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Newsletter 22nd September 2023

We have had a very busy week in school with lots of activities going on! Year 3 have had a Roman Workshop, we have voted in our new Year 6 Rainbow Leaders, the choir have begun their rehearsals for Let's Go Sing...as well as our normal week of learning.

Well done to everyone for a superb week!

We hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mrs White 😊

PUPILS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Otis
Year 1	Evie
Year 2	Abigail
Year 3	Eva
Year 4	Bobby
Year 5	Rebecca
Year 6	Munro

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FRIENDLY REMINDERS



- We are a NUT FREE SCHOOL – please don't send food items into school (snacks or packed lunches) that contain nuts.
- If your child is going to someone else's for tea after school, please ring school to tell us.
- Please do not park on the zig zags or double yellow lines outside school. Please do not just drive onto them to 'drop off' your children. The lines are there to keep all our families safe.
- Attendance matters relating to illness or medical appointments should be directed to the main office on 01200 446664 where you can speak to Mrs Baron.
- Application Forms for any other Leave of Absence should be submitted in advance and handed into the office. (These are available either from the school website or from main reception). A reminder that we have two weeks holiday at the October half term and encourage any holidays to be booked during this time rather than during term time when it will be recorded as unauthorised.
- **All** personal items brought into school should be clearly named.
- The hedges on the front of school are being cut in the next few weeks.

Uniform – Earrings - Hair

We have noticed some children coming to school with hoodies (not school jumpers), earrings that aren't studs and not tying their hair back if it is longer than shoulder length (girls and boys).

Please note the following:

- No jewellery should be worn to school apart from plain, small stud earrings if children have their ears pierced.
- Earrings **MUST** be taken out for PE before they come to school if your child is unable to take their own earrings out. If they come to school with earrings in and cannot take them out we will put plasters over them for the first time and make a phone call home to remind parents/carers that this must not happen again.
- No necklaces
- No smart watches
- No temporary tattoos or nail varnish

Hair – please tie back hair that is longer than shoulder length. Please check regularly for nits and let school know immediately if you find any in your child's hair.

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MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Save the date!

On Friday 29th September, Year 4 will be hosting a Macmillan Coffee Morning in the school hall 9-10.30am.

We welcome any donations of cakes, cupcakes and traybakes. As well as delicious treats, tea, coffee and juice will be available. Come along and join us if you can. All proceeds will go to Macmillan.



Governor Newsletter

Keep an eye out for the new Governor Newsletter that will be sent termly. We hope you enjoy reading about our Governors and their vision for our school.

GOVERNOR NEWSLETTER
Autumn Term 2023

Welcome to our new Governor Newsletter. We will be sharing news and information about the Governors and their strategic work to ensure that WWB provides an excellent education for each child. The focus of this newsletter will be to introduce you to the Governing Body.

New Mission Statement
You will have been informed about the school's new mission statement that promotes our vision as a Church School. The Governors have been working closely with Mrs White, and the staff, in preparation for our Church School (SIAMS) inspection that will take place this year.

A Welcome from our new Chair of Governors, David Austen.
Three years ago, with a daughter in Year 2, I was asked to become a parent governor. I had no idea what to expect, what time would cost me, and I wasn't sure a year would be enough to understand the role of a parent governor.

Over those years the school has faced many challenges including a significant loss of staff and headteacher vacancies, and a school inspection. All of which I'm glad to say the school pulled together and overcame.

I've been asked to take on the Chair of Governors role in the school, which I'm really excited to accept. My other 3 boys in year 3 and 4 had contemplated whether I should 'pass on the baton' (but as a parent on the board I hope to stay). However, I've received the message of our friends here children in years 2-4 and our continued to have a realisation to support and challenge him in the school, become stronger, more resilient, and to help realise the full potential for the next generation of local children.

David Austen

The Governor meeting for this term is arranged for Wednesday 6th September - Thursday 2nd November
Full Governor Meeting - Tuesday 10th November

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Our Governors

David Austen, Fiona Baron, Helen Saunders, John Rattigan, Lenny Brayshaw, Reverend Wood, Sam Tyrer, Sandra Kirkman, Rachel Sunderland

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Dates for the diary.

Monday 9th October - ☐CAKE SALE ☐
Thursday 12th October- 🧑🏫SCHOOL DISCO🧑🏫
More information will follow.

Also a huge Thankyou to those who contributed in any way for our school BBQ. Whether it be food donations, running a stall or the bar, cooking food, helping to set up/tidy away we really appreciate your help and support.

Large events like these take a lot of organising so every little helps.

Thanks again

Friends of WWB



Open day for September 2024 intake

Sept 2024 Intake Open Day. If you have a child, or know someone else with a child, due to start school in Sept '24 then you are welcome to pop into our Open Day which will be held on Wednesday 4th October. There will be an opportunity to enjoy a guided tour of the school, speak to the staff and join in with one of our amazing forest school sessions. Please ring school to book onto a tour.

Waddington and West Bradford CE Primary School

Open Day 2023

Will your child be starting school in September 2024?

Come along to our Open Day on Wednesday 4th October 2023.

Our Headteacher, Mrs White, will be giving guided tours throughout the day as well as providing opportunities to see our wonderful school in action.

Please ring us on 01200 422915 to book onto a tour between 9.30am and 5pm. We are looking forward to showcasing the excellent provision at our beautiful, village school.

The flyer features a light blue background with decorative autumn leaves in orange and green. It includes two small photographs of the school building: one showing a side view and another showing the entrance. The text is centered and uses a mix of bold and underlined fonts for emphasis.

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Cycle to School Week – next week!

Do you want to save money, get healthier and protect the environment? As well as have lots of fun on the journey to school?

Then get involved with Cycle to School Week!

This year, Cycle to School Week will take place between **Monday 25 – Friday 29 September 2023.**

With support from our friends at iCycle in Clitheroe, we are celebrating the fun and freedom of an eco-friendly cycle commute, and encourage all families, pupils and teachers to get involved...as safely as possible on the roads near school.

If you cycle to school that week, any children's bikes can be left in our bike racks (or next to it) during the day. This is located around the side of school near the entrance to WASP club. Please let us know if you do cycle!

Keep an eye out for Mrs White as she is going to give it a go on the days that she can...

Year 6 Rainbow Leaders Voting

Year 6 have been campaigning and voting for the new leaders of our Rainbow Groups (School council) this week. We are so proud of them all for the efforts they made. It is not an easy thing to 'put yourself out there' but this builds resilience and also teaches the children that in life, we can't be winners at everything, but we can always try our best.



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Choir – Let's Go Sing!

The choir have begun their rehearsals for LET'S GO SING and had a visit from Daisy this morning to get them going 🎵🎶 it's so lovely to hear their beautiful voices in school



Attendance

Week commencing 18th September 2023

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	95%
Year 1	91.9%
Year 2	97.3%
Year 3	95.6%
Year 4	98.5%
Year 5	93.9%
Year 6	97.9%

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Rainbow (House) Team Points

The Rainbow team that has the most points at the end of the half term gets to come in non-uniform the first Friday back after half term.

Week	Winners
W/C 4th September	Indigo
W/C 11th September	Yellow
W/C 18th September	Yellow

CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk

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