



Weekly Newsletter

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Sports Day Friday 5th July

Fingers crossed for a period of dry weather! (And the safe return of Mr K to help organise it!)

KS1 and KS2 Disco CHANGE OF DATE Monday 8th July.

Letter from the PTFA will follow shortly.

We try our very best not to change dates as we appreciate that parents and carers plan around the information they are given. Unfortunately, sometimes we have to, due to events beyond our control. Thank you for your on-going support. We are working hard to ensure our children have lots of fun end of term events to look forward to, arranged by our fantastic PTFA.

Warrington Guardian Education Awards

The Warrington Guardian Education Awards are back for another year and promise to be the best yet!

Thirteen awards will celebrate schools, nurseries and colleges across the town, honouring pupils, students, teachers and teaching assistants, and classes and teams.

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Congratulations to:

STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception: Mya

Year 1: Reuben

Year 2: Isaac

Year 3: Aida

Year 4: Sheldon

Year 5: Joshua A.

Year 6: Leo M.



ATTENDANCE



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
99.1%	96.3%	98.3%	100%	96.9%	95.4%	99.1%



OUR LEARNING

In Reception... Reception have been searching for Naughty Bus this week! We have written missing posters and stuck them up around school to let everyone know he has gone. We have also been painting pictures of the bus and singing our Naughty Bus song! We hope he returns safely to us next week...

In Year 1... This week, we have been practising how to count in 10s! We have counted forwards and backwards to 100 with great confidence. We also loved our trip to The Bridgewater Hall in Manchester, to watch a concert all about dinosaurs with the Halle Orchestra.

The children were exceptionally well behaved and we couldn't have been prouder!



In Year 2... We loved our trip with Year 1 to The Bridgewater Hall. It was amazing to see all of the different musical instruments and the dinosaurs. In English, we have started our new story, 'The Last Wolf' and have made predictions of what the story is about after looking at the front cover. In Maths, we have sequenced the events of our school day and put them into chronological order.

In Year 3... This week Year 3 have begun work on a new text, 'Rhythm in the Rain'. They have explored the text, looked at new vocabulary and used conjunctions to help them describe the different settings within the book. In Science, they are continuing their work on light, investigating what reflection is and how some materials are more reflective than others.

In Year 4... The children have started to learn about textile designers, from the Victorian designer William Morris to Cath Kidston, who has shops world wide and designer Mary White from the sixties. We are creating a design for a tote bag and making a bookmark and would love a little extra help sewing our designs that will be inspired from these famous artists. Watch out for a letter from Mrs Kayll. Please help us bring our designs to life!!

In Year 5... This week Y5 have produced stunning recounts in the form of a diary entry. They have retold the day that Phillipe Petit tightrope walked across the Twin Towers in New York City. In Maths we have looked at fraction to decimal equivalents. We have also experimented with air resistance in Science by creating parachutes.

In Year 6... We have enjoyed Forest School this week. Firstly, we created Forest School names for ourselves and then, after we had built dens we challenged each other to 'sword' fights with twigs! In Maths, we estimated how long it would take to count to one million using the book 'How Big is One Million' as inspiration.



OTHER AWARDS



Congratulations to:

- **Football and Rugby Superstars; Evangeline** (Most Improved Player of the Year trophy from Whittle Hall Cosmo's Under 8's), **Arthur** (Most Improved Player of the Year, Participation trophy for the Year and Tournament Participation medal from Whittle Hall Cosmo's Under 8's), **Stanley** (Tournament Participation medal from Whittle Hall Cosmo's Under 8's), **Alice** (Participation trophy for the Year from Whittle Hall Cosmo's Under 8's), **Logan** (Tournament Final Participation medal from Whittle Hall JFC), **Oliver** (Man of the Match trophy from Eagle JFC), **Hugo** (First Kick Tournament Winner certificate) and **Rex**, who received a trophy for scoring 3 goals!
- **Dance Superstars; Vivvie and Lily** (Stars of the Week from Sarah Royle Dance Academy) and **Sophia and Effie** (Star of the Week from Abigail Barlow Dance Academy).
- **Gymnast; Phoebe** (Level 1 Gymnastics from Penketh Gymnastics Club).
- **Flossie**, who received The Squirrel Award for kindness.



READERS OF THE WEEK

Reception: Hugo

Year 1: Elsie

Year 2: Oliver J.

Year 3: Scarlett

Year 4: William

Year 5: Thomas

Year 6: Chester



LUNCH MENU W/C 17/06/24

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

DIARY DATES

Monday 10th June – Friday 21st June: Parent and Pupil surveys

Wednesday 19th June – Friday 21st June: Year 6 residential trip to PGL Winmarleigh Hall

Tuesday 25th June: Reception Trip to Walton Gardens

Tuesday 25th June: Paris 2024 Olympic Sports Y1-Y6 with Progressive Sports

Wednesday 26th June: Intake afternoon 1.15pm for New Reception Starters for 'September 2024' -

Thursday 27th June: Own Clothes Day – bring a tombola prize for our Summer Fayre.

Friday 28th June: INSET Day - School Closed