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## Newsletter 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

What a wonderful week we've had in school. In worship, we have been thinking about being courageous and how we can demonstrate courage in our lives. The children were so reflective and could openly talk about their courageous actions and how they shine in their lives.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs White

### **FRIENDLY REMINDERS**



Bookings for February Half Term Holiday Club are now open. We are using Sportscool to provide the club this half term.

School closes at normal time on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February and we re-open on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February.

Reception and Pre School – Please see the email about the use of SeeSaw to communicate with parents and share photos of school.

#### **IMPORTANT REMINDER**

THERE WILL BE NO AFTER SCHOOL WASP CLUB ON THE FOLLOWING DATES DUE TO WHOLE SCHOOL STAFF TRAINING:

TUESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY

TUESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY

THIS WAS FIRST COMMUNICATED TO PARENTS IN OCTOBER TO ENSURE THAT YOU HAD MONTHS OF NOTICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS – THANK YOU

## **Parking**

We have noticed an increase in dangerous parking and manoeuvres around school again.

Please can we, respectfully, ask the following:

- Do not do 3 point turns in front of school
- Do not park near the cones where the bus needs to stop
- Do not reverse into or out of the car park – the only cars in the car park should be staff cars and the taxis that pick children up.
- Please park away from school and walk the last few minutes – there is a walkway adjacent to the road that leads into Waddington village that is much safer.
- Please show respect and patience to each other.

We only ask these things to ensure the safety of our pupils. We want to keep them as safe as possible and need your help to do that.

## **Dates for Diaries – Autumn Term 2 - 2023**

Please find below some key dates for your diary for next half term. There may be more dates added but we will update this on the weekly newsletter.

Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK Cake Sale Express Yourself Day – children to wear clothes that represent 'them' e.g. colourful, sporting, favourite dressing up...
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Year 1 History Workshop in the afternoon
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Rainbow Morning – children to wear their rainbow colour to school
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Break up for Half Term

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## **Dates for Diaries – Spring Term - 2024**

Please find below some key dates for your diary for next half term. There may be more dates added but we will update this on the weekly newsletter.

Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> Feb	School re-opens
Tues 20 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Ian Parks – Director of Education to visit school
Thurs 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Year 6 STEM afternoon with Johnson Matthey Year 6 Valentine’s Disco
Wed 28 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Tempest Photography in school – individual and class photos
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> March	Evening – Chocolate Bingo with PTA
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Choir at King George’s Hall from 1.20pm. Concert in the evening
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> March	10am Dental Survey for 5 year olds
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Life Education – Puberty and RSE – Year 4, 5 & 6 Red Nose Day – children to wear red
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	PTA – Easter Egg Raffle
Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Service at Church – Year R, 4 and 6 School CLOSES for EASTER
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> April	School Re-Opens for Summer Term

## **EXPRESS YOURSELF DAY**

On Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February we will be kick-starting Children’s Mental Health Week by asking the children (and staff!) to wear clothes to school that reflect their true selves!

This could be chosen colours, dressing up outfits, sporting clothes...anything that represents them!

If you child normally has PE on a Monday, they can just bring their trainers into school if they aren’t already wearing them.



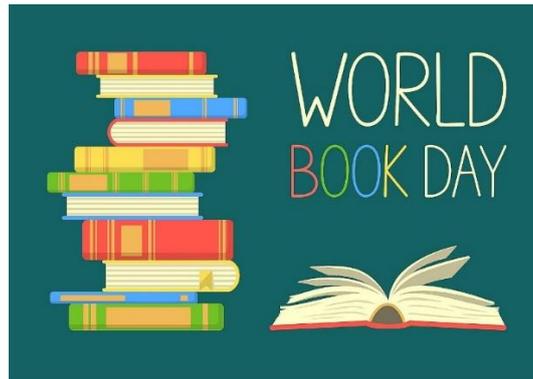
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## **World Book Day**

This year, we will be celebrating World Book Day on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March. The reason for this is that a lot of the school and staff are at Let's Go Sing at King George's Hall that day and we really don't want those children to miss out.

We are celebrating "snuggling up with a good book". Therefore, children may wear Pjs to school and bring their favourite book with them on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March.

At WWB, we celebrate and LOVE reading every single day but we do enjoy this day to dress up and have a whole day to focus on all aspects of reading!



## **FRIENDS OF WWB – Cake Sale**

### **CAKE SALE**

**MONDAY 5<sup>th</sup> February**



**£1.00 for 3 cakes**

(DEPENDENT ON HOW MANY CAKES ARE DONATED)

HOMEMADE/SHOP BOUGHT CAKES MUCH APPRECIATED

(please remember - no nuts)!!

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## Holiday Club



# FEBRUARY HOLIDAY CLUB

AT WADDINGTON AND WEST BRADFORD C.E PRIMARY, BB7 3JE

12th Feb  
UNTIL  
16th Feb

8:30am  
UNTIL  
4:00pm

AGES  
4-11

£20 PER DAY • £80 PER WEEK

**Inflatables • Multi Sports • UV Dodgeball • Football • Laser Tag  
Dodgeball • Archery • Tri-Golf • Dance • Ultimate Frisbee**



To book on, head to [sportscool.schoolipal.co.uk](https://sportscool.schoolipal.co.uk) or scan the QR code



1. Sign in or create a parent account.
2. Ensure your child is added to your account.
3. Go to Book a course and find Holiday Clubs.
4. Select the Holiday Club you would like.
5. Follow the boxes and make payment.

**0845 094 2290**

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## PE Days

Thank you to everyone for sending the children in their PE kits on their PE days. The positive impact has been wonderful! Here is a reminder of the PE days for each class:

<b>Reception</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Tuesday (PE and Forest School)</b>
<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Thursday and Friday</b>
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Tuesday and Thursday</b>
<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Monday and Wednesday</b>
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Monday and Thursday</b>

## Attendance

Week commencing 29<sup>th</sup> January 2023

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

<b>Class</b>	<b>Attendance Percentage</b>
<b>Reception</b>	<b>93.8%</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	<b>93.7%</b>
<b>Year 2</b>	<b>90.9%</b>
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>94.6%</b>
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>90.4%</b>
<b>Year 5</b>	<b>90.7%</b>
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>90.7%</b>

## Rainbow (House) Team Points

The Rainbow team that has the most points at the end of the half term gets a treat! This half term, it will be a hot chocolate around our fire pit!

<b>Week</b>	<b>Winners</b>
<b>W/C 8<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>RED</b>
<b>W/C 15<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>VIOLET</b>
<b>W/C 22<sup>nd</sup> January</b>	<b>VIOLET</b>
<b>W/C 29<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>ORANGE</b>

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## **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](mailto:bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk)

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