# Welshampton Church of England Primary School



Growing together in strength, love and wisdom, we shine.

Newsletter Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024

# Message from the Head

It was wonderful to share our Mothering Sunday Service with so many of you this afternoon.

The children did themselves proud and I am sure made all of those there so proud. It really was a special service to be a part of and it is important that we mark such occasions and share them with the wider school community, so thank you for your support — it was lovely to welcome so many of you to the church.

We also had World Book Day this week! It was great to see the children come into school dressed as their favourite fictional book characters which meant the school took on a different dynamic for the day! I appreciate that sorting out the costumes for the children can sometimes be a laborious task, so thank you for your efforts. Do look out for a World Book Day survey which will be circulated next week.

Finally, this week the children have completed their termly summative assessments. As we always stress, this is to help the school to identify and address any gaps in learning and measure progress, however, the children have worked really hard and have all done fantastically well. A weekend, well deserved!

# **Nursery Stay & Play**

It was fantastic to again welcome prospective parents to school this morning for our first Stay & Play session at school.

Please spread the word about our Stay & Play sessions to any families who may be interested so that we can welcome them to Welshampton.

#### **Easter Service Reminder**

Parents are welcome to join us at church on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 2:15pm to share with us our Easter celebrations. This service will be a more traditional church service which will be led by some of our older children. The service will finish with our weekly Celebration Worship.

#### **Parents Evening**

We look forward to welcoming parents to school next week for the termly Parents Evening meetings. With whole classes to see, teachers' time is limited to 10 minutes per appointment, however, if you feel there is more discuss then do not hesitate to make a further appointment which the teachers will be more than happy to accommodate.

### **Easter Bunny Challenge**

Our fantastic Welshampton School Friends are busy getting ready for Easter and have set the children a challenge! Will you be the lucky winner and take home a Cadbury's Easter Bundle?!



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## **Marches Cross Country**

Well done to all our children who participated in the Cross-Country Meet at The Marches.

As always, it was a busy event, but we couldn't have been prouder of them as they crossed the finish line and, without fail, cheered each other on in true Welshampton style!

We look forward to the next one!

## **Clive Cross-Country**

Clive Cross Country will be held on Saturday 16th March at 10am. This event is open to children in Years 3 to 6 and is a highly anticipated event and is loved by many – mainly Mrs Liley!

It promises to be a great success, with a morning of running, bacon sandwiches, making friends and great teamwork.

To end the morning, there will also be a family fun run, where children and adults of all ages can cheer each other on. Don't miss out on this fun-filled family event!

Mrs Liley will be there from 9.40am to meet you all.

## **Easter Football Club**

Activ-Sports are once again running their Football Camp at St Peters School in the Easter Holidays. Please follow this link to register your interest. https://forms.office.com/r/5GH3SKntvU

#### Attendance

Willow Class - 98% ★★
Beech Class - 99% ★★
Oak Class - 99% ★

Average = 99%

Our school target is 97%

# **Shining Stars of the Week**

#### Wisdom

'Joyful is the person who finds wisdom, the one who gains understanding.' Proverbs 3:13

#### Willow Class

James for putting such a great effort into all his work this week.

### **Beech Class**

Luke P for his amazing writing!

#### Oak Class

The whole of the class for their incredible efforts during Assessment Week.

### **Outside Achievements**

Keira for achieving her 10m front crawl swimming badge, Theo and Harry L for their achievements in piano and Harry for winning 79 swimming medals!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Yours sincerely, Mr Ben Crompton

# **Key School Dates**

March

12<sup>th</sup> March Parents Evening
13<sup>th</sup> March Parents Evening
15<sup>th</sup> March Comic Relief (Details TBC)

Oak Class Inspire

2.00pm Parents Welcome

March

22<sup>nd</sup> March Easter Service

9:15am – Parents Welcome

Break up from school

April

8<sup>th</sup> April Return to school



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