

# Winwick CE Primary School News

This half term's value - Thankfulness

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#### Friday 7th July 2023

Our School Vision: 'In God's love, aspire and achieve to be the best.' - Corinthians 16:14

What an exciting week we've had in school this week for our Transition Week! The children have spent the week in their new classrooms, spending time experiencing what it will be like in September when they move into their next class. Over the week, the children have been finding out about their new class value, have discussed their class charter for next year, as well as doing a range of learning across different curriculum areas.

We have also welcomed our new Reception children into our Winwick family, who have spent different morning and afternoon sessions with us. We were so impressed with how they showed courage - which is their new class values - by being very brave coming into school by themselves. Once in school, they have loved spending time in our indoor and outdoor classrooms, finding out about all the new areas they can explore. We hope they have enjoyed their first few days in school and we look forward to welcoming them back very soon!

In addition to the different things going on in school this week, we are also celebrating a number of successes with our Winwick Team too. This week, we have received our 'Committed to Inclusion Mark' recognising the excellent work the school team do linked to inclusive practice. I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge 'thank you' to our staff team who always work incredibly hard to support all children in our care, and it is lovely to see that this has been recognised in the Inclusion Mark.

In addition to this, our Mental Health and Wellbeing Lead, Mrs Mills, has successfully completed her training and is now officially an ELSA (Emotional Literacy Support Assistant). The work that Mrs Mills does to support our children and the rest of our Winwick family is exceptional—we are very lucky to have her as part of our team. Well done Mrs Mills!



Finally, as you know, we have our Sports Week next week. Children should come into school each day in their PE kits/plain sports clothing and trainers each day as they will be doing different activities across the week. School PE MUST be worn for Sports Day. Our Sports Day is planned for Wednesday morning, weather dependent. As we get closer to Wednesday, we will check the forecast; should this predict heavy rain, we may need to cancel the event and we will inform you of this via school PING. Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Duckett and The Winwick Team

### **Key SCHOOL DIARY Dates:**

7<sup>th</sup> July: All After School Clubs finish

10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> July: Sports Week for all classes – Pupils to wear sports clothes all week.

12<sup>th</sup> July 9.10am - 10.30am: KS1 Sports on the Parish Field - parents welcome to attend

12<sup>th</sup> July 10.40am – 12pm: KS2 Sports on the Parish Field – parents welcome to attend

13<sup>th</sup> July: Year 4/5 Brass Concert for parents in the school hall Y4 – 2-2.30pm Y5 2.45-3.15pm

**14**<sup>th</sup> July 9am – **10am**: Reception 2023 Parents & Children: Teddy Bear's Picnic on the Parish Field (note this has changed from the 7<sup>th</sup> July)

14<sup>th</sup> July: Pupil Reports sent out via school PING

**15**<sup>th</sup> **July** : Winwick Carnival- PTFA stalls#

**18th July**: Keyboarding Concert 2pm

**19**<sup>th</sup> – **21**<sup>st</sup> July: Year 6 Residential to Conway

24<sup>th</sup> July: PTFA Soak Team Winwick—WE WILL BE CHANGING THIS DATE DUE TO THE Y6 LEAVERS SERVICE TIMINGS—DETAILS TO FOLLOW NEXT WEEK.

24th July 2pm: Year 6 Leavers Service at St Oswald's Church

26<sup>th</sup> July 2pm: School closes

Also, please see the Summer Term diary date sent out via PING. These have all been added to the calendar on the website so you have them for future reference.



# Our learning this week...



#### **NEW YEAR 1**

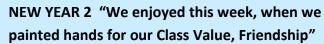
"We enjoyed meeting our new teacher, writing sentences and sitting at desks with our friends."



NEW YEAR 4 "I have loved having Mr Henaghen as my teacher because he fun. I loved writing my story on La Luna"

#### **NEW YEAR 5**

"What a wonderful time we have had!"





#### **NEW YEAR 3**

"We loved our week in Year 3!"



## NEW YEAR 6

"I have loved working with Mrs Mather and am definitely sure that Year 6 will be incredible! I have loved having a great taster of next year!"





Year 1: George B

Year 2: Lois S

Year 3: Harvey M

Year 4: Oliver C

Year 5: Noah N

Year 6: Hollie B

Values Award



Year 1: Bea W

Year 2: Sam P for Y2

Year 3: Olive M

Year 4: Oscar R

Year 5: Eva B

Year 6: Nancy L

Merit Award



Year 1: Coco C

Year 2: Hallie D

Year 3: Sophia R

Year 4: Zac C

Year 5: Ruby O

Year 6: Frankie R

Sports Award



Year 1: Eden N

Year 2: Alayah C

Year 3: Evan R

Year 4: Ruben M

Year 5: Emerson T

Year 6: Taylah L

Reading Award



Year 1: Seb C

Year 2: Charlotte D

Year 3: Ella A

Year 4: Lacey J

Year 5: Alicia U

Year 6 : George P

Attendance :

Y3 & Y4 (New) with 98%

**Golden Broom:** 

Year 4 (New)

**House Points:** 

**Florence Nightingale** 

Dojos KS1 - Year 2 (New)

Dojos KS2 – Year 6 (New)



#### https://www.stoswaldwinwick.church/

As a church school, our church at St Oswald's is really important to us. Our children love being able to visit the church to attend services and different events throughout the school year and it is important that we support them as part of our wider community.

Each week, we will share information linked to St Oswald's with you on our newsletter and we will also be sharing different key dates with you about the events in our local community that are supporting our church.

Please see the details below as there may be different events that you wish join in with...

#### **Church Services**

Sunday 9 July, 11.00 am - (Trinity 5) - Service of the Word led by Janice Knowles

Sunday 16 July, 11.00 am - (Trinity 6) - Communion led by Rev Veronica Hancock

Sunday 23 July, 11.00 am - (Trinity 7) - Service of the Word led by Rupert Rees

**Sunday 30 July, 10.30 am** - (Trinity 8) - Joint communion service led by Kathryn Cunliffe and Rev Richard Lewis, Newchurch Parish Church \*\* please note time change

#### Our joint services are held at:

Christ Church, Lady Lane, Croft, WA3 7AU
Newchurch Parish Church, Church Lane, Culcheth, WA3 5ET

#### **Events**

#### https://www.stoswaldwinwick.church/events.html

#### **Brass Band Concert**

St Oswald's Church presents A Brass Band Concert with the Birchwood Community Brass Band led by the Rev Alan Litton and accompanied by the CTT Choir. Starting at 6.30pm. Tickets are £12 and include a finger buffet. The proceeds are being shared between Newchurch (for repairs to the clock) and Winwick for repairs to our aging electrical system. See the link above.

#### Open Day

Two open days are being planned for **9**<sup>th</sup> **& 10**<sup>th</sup> **September**. The event is to be opened by Bishop Beverly and James Balme will be displaying some of his ecclesiastical history collection. The Titanic Society will be bringing a number of interesting artefacts to add to our own marriage certificate of Captain Smith. The marriage took place here at St Oswald's in 1887. We are also looking forward to a visit from the Pugin Society. **For further information please contact Peter Beck who is organising the event.** 

#### **SCHOOL/CHURCH NEWS**

Earlier this week, school and church representatives met to look at how school can support the church and get involved in their Heritage event and opens days in September. We have some exiciting ideas for how we can do this and will be sending further information about this prior to the summer break.