan Athletic JFC and Parents Player of the Match from Crosfields Lionesses JFC), Daniel, Oliver and Isaac (Players of the Match from Eagle JFC) and Bodhi, who received a trophy for scoring lots of goals from Eagle JFC!
- Kristy, who has achieved Grade 2 Skate Excellence.
- Amazing Dancers; Lily E., Marcella, Esmea and Isla (Stars of the Week from Abigail Barlow Dance Academy) and Lily R. (Star of the Week from Sarah Royle School of Dance).
- Asher, who was awarded a Yellow Belt in Karate!



## READERS OF THE WEEK

**Reception: Eddie** 

Year 1: Rayaan

Year 2: Dennis

- Year 3: Alfie
- Year 4: Ivy
- Year 5: Eliots
- Year 6: Hazel



# LUNCH ME NU WIC 141024MONDAYTUESDAYWEDNESDAYTHURSDAY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Vegetarian Sausage	Pork Sausage,	Beef Burger in a bun,	Oven Baked Fish	BBQ Chicken, Potato
Roll, Baked Diced	Yorkshire Pudding,	Herby Diced Potato	Fingers or Crumb	Wedges &
Potatoes	Mash & Gravy	& Side Salad	Coated Chicken,	Sweetcorn
Jacket Potato with various fillings Vanilla Ice Cream	Jacket Potato with various fillings Fresh Fruit Segments or Yoghurt	Vegetable Fajitas, Rice and Sweetcorn Jacket Potato with various fillings Orange Jelly and Fruit	Chunky Chips Jacket Potato with various fillings Cooks Choice Biscuit	Jacket Potato with various fillings Blueberry Cake or Muffin



Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October: Assessment week

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October:** KS1 and Reception Harvest Assembly 9:10-9:45am. The school carpark will be open. Please enter through the main reception. We will be asking for Food donations for Warrington Foodbank

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October:** KS2 Harvest Assembly 2.30-3.00pm. The school carpark will be open. Please enter through the main reception. We will be asking for Food donations for Warrington Foodbank

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October: School closes at 3.20pm

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November: Penketh Firework Display

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November: SCHOOL OPENS