



# Winwick CE Primary School News

Our focus value for this half term is...

**COMPASSION**

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**Friday 20th September 2024**

We've had an eventful week in school this week where we have had our Historical Dress-up Day, with children from all classes being invited to come dressed in a costume linked to this year's learning they will be doing in History. Here are some of the children's reflections about the day... **RECEPTION:** "We saw lots of costumes and it was fun!" **YEAR 1:** "We liked dressing up as toys and watching the video of the different old toys. We liked the one that jumped out of its box, it made us all laugh so much! (Jack-in-the-box)." **YEAR 2** "I enjoyed learning with my friends and seeing pictures of the Titanic and what it was like. I enjoyed playing with my friends in our Titanic costumes." **YEAR 3** "My favourite was my learning and then wearing my outfit because it felt like I was really in the Stone Age." **YEAR 4** "History is one of my favourite things to learn so it was good to have a day all about History to focus on." **YEAR 5** "I liked writing out a double page spread and drawing pictures and writing out facts I had learnt about the Anglo-Saxons." **YEAR 6** "We are learning about the war and lots of people dressed up in different costumes—even Mrs Mather who was also dressed as an evacuee with her teddy!"

You will be able to find out more about this event and other learning that has taken place this month in our new monthly newsletter which will be sent out in a couple of weeks time showcasing things that have been happening in school during September.

As well as the newsletter today, you will also be sent our updated Parental Overviews for the Autumn term, which have been amended due to come slight curriculum changes for this academic year. You will also find a reviewed copy of our Homework Policy on our website, with this new schedule starting from this week. Our Google Classroom pages will be up and running from next week so please remember to check these regularly, encouraging older children to become more independent with organising their homework routines. If you have any questions or concerns linked to your child's homework, please contact your child's class teacher via the school office.

Next week, we are delighted to be welcoming the families of our new Reception children with their Welcome Service at St Oswald's Church. The Reception and Year 6 children will be joining us in church as part of the service. Our Macmillan Coffee Morning will also take place on the same morning, with those attending church being welcome to head over to the church hall after the service. For those not attending the service, please head over to the church hall after drop-off to support this event, which will be lead by our Ethos Champions and Christine Melia, along with other members of the St Oswald's Congregation.

**Cake donations are very welcome—please drop these into school on Thursday 26th September so that we can drop them over at the Church Hall ready for the event.; thank you in advance for your support with this.**

As always, if you need to speak with one of our team, please contact the school office, who will be happy to make arrangements for this for you. Have a fabulous weekend!

Mrs Duckett and the Winwick Team

## Prayer for the Week...

It's another weekend Lord. Thank you for bringing us, our families & friends, safely through another week. You have kept us all from harm, guided us, provided for us & most of all, faithfully cared for us & loved us & continue to love us. Amen



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



# Key SCHOOL DIARY Dates

## Key Dates: THIS WEEK...

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 9.00-9.45am:** Key Stage 1 Parental Workshop & Reading Morning Workshop. (Details to follow via School PING)

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September:** Science Focus Day

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September, 9.15am:** New Reception Welcome Service/MacMillan Coffee Morning- Families of our Reception children invited to join us at St Oswald's, with the Coffee morning being in the Church Hall.



## Key Dates: NEXT WEEK...

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September, 9.00-9.45am:** Key Stage 2 Parental Workshop & Reading Morning Workshop. (Details to follow via School PING)

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October:** National Poetry Day

## Key Dates: LOOKING AHEAD...

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> to Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October:** Y4 Crosby Hall Residential

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup>:** Children are invited to bring in a donation for Warrington Food Bank. (Further details to follow via School PING).

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October: Harvest Festival** – Please send in donations for Warrington Food Bank by today. (Further information to follow via School PING closer to the event regarding the Harvest Festival).

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October:** Flu Vaccinations for all pupils – further information to follow.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October:** All after school enrichment clubs end for the half term.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October: SCHOOL CLOSSES FOR HALF TERM** (3.15pm EYFS/KS1 & 3.20pm KS2)


**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October:** School reopens 8.45am

### REMINDERS: SCHOOL PING/PTFA

This is a polite reminder to parents/carers to check School PING regularly as notifications may not always pop up immediately on your device, so it is important to regularly check-in to ensure you do not miss any important communication. If you have not already done so, please see School PING for important information that was sent out earlier in the week regarding our PTFA and Parent Board. We welcome all support that we can from our families to enable us to provide different opportunities and events for the children and school, so if you are able to offer your time or volunteer for one of our key roles, we would be extremely thankful.

### THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE...



Whole School	86.1%	Year 3	99.3%
Reception 	100%	Year 4	94.4%
Year 1	99.2%	Year 5	95.3%
Year 2	96.4%	Year 6	99.7%

## Headteacher's Award



Reception: Avery Mc

Year 1: Louis C

Year 2: Eden N

Year 3: Penny P Holly G Lois S Alba D Daisy B Isabella

Year 4: Mia P, Esme TS, Isaac C, George L

Year 5: Guy H

Year 6 : Isabelle F

## Values Award



Reception: Diell H

Year 1: Molly D

Year 2: Ronnie W

Year 3: Samantha H

Year 4: Eshaal K

Year 5: Ethan A

Year 6 : Annika B

## Merit Award



Reception: George S

Year 1: Feliz K W

Year 2: Oliver S

Year 3: Bradley U

Year 4: Serenne W

Year 5: Francesca K

Year 6 :Annie B

## Sports Award



Reception: John W

Year 1: Daisy M

Year 2: Cassandra O

Year 3: Phoebe W

Year 4: Jake T

Year 5: William V

Year 6 : Ivy S

## Reading Award



Reception: Addison B

Year 1: Tommy H

Year 2: Spencer BG

Year 3: Jensen L

Year 4: Charlie C

Year 5: Jack M

Year 6 : Oliver P

Attendance :  
YR with 100%

Golden Broom:  
Year 2

Dojos KS1 - Year 2  
KS2 - Year 6

Reading Award:  
Year 1



[www.stoswaldwinwick.church/](http://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 from 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.

### Church Services

**Sunday 22 September, 10.30 am** - Communion led by Rev Martin (plus baptisms at 12.15pm)

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### Our joint services are held at:

**Christ Church**, Lady Lane, Croft, WA3 7AU

**Newchurch Parish Church**, Church Lane, Culcheth, WA3 5ET

Even though there is always a warm welcome at Church, we advise you to dress according to the weather. Please wrap up warm.

### Messy Church

Messy Church has also resumed and you can keep up with updates on the Facebook page:

[Messy Church - St Oswald's Winwick](#)

### Thursday Coffee Mornings - "Warm and Welcome Chat"

**In the church hall** from 10.00am to 12pm every other Thursday

### **"Warm and Welcome Chat"**

Everyone is welcome, especially those who are feeling lonely! Come along to the church hall and meet other people, have a chat, refreshments available for a small charge of £1. Please help us spread the word to let everyone know!



# Support our PTFA...

We have signed up to the **Asda "Cashpot for Schools"** initiative. Asda have joined forces with **Joe Wicks (Body Coach)** to help raise vital funds for schools.

We understand that you're unlikely to change your regular supermarket for your grocery shopping. However, just by signing up to this, our school will earn £1. If every family in school opts in to the scheme, that is already between £150-200 free cash for us 💰 🧑🏫 😊

The scheme is running **between 2<sup>nd</sup> September and 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024**. All you have to do is;

1. Opt in through the Asda Rewards app
  2. Choose Winwick C of E Primary School
- Shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com

See attached for more information. **We will announce what we are fundraising for this academic year, at our PTFA Annual General Meeting (AGM) next Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm.**

**Winwick CofE Primary School PTFA has already raised £69.10 through the Asda Cashpot for Schools initiative!!** Without really trying. Please help us to raise even more, by joining in, signing up and sharing the news with your friends and family! All funds raised go directly for the benefit of our children at school 🧑🏫

#TeamWinwick 🤍🤍

#AsdaCashpotForSchools 🤍

#RaisingFreeFundsForOurSchool 🤍

The poster features a green background with the text 'INTRODUCING CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS' in large, bold, dark blue letters. Below this, it says 'Download and opt-in with Asda Rewards and we will donate ££s to schools.' There is a yellow shield icon with 'CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS' and a smartphone displaying the Asda Rewards app with a QR code. A 'HERE'S HOW:' section lists five steps: 1. Download the Asda Rewards app and opt-in to Cashpot for Schools. 2. Choose your primary school. 3. Shop in-store across Asda & George, and scan your Asda Rewards app at the checkout. 4. Shopping online? Simply log in to Asda.com using the same details as your Asda Rewards account. 5. We'll do the rest! We donate ££s to your chosen school every time you shop, so they can spend it on exactly what they need. The poster also includes the 'With Parentkind' logo and a small QR code at the bottom left.

## What is Cashpot for Schools?

**We're working with Asda, who are making millions of pounds available to every state primary school's PTA in the UK.**

Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024, every time customers shop with Asda using their Rewards app, they can choose a primary school to receive a percentage of their spend. And that's not all — every time a customer chooses your primary school, Asda will donate £1 to your school's Cashpot, plus a further £50 when your first customer shops.

### REMINDER: PARKING

This is a polite reminder to please be considerate to our neighbours when parking to drop-off/collect your child from school. Please **DO NOT** park across people's driveways or restrict access along footpaths.

Also, a gentle reminder that parents/carers should **NOT** park on the Premier Inn carpark and, if using the Swan carpark, you should be walking around and **NOT** cutting through the fencing.

Thank you for your support with this.

# Invitation for our Year 5/6 Families...

## Open Evening

Tuesday 24 September 2024  
5:00pm to 8:00pm

“We would love to show you around and  
welcome you to our Hope Family”

Principal's presentations will take place at 5:15pm and 6:15pm



To find more information and to  
book a daytime tour of the  
academy, simply scan the QR code  
with your smartphone camera.

To view our prospectus,  
simply scan the QR  
code with your  
smartphone camera



# Invitation For All Our Families...

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**LONDON BRONCOS**

**FRI 20 SEP 2024 | 8.00PM**

HALLIWELL JONES STADIUM

**[WARRINGTONWOLVES.COM/TICKETS](https://warringtonwolves.com/tickets)**

IN THE OFFICIAL CLUB STORE OR BY CALLING 01925 248 888

\*WITH A PAYING ADULT AT £15. MAXIMUM 2X £1 TICKETS PER ADULT. WEST STAND ONLY

