# Welshampton Church of England Primary School



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

# Newsletter Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024

#### Message from the Head

Following the recent Parent Survey and the overwhelmingly positive feedback we have received. It is great to know that the support and positivity from our parent community continue to make Welshampton a wonderful school. It is with this in mind that I am pleased to share the launch of a parent consultation on the development of a Parent Code of Conduct.

The relationship between the school and parents plays a pivotal role in ensuring the well-being and educational progress of our children. It is important that we work together to set a positive example and be good role models within and outside the school environment.

By maintaining respectful conduct towards the school staff, each other, and our children, we will collectively sustain a positive and nurturing school for all.

Your input and support is invaluable in shaping the development of a Parent Code of Conduct that exemplifies our shared commitment to providing the best possible educational experience for your children. Please take the time to read the draft Parent Code of Conduct and feel free to offer any thoughts or views on it. Any feedback should be sent to the school office via email at <a href="mailto:admin@welshampton.shropshire.sch.uk">admin@welshampton.shropshire.sch.uk</a>.

Please rest assured that your feedback is highly regarded, and it will contribute significantly to the final Parent Code of Conduct, which we hope to share after Easter.

Thank you for your continued support and collaboration as we strive to further enhance the enriching and respectful educational environment for all.

### **Nursery Stay & Play**

It was fantastic to welcome prospective parents to school this afternoon for our first Stay & Play session at school. The Stay & Play sessions will become a regular part of Welshampton life for prospective Nursery and Reception aged children with the next session being from 9:00am next Friday.

Please spread the word to any families who may be interested so that we can welcome them to Welshampton.

### Church Services – A Reminder Mother's Day

Parents are welcome to join us at church on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March at 2:15pm to join our Mother's Day Service. During this service each class will perform once as we celebrate and give thanks. The service will finish with our weekly Celebration Worship.

#### **Easter Service**

Parents are also 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 our older children. The service will finish with our weekly Celebration Worship.

#### **Beech Class Inspire Afternoon**

Beech Class invited their parents to join in with a fun afternoon of 'Outdoor adventures' and 'Team building' with our Sports Coach Miss Oakley. It was fantastic to see so many parents joining us for this event - we hope you enjoyed it! Over, under, over, under...

#### **Tennis Champs!**

We took a group of our Year 5 children to a tennis festival at Ellesmere College this week. They had great fun learning new skills, making new friends and working co-operatively.



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#### Year 6 Bikeability

Our Year 6 children grew more confident with each turn of their pedals as the expert instructions led them onto the roads surrounding our school to experience 'real cycling'.

They were taught how to start and stop with more confidence, pass stationary vehicles parked on a road, understand the road: signals, signs and road markings, negotiate the road: including quiet junctions, crossroads and roundabouts and share the road with other vehicles



#### **Reading At Home**

Please find attached A Parents' Guide to Book Bands. This information is for parents to help support reading at home and applies to those books which will supplement phonics books when appropriate. There will also be a copy of this document put on the website for your reference. Thank you.



#### **Prees Junior Football Club Needs You**

Prees are trying to get a boys team together next season for Under 8s. They are looking for more players and coaches, so do get in touch with them if you have a budding footballer ready to play.

#### **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. <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/5GH3SKntvU">https://forms.office.com/r/5GH3SKntvU</a>

#### Attendance

Willow - 99% \*\*\*

Beech - 95% \*\*

Oak - 89% \*

Average = 95%
Our school target is 97%

## Shining Stars of the Week Love

'Love is patient. Love is kind. Love never fails.' 1 Corinthians 13

#### **Willow Class**

Keira for her determination and effort in all her subjects

#### **Beech Class**

Luke Di for giving 100% in his English work

#### Oak Class

Robin for contributing amazing ideas.

#### Class Dojo Weekly Champions

Ivy, Mila, Lilly, George, Zoe and Will

#### **Outside Achievements**

Have a wonderful weekend!

Yours sincerely, Mr Ben Crompton

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**Key School Dates** 

March 7<sup>th</sup> March World Book Day (Details TBC) 8<sup>th</sup> March

Mother's Day Service

2:15pm – Parents Welcome

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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