



# Wheatfield Primary School

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## Newsletter

Term 6 Issue 5

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019

### This Week at Wheatfield

It has been great to be back in school having joined 6W on camp last week. I need to say what a delight it was to accompany the class – their maturity, resilience, good humour and support for one another made me feel incredibly proud to be headteacher of our school.

**Phil Winterburn - Headteacher**

### Year 4 Science Week

It was Science Week in Year 4! We have had a fantastic time conducting lots of different experiments including creating bouncing eggs and seeing how much weight an egg can take! The highlight of our week was having Mrs Fisher (Sam's mum) teach us about chemical reactions, we created bubbling volcanoes and watched a big chemical reaction experiment!



### Asda Green Token Win!



Thank you to everyone who dropped into Asda and popped a token in our box! This money will go towards the playground fund (news to follow).

### Grounds Day

A reminder that our grounds day is taking place tomorrow. So far we have only a handful of volunteers signed up – if you can make it, even only for an hour, please drop in and lend a hand. We are hoping to clear the area around the pond and also tackle the overhanging hedgerow opposite the Reception playground. Thank you ☺



### 6B Camp Week

6B have had an amazing week at The Beacon Centre. The group have taken part in a bushcraft day, tackled the climbing wall, perfected their archery skills and participated in a range of teamwork activities. They have also been subjected to Mr Woodworth's gruelling room inspections! That's a lot to fit into a week!



**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup>  
July (11 – 2)**

# Wheatfest Update



## Don't forget your raffle tickets

Raffle tickets are £1 or £5 per book and need to be returned to the office with your stubs and money before Friday 12 July. You could win £100 CASH, gym membership at Anytime Fitness, vouchers for Boden, Reflections, Jungle Rumble, Bristol Ferry Boats, VUE cinema, Pizza Express, Mendip Snow and Ski, Avon Valley Railway, Court Farm, Grand Pier and many more fantastic prizes! Draw will take place on the day at 1pm. Please help us by returning any unwanted tickets to the office for resale. If you need extra for family and friends, please ask at the office. Good luck!

## Bake Off



At Wheatfest this year, we will host our very own BAKE OFF! You can enter your cake/s into the adult or children's categories of either cupcake (6 cupcakes) or showstopper (one main cake)! Briony from last years Great British Bake Off will be our guest judge on the day. Bring your bakes along from 11, but before 1pm and get FREE ENTRY TO WHEATFEST! Judging will take place with Briony around 1:30pm. We have some amazing prizes from Tala and Wilton cake specialists to give to our winners and runners up! Will you be crowned the Wheatfest Bake Off Champion?!

## Cake sale stall

The cake stall is always popular at every event and we are asking for people to donate cakes whether homemade or store bought. Perhaps those entering cupcakes in the bake off competition could donate any extras.....Please bring in donations on Friday 12th or on the morning of the festival, Saturday 13th, thank you.



## Funbands

Get your WHEATFEST FUNBANDS before anyone else! This year, our summer festival is host to some incredible attractions! And you can get UNLIMITED use on our swing seat ride, inflatable assault course and disco bouncy castle with one of our funbands! You can pre-order your wristband via School Gateway for only £4! Price will increase to £5 on the day. Pick up your wristband on the day at collection points. The fun band rides are suitable for all ages, however for very little ones, we have a pay-per-go bouncy castle available.

## Helpers

We are still looking for people to help with either your year stalls (along with your children) or with the other stalls being run by the Friends such as the bar, tuck shop, raffle and entrance etc. We will also appreciate any helpers that can help to set up and breakdown the site on the day. We will be around from 9am and the event runs until 2pm. You can sign up online at [www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0845abae2ba0f85-weneed](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0845abae2ba0f85-weneed)

Currently we have filled less than half of the slots during the event. If you can spare an hour to help us out please click on the link or drop us an e-mail at [PTA@wheatfieldprimary.com](mailto:PTA@wheatfieldprimary.com)



### Silent auction for Sports memorabilia

Since Christmas we have been very kindly donated a few signed sports tops that are just too good not to auction off to raise money for our school! We have 4 tops and we will have a bidding sheet with each for the next week and during Wheatfest (to be found at the raffle table on the day). If you would like to place a bid before Wheatfest or if you cannot make it on the day but want to try to secure one, then you can e-mail [PTA@wheatfieldprimary.com](mailto:PTA@wheatfieldprimary.com) (by midnight Friday 12th July) clearly stating your name, the item you would like to bid on, your bid amount and your phone number (so we can contact you if you win!) and we will add it to the bidding sheet if it is the current highest bid. Please share with family and friends who may be fans of these sports clubs, let's raise as much money for the school as we can!!!! The highest bids submitted by 2pm on the 13th July will be announced as the winners.

1. Signed Gloucestershire County Cricket Club top.
2. Signed Gloucestershire County Cricket club top, signed by Tom Smith.
3. Signed Bristol Rovers football top.
4. Signed Bath Rugby top.



More photos will be available via our Facebook page (@WheatfieldPrimarySchool)

The Reading Agency and Libraries Present

# SPACE CHASE

Summer Reading Challenge 2019



Keep yourself inspired  
this summer by signing  
up to the Summer  
Reading Challenge!

## Lunchbreak Supervisor Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for a lunchbreak supervisor. For more information, visit our website or call in to the school office.

## Meet the Teacher – Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September

We thought we would give you advance warning of this date so please add to your calendars. You are invited to our annual 'meet the teacher' sessions on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September (6.00pm or 6.30pm). Both sessions are identical – we run two for families with children in more than one year group.

## A few reminders ...

**Lost property** – this will be displayed after school for the next two Fridays. Anything unclaimed will be donated to charity over summer.

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September** – is an INSET day. School starts on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Reading books** – should now be returned to school. Please double-check at home and send any outstanding books in ASAP. 😊

**Punctuality** – please aim to be on site by 8.45am to help your child get off to the best start each day

## This Week's Awards

This term we are focusing on the value of 'resilience'.

	Values	Achievosaur
RM	Esimaee	Summer
1B	Shareeq	Oscar
2M	Isaac	Daniel
3G	Nathan	Megan
4M	Ansh	Maisie
5B	Ethan	Evie R
6B	-	-

	Values	Achievosaur
RC	Lola	Freya
1E	Isla S	Anika
2CM	Gurkirpa	Alfie
3D	Ella T	Anika
4GM	Isabella	Caden
5M	Krish	Baffreen
6W	Abdullah	Lucas

## Dates for Term 6 (new dates are highlighted)

Date	Event
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July @ 9.15am	Music concert (families of children performing are welcome to attend)
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Annual school reports sent home.
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> July (11am – 2pm)	<b>Wheatfest!</b> Invite your family, friends and neighbours!
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of the school year
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September</b>	INSET Day – school closed to children
<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September</b>	New school year begins

**Year 6 dates:** Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> @ 6.30pm – Leavers' evening / Monday 15<sup>th</sup> @ 2pm – Leaver's Show / Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> @ 6.30pm – Leavers' show / Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> @ 9.15am – Leavers' assembly.

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