



WINWICK CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 17th October 2025

This week, it has been lovely to welcome Rev Trevor, Rev Martin Fuller and Mr Baker into school. We enjoyed our two worships with Mr Baker and Rev Trevor – who always brings his guitar along for a super sing-song! It was lovely to welcome Rev. Martin Fuller into school to talk more about how we can work together to support each other and our local community. Next week we will now be holding our Harvest Service in St Oswald's and Rev. Martin will be supporting school with our service. This will be on Wednesday at 9.15am – all welcome.

This half term, we have had a number of open mornings for our New Reception 2026 class. It has been lovely to welcome families - new and existing - into school to show them our wonderful school and we hope that we get to see them again next September. During our showrounds, we have spent time looking around the school, as well as visiting our Reception class and spending time in our indoor and outdoor classroom. We have been so proud of how our new Reception children have settled and are already excellent ambassadors for our school – well done children!

If you haven't already done so, please access Arbor to book a Parents' Evening appointment for next week. You will be given the opportunity to come into school to meet with your child's class teacher to find out about their progress so far in Autumn 1 and how they have settled into their new class. In addition to this, you will also have an opportunity to have a look at your child's work. For most classes, Parents' Evening will take place across Wednesday and Thursday evening, however for Year 2 (to ensure that both Miss Kelly and Mrs Knapp can be present) this will take place across Thursday afternoon/evening. If you have any issues booking an appointment, please contact our school office, who will be happy to assist you.

Next week, booking for our Enrichment Clubs for Autumn 2 will open, in addition to bookings for our Link Club.

Mrs Duckett and the Winwick Team

Our Whole School Value for this half term is:

THANKFULNESS

[Click HERE to see our Enrichment Club offer.](#)

[Click HERE to see our Diary Dates for 2025-26](#)

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PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Heavenly Father, I come
before You knowing that
You are my refuge and
strength. When I feel
weary and weak, please
renew my spirit and
grant me the courage to
trust in You
Amen



EVENTS & DIARY DATES

PTFA Events

24TH OCTOBER
WINWICK C OF E SCHOOL PTFA
AGM
Annual General Meeting
Everyone is welcome.
Parents, Teachers & Friends
Let's chat about
Our plans for the year
Meet the team
Get involved
Meet other parents/carers
Help fundraise for the school
ALL HELPING TO MAKE SURE OUR KIDS HAVE THE BEST TIME



6 - 7 PM
@ The Church Hall

Please come along to our PTFA AGM – everyone is welcome!



EVENTS & DIARY DATES

PTFA Events

PAINT & Sip **FRIDAY 24TH OCTOBER**
@ The Church Hall
7PM - 9PM

Try painting with a twist!
Create artwork & sip away
on your favourite tippie
and nibbles

THE DETAILS

- * Enjoy a welcome glass of bubbles
- * Nibbles
- * Paints, Canvas and 1.5-2 hours expert artistic guidance and tuition to ensure your painting is picture perfect.
- * Top ups / other drinks will be available throughout the evening.

The event is open to all parents / friends and families.
£30 per person, pay via BACS

Book now

Limited availability

Please contact our PTFA or our school office for details of how you can make a payment directly to our PTFA for this event. Thank you.





EVENTS & DIARY DATES

Autumn Term (HT1)

October 2025

Wednesday 1st October: NSPCC Assembly

w/c 6th October: Focus on Black History Month

w/c 6th October: Donations welcomed for the Warrington Foodbank in preparation for the Harvest Festival

Monday 6th October: Parental Reading Morning – **RESCHEDULED TO SPRING TERM**

Tuesday 7th October, 9.10am: New Reception 2026 Showround

Monday 13th October, 3.15-5pm: PTFA Glow Disco EYFS/KS1 – See PING for PTFA payment information. Children attending the disco to come to school in their disco clothes.

Tuesday 14th October, 3.20-5pm: PTFA Glow Disco KS2 – See PING for PTFA payment information. Children attending the disco to come to school in their disco clothes.

Friday 17th October, 9.10am: New Reception 2026 Showround

Friday 17th October: Enrichment Clubs for HT1 finish

w/c 20th October: Bikeability – More details to follow

Tuesday 21st October, 5pm: Bookings for Enrichments Clubs in Autumn 2 open via Arbor

Wednesday 22nd October, 9.15am: St Oswalds Church Harvest Festival (family members welcome to attend in church – please make your way over after drop-off).

Wednesday 22nd October & Thursday 23rd October: Parents' Evening – Book via Arbor

Friday 24th October, 5pm: PTFA AGM followed by PTFA Sip & Paint Event - Adults Only

Friday 24th October: Non-uniform Day for £1 Donation for Winwick Christmas Tree Fund. (Community)

Friday 24th October: School Closes for Half Term

Friday 31st October (During Half Term): Deadline to apply for Secondary School Places

Friday 21st November: Flu Vaccinations

[Click HERE to see our Diary Dates for 2025-26](#)





COMMUNITY INFORMATION



Give Help

Donate food

Our foodbank relies on your goodwill and support.

Over 90% of the food distributed by foodbanks in The Trussell Trust network is donated by the public – that's why your food donations are absolutely vital to our ability to give everyone referred to us a balanced and nutritious three day supply of food.

Our shopping list on the right shows the food items that we need right now.

w/c 6th October:

Donations welcomed for the Warrington Foodbank in preparation for the Harvest Festival.

Wednesday 22nd October, 9.15am:
Harvest Festival TBC
(Details to follow)

From **week commencing 6th October**, we will be collecting donations for Warrington Foodbank. Please see the list for items they are currently running low on and, if you are to make a donation, this would be warmly welcomed.

Alternatively, if you would like to support Warrington Foodbank by making a monetary donation, please click on the link below.

Thank you for your support.

Items we're running short of...

Instant coffee / Tea bags
Tinned Meat / Fish
Long Life Milk
Washing Up Liquid
Shampoo
Deodorant

Thank you so much for your support.

We couldn't do any of this without you.

[Click HERE to donate to Warrington Foodbank](#)



CHURCH INFORMATION

As a school, our church at St Oswald's is really important to us. Our children and school community 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.

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

St Oswald's Services

Sunday 26th October, 10.30am: Joint Holy Communion

Morning Prayer: Every THURSDAY at 9am for 30 minutes. (for Reflection)

Sunday Service – Said Communion, 9am: Monthly. Every third Saturday. (This is a shorter service; no hymns)

Our joint services are held at:

Christ Church, Lady Lane,
Croft, WA3 7AU

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

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!

"Warm & Welcome"
Chat and a Brew
Every other Thursday
10-12



Our **Messy Harvest** is on **Saturday 4th October** from **10am to 12pm** and will take place in the **Church Hall**. Learn about Harvest thanksgiving through various activities, whilst having lots of fun meeting up with others. We will finish with a short Church Service followed by light refreshments.

Admission is free, although donations are most welcome. If you can help run a station (will be set up and ready to go), tidy up or able to bring some cakes or biscuits then please message us or comment below. All help will be greatly appreciated.

www.stoswaldwinwick.church/



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Fully Funded School Support Course



www.studysmartuk.online

We are looking to fill 150+ School Support vacancies in local schools (e.g. SEN Support, Behaviour Mentors, 1-1 Classroom Support, Cover Supervisors etc). These roles are available in both full time and part time positions.

Please go to our website address given above, or scan the QR code for more information.

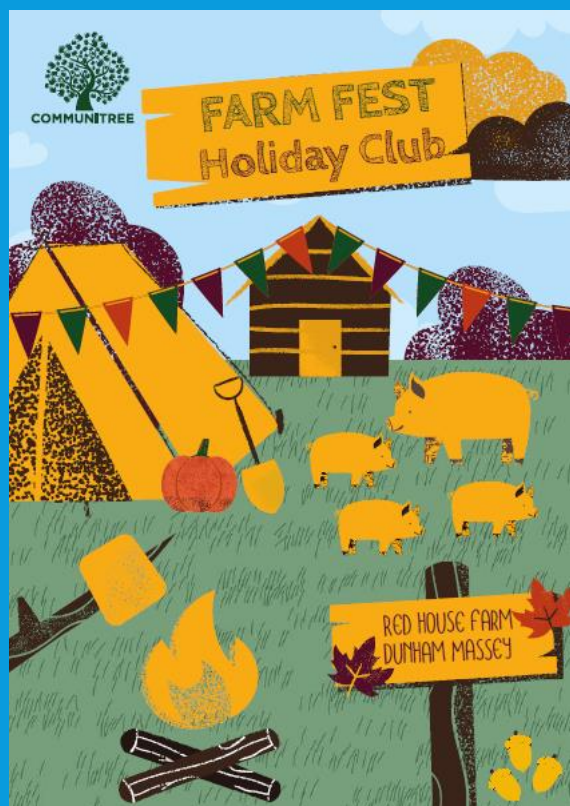
This is a 6 week course, full time, intensive course, with online guided learning sessions within school hours.

If you are earning less than £23,500 per annum or are in receipt of any benefits, you will be eligible for a fully funded place with us.





COMMUNITY INFORMATION



Farm Fest
Not your average holiday club
For 5 - 11 year olds (Y1-Y6)

Join us for:

- Den building with loose parts
- Foraging and cooking
- Wildcrafting with real tools
- Relaxing in tents and hideouts
- Singing and music-making
- Meet and feed the resident pigs
- Free-range play all day

Save 10%
Use code
FFAUTUMN25

Dates
27th-31st
October

£44.40 a day
Tax-free childcare accepted

communitree.co.uk
info@communitree.co.uk
0800 086 8837



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Daresbury Laboratory Family Science Day

Tuesday 28 October 2025

9:00am – 2:30pm | 12:30pm – 5:30pm

Science Fair

Family Show

Workshop

Tour



Limited tickets – Book at your local Family Hub now!

£5 per family, includes sandwich lunch and local coach transfer

Please note – with the exception of blue badge holders,
there will be no parking or drop off on site



Science and
Technology
Facilities Council

<https://tinyurl.com/wkkckju3>



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

WARRINGTON'S LOCAL
CULTURAL EDUCATION
PARTNERSHIP

CULTURE WARRINGTON



AUTUMN
EDITION

FOR FAMILIES

Warrington's Local Cultural Education Partnership (LCEP) is delighted to share our third newsletter with families across Warrington, with a spotlight on Spooky Season!

Warrington's Local Cultural Education Partnership (LCEP) is a collaborative initiative that brings together schools, cultural organisations and community partners to enhance cultural education opportunities for children and young people. These partnerships aim to ensure that all young people, regardless of their background or location, can access high-quality arts and cultural experiences.

Each term we hope to connect with families across Warrington, letting them know about the cultural and creative activities happening across our wonderful town!

HALLOWEEN IN THE GARDENS

Queens Gardens, Palmyra Square
Wednesday 29 October
5:30pm - 7pm
Free | Family Friendly

A spectacular firelit concert suitable for all the family will be bringing wow factor to Queens Gardens this October half term.

Halloween in the Gardens will take place on the evening of Wednesday, 29 October, with a range of spooky musical performances under the glow of flickering flames.

Wrap up warm and join us for powerful performances, bursts of colour in the sky, and an atmosphere filled with seasonal magic.



COMMUNITY INFORMATION



MONDAY 27 OCTOBER
PARR HALL, PALMYRA SQUARE

A new musical adventure **LIVE ON STAGE!**



FROM £15 | CLICK HERE TO BOOK

HALLOWEEN
PUMPKIN CARVING



TUESDAY 28 & THURSDAY 30 OCTOBER
LOUIS PIZZA, WARRINGTON MARKET

FREE | CLICK HERE TO BOOK



£8 | CLICK HERE TO BOOK

SPOOKYSAURUS

THURSDAY 30 OCTOBER, 11AM - 3PM
TIME SQUARE, WARRINGTON



FREE & DROP IN

WEDNESDAY 29 OCTOBER
QUEENS GARDENS, PALMYRA SQUARE



FREE, NO NEED TO BOOK



FREE FAMILY CRAFT
MAGIC CAULDRONS

WEDNESDAY 29 OCTOBER, 10AM - 3PM
WARRINGTON MUSEUM & ART GALLERY

FREE & DROP IN



COMMUNITY INFORMATION



EARLY YEARS

Following the 30-minute story, explore the museum and take part in autumn crafts.

FRIDAY 31 OCTOBER, 11AM AND 1:30PM
WARRINGTON MUSEUM & ART GALLERY

FREE & DROP IN

THE STORY OF

PENELOPE PUMPKIN



A story told for ages 0-5
and their grown-ups

FREE HALF TERM ACTIVITY

Friday 31 October
11am and 1:30pm

Warrington Museum & Art Gallery



Colour the Clouds



FREE FAMILY CRAFT MOSAIC PUMPKINS

FRIDAY 31 OCTOBER, 10AM - 3PM
WARRINGTON MUSEUM & ART GALLERY

GO WILD



LEARN ALL ABOUT ANIMALS WITH ANIMAL TEACH
FRIDAY 31 OCTOBER, 10AM - 3PM
WARRINGTON MARKET

FREE & DROP IN



HALLOWEEN IN TIME SQUARE

FRIDAY 31 OCTOBER

MEET YOUR FAVOURITE SPOOKY FRIENDS

12PM - 3PM: PUMPKIN HEADS & WEDNESDAY ADDAMS

3PM - 6PM: SANDERSON SISTERS FROM HOCUS POCUS

FREE & DROP IN



BATIDA RIO ZOMBIE WALK

RAISING MONEY FOR WARRINGTON SPEAK UP

SATURDAY 1 NOVEMBER, 6PM - 7PM

FROM SANKEY STREET TO TIME SQUARE

FREE, NO NEED TO BOOK

COMMUNITY INFORMATION



WHAT'S COMING UP AT

WARRINGTON





AUTUMN HOLIDAY CLUB

Our Holiday Club is here to provide lots of fun activities for young people aged 7-12 years. Spaces are limited on our trip sessions, so please book early to avoid disappointment.

8am-6pm, with over 20 activities a day!

Monday 27 - Friday 31 October
£20 per day

Young people aged 7 - 12 need to have a current annual membership (£5) to book on.



£25 HOLIDAY CLUB TRIPS

Trip to Manchester MOSI
Monday 22 December

Trip to Gravity
Friday 2 January

Monday 5 January
Trip to Airbase 1


[CLICK TO FIND OUT MORE](#)

SUNDAY 26TH OCTOBER
WARRINGTON YOUTH ZONE

SUPPORTING A GREAT CAUSE!

3 HOURS OF NON-STOP DANCE FITNESS
FEATURING THE INCREDIBLE KRISTIX DRUMMING!
FEEL THE RUSH AS YOU DANCE TO ICONIC CLUB CLASSICS
UNDER DAZZLING LIGHTS!







AGE 16+

TICKETS £15

COMMUNITY INFORMATION




CRAFTERNOONS

**Free Family Crafts
Every Saturday**
No need to book, just drop in.
Sessions run from 1pm - 3pm
Last entry 2:45pm



WARRINGTON MUSEUM & ART GALLERY

LiveWire | WARRINGTON | WARRINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

GREEN LIBRARIES WEEK Activities

OCT 25 Saturday 25th October
Orford Library, 11am-1pm,
Nature virtual reality



OCT 27 Monday 27th October -
Saturday 1st November
Culcheth Library, Art exhibition using recycled materials

Monday 27th October
Padgate Library, 3-4pm, Environment coding session

OCT 28 Tuesday 28th October
Culcheth Library, 2:30-4pm, Mosaic craft using recycled materials

OCT 29 Wednesday 29th October
Living Well Hub, 10-11:30am, Environment coding session
Burtonwood Library, 2-3pm, Mosaic craft using recycled materials
Warrington Library, 2-3:30pm, Nature virtual reality
Padgate Library, 3-4pm, Mosaic craft using recycled materials
Lymm Library, 2-4pm, Craft activity

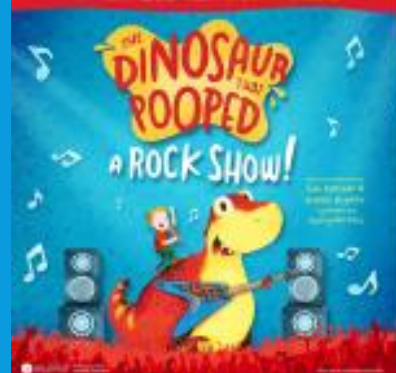
OCT 30 Thursday 30th October
Stockton Heath Library, 10:30am-12noon, Craft activity
Penketh Library, 2:30-3:30pm, Spooky craft

 **Free!**  **Drop-in!**

PAT HALL FOR FAMILIES

MONDAY 27 OCTOBER

A new musical adventure LIVE ON STAGE!



SATURDAY 3 - 9 JANUARY



FRIDAY 15 FEBRUARY





COMMUNITY INFORMATION

 Registered with FUNDRAISING REGULATOR
Registered Charity 110734

 WARRINGTON WOLVES
THE WIRE
Community Foundation

 WARRINGTON
Borough Council

EVERY BODY COUNTS

SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES IN WARRINGTON

We provide help and advice for you and your family on...

➔ **Mental wellbeing**



➔ **Nutrition**



➔ **Physical activity**



Every Body Counts

A free programme for children and young people aged 5-16 years* (up to 25 years with special educational needs) and their families. Our programme will help family members make better informed lifestyle choices leading to positive health gains including physical activity, mental wellness and nutrition. Our approach is compassionate and inclusive where our families will feel supported, their needs understood and coached for long term behavioural change.

SCAN BELOW FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



BE THE CHANGE
#BeTheChange

 @WWRLFoundation  wolvesfoundation
 warringtonwolvesfoundation  warrington-wolves-community-foundation

T 01925 248894 E community@warringtonwolvesfoundation.com
www.warringtonwolvesfoundation.com

Winwick WI



LITTLE BIT OF
Christmas

SAT 29TH NOV 2025
1pm - 4pm
St Oswald's Church Hall

JOIN US FOR
AFTERNOON TEA

RAFFLE, TOMBOLA, CRAFT STALL,
CHRISTMAS STALL, CAKES

 £5

Open to all boys and girls in reception and Year 1.

Winwick based.
Training – Fridays 5-6pm.

For more information
contacted Terry –
078249831120.





COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Explorers

Interest talks with a spiritual dimension

Newchurch, Winwick and Croft

2nd & 4th Tuesday 1.30-2.30

Christ Church Parish Hall

Lady Lane, Croft,
Warrington WA3 7AU,



Tuesday September 9

♥ Romanticism & Eternity

Tuesday September 23

■ Abraham – history or tale?

Tuesday October 14

🔪 Tyndale & the Secret Service

Tuesday October 28

🔍 The Real Jesus?

Tuesday November 11

💣 War

Tuesday November 25

💡 The Revelations of War

Tuesday December 9

🎄 Carols & Truth

CHRISTMAS BREAK

More info: Ring or text
Rev Trev 07935198009

MATTHIOLA WILDCATS

2025/26

WITH

AD 11 Football Coaching



OPEN TO GIRLS IN RECEPTION OR YEAR 1

WE ARE ALSO HAPPY TO SUPPORT ANY PARENTS INTERESTED IN GETTING INVOLVED WITH COACHING

£3.00 A SESSION - FRIDAY 17:30

SANKEY ASTRO 4G, WA5 3AA



Get in touch with Kev - 07795472931
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Our Vision: 'In God's love, aspire and achieve to be the best.' 1 Corinthians 16:14. 'Do everything in love'



CELEBRATING OUR SUCCESS THIS WEEK...

Headteacher's Award



Reception: Annabel D
Year 1: George S
Year 2: Freya R
Year 3: Cassie D
Year 4: Alba D
Year 5: Marnie C
Year 6: William V and Ethan A

Values Award



Reception: Milo R
Year 1: Esme B
Year 2: Evie MA
Year 3: Mia H
Year 4: Jenson L
Year 5: Harvey M
Year 6: April S C

Merit Award



Reception: Ben L
Year 1: Neo D
Year 2: Isabella R
Year 3: Laila P
Year 4: Bradley U
Year 5: Alfie H
Year 6: Logan S

Sports Award



Reception: Daphne B
Year 1: John W
Year 2: Ada P
Year 3: Isaac C
Year 4: Sam P
Year 5: Sophie G
Year 6: Toby D

Reading Award



Reception: Harriet Ellis
Year 1: Sienna G
Year 3: Evalyn G
Year 4: Charlotte D
Year 5: Olive M
Year 6: Amber S

Attendance Award

Y6 with 99.7%

House Points (Winning House)

Green

Golden Broom (Winning Class)

Year 1

Dojos (Winning Class)

KS1: Year 2
KS2: Year 5

Class Reading Award

Y3