



Wheatfield Primary School

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Newsletter

Term 4 Issue 2

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This Week at Wheatfield

We hope that everyone enjoyed World Book Day and Book at Bedtime this week – more about this in next week's newsletter. If you get a chance to follow this up this weekend by visiting the library, sharing a story or nipping out to spend your WBD voucher then that would be amazing!

Phil Winterburn - Headteacher

Year 2 Visit 'We the Curious'



On Monday Year 2 ventured to 'We the Curious' for our school visit. The children were extremely curious and became expert animators of their own movies, builders of giant block structures and scientists investigating materials and the human body. We also took part in a 'Destination Space' workshop where we learnt about what it was like to be an astronaut and live in space; we now know how to sleep in space and even how to go to the toilet! We had a number of challenges to complete including rocket testing, space suit designing and solar panel fixing. It was a fantastic day and Miss Devine and Mrs Marsden were proud of how respectful all of our children were!



Swimming Gala

A year 3/4 swimming team entered the South Gloucestershire Schools' Swimming Gala on Saturday evening. The children were amazing and produced many brilliant performances in the pool. Twenty-Four different schools took part, with a competitor in each of the events.



Our notable successes were Sophie and Ethan (2nd and 4th respectively) in the 25m free-style; Holly and Daniel (2nd and 5th respectively) in the 25m breast stroke; Iris (1st in the 25m back crawl); Ethan and Iris (2nd and 4th respectively) in the 25m butterfly. In the team events, our freestyle team came 4th and our water polo team came 6th. When all the points were added up, our fantastic team achieved 2nd place overall just 6 points off the winning team and a massive 25 points in front of third place. A special thank you to Mrs Midlane and Miss Gregory who accompanied the team and of course a huge well done to our swimmers; Sophie, Holly, Iris, Ethan and Daniel.

A big thank you to everyone who turned out to support Grounds Day last weekend. The team planted some new trees and generally spruced the place up. Our next day is Saturday 25th April.

Year 2 and Year 6 SATs Meetings

SATs are the statutory national tests which children in England sit every May. They take place at the end of each Key Stage (so apply to children in Year 2 and Year 6). We will be holding information meetings for families about SATs on the following dates:

Year 2 – Monday 16th March @4pm (in class)

Year 6 – Monday 30th March @ 3.45pm (hall)

We strongly encourage all Year 2 and 6 families to attend.

Information on our Website

In addition to these meetings, we also have some information on our website about SATs. This includes some sample papers which have been used in previous years. You can follow this link or select the 'curriculum / national tests' tab.

<https://www.wheatfieldprimary.com/our-learning/national-tests>



Year 4 Brass Assembly

Year 4 have been busy learning to play a variety of brass instruments across the last ten weeks. To celebrate their achievements in this area they will be performing a special assembly for their families on Monday 23rd March @ 3pm. We hope that you are able to attend.

Tickets are now on sale (via Gateway) ...



School Values Award: Choose Respect – Take Responsibility – Show Resilience

This term's value is 'respect'. This week's theme is 'respect and kindness in the lunch hall'.

This week's challenge is to 'try your best to keep your table clean and tidy'.

Our award goes to ...		
RC	Scarlett	Amelia M
1B	Esimae	Isaac
2D	Sanvi	Ellis
3B	Sarthak	Evan
4L	Mahir	Suhirtha
5D	Maisie	Max
6G	Kacper	Zack

Our award goes to ...		
RM	Megan	Parnika
1E	Matilda	Lina
2M	Kabir	Anthony
3G	Toby	Bonnie
4M	Joseph	Harley
5E	Mishti	Lily
6W	Chloe	Aimee

Dates for Term 4 (new dates are highlighted)

Date	Event
Monday 16 th March @ 4pm	Year 2 SATs meeting (in the classrooms) – Year 2 families only
Tuesday 17 th March	Movie Night for Years 4, 5 & 6 – details to follow
Monday 23 rd March @ 3pm	Year 4 brass assembly – Year 4 families are welcome to attend
Friday 27 th March @ 9.15am	Year 3 assembly – Year 3 families welcome to attend
Monday 30 th March @ 3.45pm	Year 6 SATs meeting in the hall (Year 6 families only)
Tuesday 31 st March (until 7pm)	Parents' evenings for Reception to Year 5 (not Year 6) – the online booking system will open on Friday 20th March @ 6.00pm
Wednesday 1 st April (until 6pm)	
Thursday 2 nd April	Term 4 ends

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