



WINWICK CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th March 2026

This week we have had one of the highlights of the school year, with our World Book Day celebrations! The children were so excited to come into school dressed as their favourite characters – we had some fantastic costumes, including from the staff team too! Across the day, we had a number of different activities, which including starting the day by getting into our House teams and coming together to buddy up and read with each other. The children loved having the opportunity to meet with children from different classes and share books together. Our Key Stage 2 classes had the opportunity to take part in an online live lesson with Joel M and Vick Hope who took the children on a journey to discover how they like to read. Later in the day, we had a whole school playtime to give all children the opportunity to go out in the sunshine together and see everyone's costumes. It is always a joy to see how much care our children give to each other and how much they love spending time together. As part of the Year of Reading, we will be doing a number of other different activities across the year, so keep an eye out for these.

Here are some reflections on World Book Day from some of the children: *I liked coming dressed as Tinker Fairy with a perfect rose on it. It was really fun! It was really good when we got to write our own book reviews and make our own bookmarks as some of the activities. I LOVED World Book Day because it was so fun and I got to read with my buddies! My favourite part was making the books and making the bookmarks. We made our own books, mine was about Lottie Brooks. We did a live lesson where we had a mission pack where we had to do different activities as part of a reading journey.*

Next week, we will be opening bookings for Parents' Evening which is taking place at the end of the academic year, so please keep an eye out for this coming out so you can book your appointment times. Please note, for Year 1 children Parents' Evening will only be across the evening of Wednesday 1st April.

We hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Duckett and the Winwick Team

Our Whole School Value for this half term is:

HONESTY

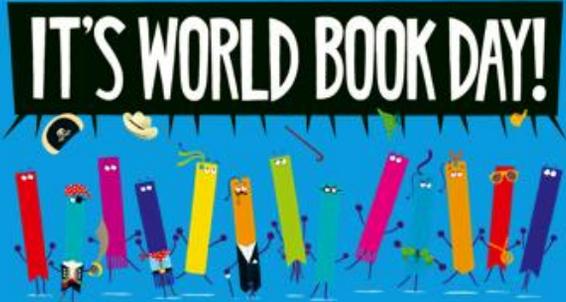
[Click HERE to see our Enrichment Club offer.](#)
[Click HERE to see our Diary Dates for 2025-26](#)

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PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Almighty God, we pray for peace in our world, where there is conflict and strife. Bring an end to violence and injustice. Inspire leaders to work towards the well-being of all people. May your love and compassion prevail, uniting nations in a common pursuit of peace. In the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace, we pray. Amen

World Book Day





EVENTS & DIARY DATES

Spring Term (HT4)

March 2026

Monday 2nd March, 3.30pm: Year 6 Conway Residential Parental Meeting

Thursday 5th March: World Book Day. Children invited to come into school dressed as their favourite character from a book. Alternatively, children are welcome to wear non-uniform if they would prefer.

Friday 6th March: Non-uniform day – Easter Egg donation for PTFA Easter Bingo

w/c 9th March: Assessment Week & British Science Week

Monday 9th March, 3.30pm: Year 4 Gulliver's World Residential Parental Meeting

Thursday 12th to Thursday 19th March: Book Fair

Friday 13th March: Red Nose Day – wear red for a £1 donation

Monday 16th March: Sponsored Read-a-thon: proceeds go towards educational visits for each class. **Details to follow after the February half term break.**

Tuesday 17th March: Year 1 Class Worship

Friday 20th March, evening: PTFA Easter Bingo Event (**Details to follow from PTFA**)

Friday 20th March: Year 6 Geography Field Trip to Warrington

Friday 20th March to Tuesday 21st April: Warrington Primary Arts Network (PAN) Art Exhibition

Tuesday 24th March, 9am: Reception Class Worship

Monday 30th March: PTFA Easter Competitions: KS2 = Decorate an Egg Competition; EYFS/KS1 = Easter Bonnet Competition

Friday 27th March: Enrichment Clubs Finish

April 2026

Tuesday 31st March & Wednesday 1st April: Parents' Evening

Thursday 2nd April, 9am: Brianna Ghey Foundation Parental Workshop - Online Safety/Phone Usage: WE ARE REQUESTING REPRESENTATION FROM ALL FAMILIES AT THE EVENT PLEASE AS THERE IS IMPORTANT KEY INFORMATION THAT WILL BE SHARED.

Thursday 2nd April, 2pm: School Closes for Easter Holidays at 2pm

Thursday 2nd April, 5pm: After-school Link Club closes at 5pm

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



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PTFA Event...

**SAVE
THE DATE**
**Friday 20th
March**

EASTER BINGO NIGHT
at the Leisure Centre

TICKETS INCLUDE FOOD
ADULTS £10
KIDS £5

From 6 pm

Hi everyone,

Spring is nearly here and we are excited to say we have our Easter Bingo coming up on Friday 20th March, from 6pm at Winwick Leisure Centre! It was a great night last year, adults and children all had a lot of fun so please do save the date. A ping with details to purchase tickets will come out this week, but in the meantime we welcome all children to come into school in non-uniform this coming Friday, 27th February, in exchange for an Easter egg donation. The eggs will go towards prizes at the bingo.

Thank you all in advance!

Winwick PTFA



EVENTS & DIARY DATES

Class Worship

Family members are welcome to join us for their child's Class Worship. These will take place on the following days:

- Wednesday 14th January, 9am: Year 6
- ~~Tuesday 20th January, 9am: Year 5~~ = Rescheduled to Thursday 26th February, 9am
- Tuesday 27th January, 9am: Year 4
- Tuesday 3rd February, 9am: Year 3
- Tuesday 10th February, 9am: Year 2
- Tuesday 17th March, 9am: Year 1
- Tuesday 24th March, 9am: Reception

Educational Visits

Please see dates below for the educational visits that will be taking place across the year. Further details will be sent out later in January, along with parental meetings for the residential visits.

5th February: Young Voices

9th March: Year 2 and Year 3 trip to Manchester Museum of Science and Industry – The date for this trip is needing to be rescheduled; date to be shared once we have reconfirmed transport availability.

10th March: Reception and Year 1 trip to Smithills Farm

12th March: Year 5 trip to Liverpool World Museum (including visit to Planetarium)

20th March: Year 6 Geography Field trip to Warrington

6th to 7th May: Year 4 Residential to Gulliver's World (Parent Information Session: Monday 9th March, 3.30pm)

22nd OR 23rd June: Year 5 Ethos Day at Hope Academy

25th June: Year 3 and Year 4 trip to Warrington Museum (History/Geography of Warrington)

6th July: Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 trip to Imagine That

8th to 10th July: Year 6 Conwy Residential (Parent Information Session: Monday 2nd March, 3.30pm)



COMMUNITY INFORMATION



RUGBY HOLIDAY CAMPS 2026

FEBRUARY

Tuesday 17th
Wednesday 18th

APRIL

Tuesday 7th
Wednesday 8th

MAY

Tuesday 26th
Wednesday 27th

JUNE

Tuesday 2nd
Wednesday 3rd

AUGUST

W/C 3rd
W/C 10th
W/C 17th
W/C 24th



Register here:

More details to be released closer to dates via the link



Registered Charity 1110734

April Rugby Camp

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
31 LOOKING FORWARD TO CAMP	01	02 GETTING EXCITED
07 HOLIDAY CAMP	08 HOLIDAY CAMP	09
14	15	16

🕒 8:15 - 15:30, DROP OFF 8:15 - 9:15

📍 ST ELPHINS PRIMARY SCHOOL, FARRELL STREET, WARRINGTON WA1 2GN

REGISTER HERE:

SCHOOL YEARS 2-6

SPACES ARE LIMITED SO BE SURE TO BOOK EARLY TO AVOID MISSING OUT!

PRICE: £60 FOR BOTH DAYS

WHAT TO EXPECT:
 FOOD INCLUDED
 OPTION OF CONTACT & TAG RUGBY
 FUN RUGBY ACTIVITIES/GAMES
 FREE PLAY
 STAR OF THE DAY
 VISITS FROM WOLFIE

Registered with FUNDRAISING REGULATOR
Registered Charity 1110734

DISABILITY SPECIFIC CREATIVE CLASSES

DANCE

THEATRE

CRAFTS

MUSIC

SCAN ME

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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

15 March 2026, 10:30 a.m. - St Oswald's – Mothering Sunday Service - Holy Communion.

Sunday 22 March 2026, 10.30am - St Oswald's – Holy Communion

Sunday 26 April 2026 at 10:30 a.m. - St Oswald's – 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)

This is Messy Church link:

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/15319/service-and-events/events/1024754/>

Our joint services are held at:

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

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

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!

www.stoswaldwinwick.church/



CHURCH INFORMATION

WINWICK DEANERY

Explorers & Divers

Interest Talks and Studies with a spiritual dimension for everyone! Every Monday at 1.30-3pm in the Parish Hall, Christ Church Croft

Monday 5 January 2026

Explorers: The Big Picture

Monday 12 January 26

Divers: Psalm 103

Monday 19 January 26

Explorers: Early Renaissance

NONE THIS WEEK – 26 Jan

Monday 2 February 26

Divers: Genesis 1

Monday 9 February 26

Explorers: Candlemas

Monday 16 February 26

Divers: Hebrews 1

Monday 23 February 26

Explorers: End of Slavery



Monday 2 March 26

Divers: Exodus 1

Monday 9 March 26

Explorers: It's all Greek to me

Monday 16 March 26

Divers: Luke Part II

Monday 23 March 26

Explorers: Jewish Passover

Monday in Holy Week

Monday Bank Holiday

Monday 13 April 26

Divers: Emmaus Journey

Monday 20 April 26

Explorers: A very messy life

Monday 27 April 26

Divers: Deuteronomy

Monday 11 May

Explorers: Brainy or Thick?

Monday 18 May

Divers: Mark and Secrecy

More info: Ring or text Rev Trev
07935198009



CELEBRATING OUR SUCCESS THIS WEEK...

Headteacher's Award		<p>Reception: Seth H Year 1: Esme B Year 2: Jake F Year 3: Edward V Year 4: Isaac A Year 5: Esmay Year 6: Florence S</p>
Values Award		<p>Reception: Milo R Year 1: Coley W Year 2: Joey L Year 3: Spencer B G Year 4: Kim G Year 5: Harvey M Year 6: Toby D</p>
Merit Award		<p>Reception: Eoin M Year 1: Rex P Year 2: Bobby C Year 3: Evrett G Year 4: Sofia F Year 5: George L Year 6: Ellie B</p>
Sports Award		<p>Reception: Ben L Year 1: John W Year 2: Freddie T Year 3: Laila P Year 4: Max H Year 5: Isaac C Year 6: Mabel B</p>
Reading Award		<p>Reception: Daisy M A Year 1: George S Year 2: Patricia O Year 3: Ellie Mc Year 4: Isaac A Year 5: Harvey M Year 6: Lacey J</p>

Attendance Award	House Points (Winning House)	Golden Broom (Winning Class)	Dojos (Winning Class)	Class Reading Award
Year 4 with 98%	Blue	Year 4	KS1: Year 1 KS2: Year 5	Year 4