



# Winwick CE Primary School News

This half term's value - Service

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

Friday 29th September 2023

It was wonderful to see our Reception children with their Year 6 buddies at our New Reception Welcome Service this week to formally welcome our new Reception families into the school. Both groups impressed us with their singing and their prayers and it was lovely to see them coming together to celebrate! This was followed by our joint MacMillan Coffee Morning at the church hall, with school and church supporting this worthy cause together. Thank you so much to all who gave donations of cakes for the event, and to those who supported it at the church hall too! Well done to our Ethos Team who also supported us at this event.

You will see from our newsletter gallery this week that we have had a Science Focus across the school. Mr Henaghen led a worship all about Science to launch the week and gave us a whole school investigation challenge to complete. We spent time thinking about Scientific Enquiry and elements that a Science investigation might need and carried out our own investigations. At the end of the week, we came together as a school to share the different things that we have been doing with our Science this week. Here are some of our reflections about Science Week...

**RECEPTION:** "I am making a mixture." (Mixing different things in the Mud Kitchen). **YEAR 1:** "We had to find the biscuit that lasts the longest. The longest biscuit lasted for 46 seconds—it was the Digestive!" **YEAR 2** "We were thinking about the cookies and which kind of water and drinks would be the best for the cookies to dip in." **YEAR 3** "We have been doing lots of different things in Science this week. We were also using Baking Soda to investigate how we could make crystals. We left them yesterday and this morning there was one there!" **YEAR 4** "YEAR 5 "Science is so awesome! Full of exciting things. We have been making different solutions which were variables and then we tested the biscuits to see which one was best." **YEAR 6** "In Year 6 we had to plan our investigation to think about the different variables and what we would change and keep the same. "

Today we say goodbye to both Mrs Chitalkar and Mrs Cookson, our Mid-day Assistants, who both leave us for new jobs where they have been successful and have taken promotion; we wish them both the best of luck with their new careers! We know the children will miss their smiling faces in the hall, but we are sure they will pop-in to see us to let us know how they are getting on.

On Monday we have our Parental Reading Workshop, so please let us know via our School PING survey (closes Sunday), so we know how many people will be attending. We also have our Careers Day coming up on 11th October, where children are invited to come dressed for a career they aspire to, as well as having the opportunity to find out more about a range of careers and professions during the day too! Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Duckett and The Winwick Team

## Key SCHOOL DIARY Dates:

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 5pm: Parental Reading Workshop (further information to follow via School PING).

w/c Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October: Diversity Week

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October: Careers Day: **Children are invited to come into school dressed for a career they aspire to.**

Diversity Day

Start of Black History Month

**SAVE THE DATE: Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October, Time TBC: Online Safety Workshop, with our Local PCSO** (further information to follow via School PING – we are awaiting final confirmation of this date).

**Monday 16th October – Thursday 19th October WARRINGTON FOODBANK DONATION APPEAL** There will be a donation station in the school playground for pupils to drop off their produce every morning. If you could help with manning this stall please email the school office to offer your support. This will be our Harvest Charity donation. (Further information to follow via School PING closer to the event.)

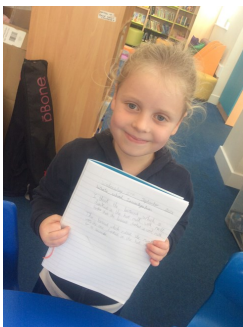
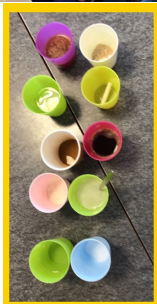
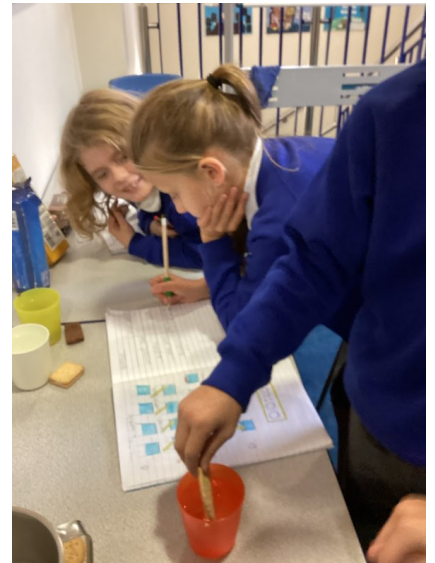
w/c Monday 16th October: History Curriculum Focus Week Wednesday

**Wednesday 18th October: Historical House Day – children are invited to come dressed in costumes linked to their current History units.** • Reception: My Life So Far (Children to come dressed in their own clothes) • Year 1: Toys Past and Present (Costumes appropriate to toys or any time period from 1900-present day) • Year 2: Titanic (1912 – Costumes appropriate for around this time period – Edwardian Era) • Year 3: Stone Age Britain • Year 4: Roman Britain • Year 5: Anglo-Saxons/Viking Britain • Year 6: World War II



Please see full diary dates for Autumn 1 on School PING/school website.

# Our learning this week... Science Focus Week



# New Reception Welcome Service



# MacMillan Coffee Morning



# Goodbye and Good Luck!



## Headteacher's Award



Reception: Freya R  
Year 1: Coco C  
Year 2: Thomas B  
Year 3: Isaac C  
Year 4: Zac C  
Year 5: Grace W  
Year 6 : Felicity H, Evie C and Leni J

## Values Award



Reception: Kalani B  
Year 1: Olivia W  
Year 2: Kimberley G  
Year 3: Xander W  
Year 4: Beau M  
Year 5: Ila H  
Year 6 : Daisy F

## Merit Award



Reception: Isaac A  
Year 1: Mila F  
Year 2: Alba D  
Year 3: Serenne W  
Year 4: Miruna I  
Year 5: Joey R  
Year 6 : Tom M

## Sports Award



Reception: Louis C  
Year 1: Cassandra O  
Year 2: Bradley U  
Year 3: Alfie H  
Year 4: Lavinia I  
Year 5: Harry B  
Year 6 : Isla R

## Reading Award



Reception: Maisie L  
Year 1: George B and Cassie D  
Year 2: Max H  
Year 3: Esme TS  
Year 4: Florence S  
Year 5: Ethan H  
Year 6 : George P

Attendance :  
Y2 & Y3 98.3%

Golden Broom:  
Reception

House Points:  
Nicola Adams

Dojos KS1 - Year 1  
Dojos KS2 – Year 5

Reading Award:  
Year 5

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## Thinking of joining us for Reception 2024?

### Open Days

Wednesday 20th September—9.30am

Monday 25th September—9.30am

Thursday 28th September—9.30am

Tuesday 7th November—9.30am

Tuesday 14th November—9.30am

Friday 24th November—4.00pm

We look forward to meeting with you this year!

To book an appointment, please contact us via email or give us a call...

<https://winwick.eschools.co.uk/website>

**We can't wait for you to join us!**

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**'In God's love, aspire and achieve to be the best'**

1 Corinthians 16:14 'Do everything in love.'



[www.stoswald](http://www.stoswald)

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.

## **Church Services**

All September's services will be at St Oswald's Church

**Sunday 1 October, 11.00 am** - Service of the Word led by Janice Knowles **followed by Harvest lunch**

**Sunday 8 October, 11.00 am** - Joint Holy Communion led by Rev Veronica Hancock

**Sunday 8 October, 2pm** - Joint sponsored dementia walk around playing field in Culcheth

**Sunday 15 October, 11.00 am** - Holy Communion led by Rev Alex

**Sunday 15 October, 11.00 am** - Holy Communion led by Rev Veronica

**Sunday 22 October, 11.00 am** - Holy Communion led by Rev Veronica

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 has also resumed and you can keep up with updates on the Facebook page: [Messy Church - St Oswald's Winwick](#)



Our Messy Harvest is on Saturday 14th 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 very short Church Service followed by light refreshments. Admission is free.

### **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>

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

In the church hall from **10.00am to 12pm.**

Everyone is welcome, especially those who are feeling lonely! Come along to the church hall and meet other people, have a chat, refreshments provided at no charge.

Please help us spread the word to let everyone know!

**Next dates:**

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TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER THROUGH LOVE

## OPEN MORNINGS

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023 9:15am – 10:00am

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2023 9:15am – 10:00am

Online booking required as spaces are limited



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LINK TO BOOKING

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## Hope Academy Open Evening Feedback

We would welcome your feedback on our Open Evening and thank you for taking the time to visit us.

Please scan the QR code to access our quick and easy feedback form.

