



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

FEEL GOOD FRIDAY CERTIFICATES

The deserving recipients over the last two weeks were:

17th March:

Zach - Year 2, Susannah and Henry - Year 3, Jamie and Daisy - Year 6

24th March:

Carter - Rec Saanvi - Year 1, Bo and Joseph - Year 2, Ellie - Year 4, Abi - Year 5 and Ellie - Year 6

YEAR 1 OUTDOOR LEARNING

Year 1 have been making the most of the sunshine. We took our learning outside and made 2D shape patterns using a range of resources including nature! Look at the patterns we made using sticks, stones, chalks and lollipop sticks.



FRIENDS' NEWS

The Friends invite you to our annual Easter Egg hunt **TODAY** from 3.30pm! There will be a trail of eggs to find and a conundrum to solve with Easter or non-chocolate treats as a prize. The cost is just £1 per child (or adult!) to enter the egg hunt. While the children are busy there will be drinks and delicious cakes on sale for the grown-ups to enjoy so feel free to bring the whole family. We really hope you can join us!

GYMNASTICS

A team of nine Year 2 children took part in a gymnastics competition at Kineton High School on Monday evening. They performed vault and floor routines which put them into a very respectable 4th place. Well done everyone.



STARS OF THE WEEK

Week 23		Week 24
6CH	Brieanne	Ariana and Ollie
6B	Kiya	Emily
5W	Oliver and Maddie	Adam
5B	Lily and Poppy	Declan
4C	Charlotte	Grace
4F	Luke and Whole Class	Joshua
3R	Freya	Iggy
3J	Ryan	Whole Class
2CP	Bo	Rudi
2RP	Samuel	Liam
1N	Chloe	Alexandra
1P	Niamh	Ellie and Whole Class
RW	Daisy	Corey
RP	Thomas	Olivia
Nursery	Jessica	Kevin

PLAYGROUND STARS

17th MARCH Kieran RP - Olivia 2CP
Isla 3R - Declan 5B

24th MARCH Joseph RW - Kaylin 2RP
Lindi 5W - Mark 5B

4C OUTDOOR LEARNING



On Wednesday, 4C spent their afternoon exploring and improving some of the habitats around the school area. We were able to look for living things in the pond area and we improved our woodland area by collecting the litter and clearing the sticks to make habitats for smaller living animals. We also identified different features of an animal habitat. As a class we were able to evaluate the importance of habitats and the effects habitats can cause on the environment.



This half term we are thinking about **'Thankfulness'**

AGILITY COMPETITION



A team of Year 2 children were entered into an Agility Competition at KHS and came a super second! Well done everyone.

LATENESS

Please can I remind parents that children should be in school by **9.00am** and any child arriving after this time will be marked as late in the register. We are open at 8.50am to enable children to come into school and have time to get ready to start the day. Persistent lateness leads to children missing out on key parts of their learning and increases anxiety in children.



EASTER SERVICE AND BONNET PARADE

We will be holding our traditional Easter Bonnet Parade on the last day of term, next Friday 7th April. All the school are invited to make a hat and the best in each class will win a prize. You are all most welcome then to join us at St. Peter's for our Easter Service which starts at 2.30pm. We will leave Main Site at 2.15pm and would appreciate volunteers walking with us. School closes straight after, so please collect children from church at 3.10pm. WOOSH children will be brought back to school by the staff.

Have a good weekend.

Mr Hewitt
Head of School

WELLESBOURNE CE PRIMARY OFFICIALLY THE BEST (FOOTBALL TEAM) IN WARWICKSHIRE!

The Year 6 Football team have been very successful already this year. In October, the children took part in a Stratford District tournament - which they won. Then, in January, they went on to a Warwickshire wide tournament to see who would go on to represent Warwickshire in the English Schools Football Association cup. Amazingly, the boys won this tournament too with help from the side-lines from Mr Jones and Miss Clark.

The team went on to the **Regional Finals** in Nottingham on Saturday 18th March where they played against ten other county winners which included teams from Lincolnshire, Nottinghamshire and Leicestershire. Although the rain never relented, their attitude and resilience were an absolute credit to our school and they qualified from their group without losing. Unfortunately, they lost 1-0 in the semi-finals to a Nottinghamshire team but there was no disgrace as every one of our team played their part. Well done to Tom, Dan, Chris, Reace, Will, Robin, Vinnie, Shay, James and Jamie. Look out for us in the Stratford Herald.



RECEPTION AUTHOR VISIT

Reception classes had a BRILLIANT morning on Tuesday 28th March when Elys Dolan the author/illustrator came to read her new book...Mr Bunny's Chocolate Factory. They had used the pictures/text clues on the front cover to make predictions and infer what the story might be about...with some REALLY INTERESTING ideas! They were super ambassadors for Wellesbourne Primary School, demonstrating good characteristics of effective learning and engagement. By the end of the morning they were all experts at drawing the hard working chickens from the story. Well done Reception - we are REALLY proud of you. This was mostly paid for by the FRIENDS - A big thank you to them.



DIARY DATES

Please be aware that, sometimes, it is necessary to change these dates.

Annexe Certificates Assembly 3J Class Assembly & certs (main site hall)	Friday 31 st March 9.05am Friday 31 st March 2.45pm	Year 6 to the Isle of Wight	Friday 23 rd June
Easter Service at St Peter's Please collect children from church.	Friday 7 th April 2.30pm	Y3 Music Class Assembly 1N Class Assembly & certs (main site hall)	Friday 30 th June, 2.45pm Friday 30 th June at 9.05am
Easter Holiday	Monday 10th April - Friday 21nd April	SPORT'S DAYS	KS1 - Wednesday 5th July @ 9:30am KS2 - Thursday 6th July @ 9:30am
May Bank Holiday	Monday 1st May	Teacher Training Day 5	Friday 7th July 2017
KS2 Certificates Assembly Annexe Certificates Assembly (main site hall)	Friday 5 th May 2.45pm Friday 5 th May 9.05am	Year 6 Leavers Production (Year 4 and 5 as the choir)	Tuesday July 11th 7pm Wednesday July 12th 7pm
4C Class Assembly & certs Annexe Certificates Assembly (main site hall)	Friday 19 th May 2.45pm Friday 19 th May at 9.05am	Reports Out (with SATs results for Years 2 and 6)	Thursday 13th July
KS2 SATs Week	Monday 8th May- Thursday 11th May	PTA Summer Fayre	Friday 14th July
3R Class Assembly & certs Annexe Certificates Assembly (main site hall)	Friday 16 th June 2.45pm Friday 16 th June 9.05am	Year 6 Leaver's Assembly (and last day of Summer Term)	Friday 21st July @ 9:30am
KS2 Certificates Assembly 2RP Class Assembly & certs (main site hall)	Friday 23 rd June 2.45pm Friday 23 rd June at 9.05am	Term Starts for 2017-2018 (Sept 1st is INSET day)	Monday 4th September

Next two menus (see website/twitter (@wellesprimary) for details):

Week beginning 3rd April: Menu 2 Week beginning 24th April: ***NEW MENU 1***