# Welshampton Church of England Primary School



Growing together in strength, love and wisdom, we shine.

Newsletter Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2023

# Message from the Head

This is the end of our first full week since Christmas and it doesn't feel like we have been away! It has been great to see the children fully engaged in their learning and enthused about life at school. In the Spring term, a school can really get in to a rhythm of learning and it is wonderful to see the children have settled back in so quickly.

#### **Brilliant Basketballers**

Our year 6's attended the Mixed Basketball Tournament at the Marches school this morning. They all displayed lovely manners and wonderful teamwork. They came 3rd overall.



## **Young Voices 2023**

We are very excited about the Young Voices concert which is coming up at the Manchester Arena at the end of this month. A letter with all the relevant information will be sent out to the parents of those children who will be attending next week.

# Special Lunch Menu Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January

To book your child's hot dinner, please do so on the School App or contact the office.



## **Family Service at Welshampton**

A number of our families attended the Welshampton Family Service last weekend and had a lovely time getting involved as the photos below attest.



## **Meet The Senior Leadership Team & Governors**

A school and its children thrive on the partnership between parents, staff and governors. It is important that these links are built so that everyone can come together for the good of the children. Therefore, on Monday 30th January all parents can meet myself, Mrs Liley and school governors to discuss everything Welshampton!

The meeting will take place between 5:30pm and 6:30pm at school. It is a really positive time to be at Welshampton and I hope as many of you as possible can make it so we can work together to further improve our school.

## **Shared Sounds with Shropshire Music**



## **Class Dojo Update**

Scores are in for this week and it's been a good one for Grayling!

Brimstone 208 Grayling 237 Peacock 207

#### Attendance

Willow	Beech	Oak	School
91%	93%	96%	93%

Our school target for 2023 is 97%.

## **Shining Stars of the Week**

**Willow Class** – Alara for giving 100% in everything and being such a kind friend.

**Beech Class** – Luke Di for having such a positive enthusiastic approach to his 15 in 15 challenges.

**Oak Class** – Jack for having a really positive week where he's shown a wonderful attitude.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Yours sincerely, Mr Ben Crompton.

# **Spring Term Key Dates**

30<sup>th</sup> January Meet the SLT and Governors

5.30pm to 6.30pm

30<sup>th</sup> January Young Voices Concert

13<sup>th</sup> February Parents Evening 15<sup>th</sup> February Parents Evening

## **Parental Support in Shropshire**

Parental Support Courses which are on offer in Shropshire this term. For further details please contact Shropshire Parenting Team: Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk or 01743 250950

#### UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD GROUP

This group is co-facilitated with We Are With You and the group is aimed at parents/carers who need support with parenting and alcohol or drug misuse are a challenge. This group is a pilot and has come from feedback that parents/carers would like to be in a group setting where their challenges are understood This group runs for 10 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays. The group starts on Wednesday 18th January 2023 in Shrewsbury from 10.00am to 12.00pm

#### ME MY CHILD & DOMESTIC ABUSE GROUP

This group is co-facilitated with Shropshire Domestic Abuse Service. The group is aimed at female survivors of domestic abuse who would like to understand more about the impact on their children's development and behaviour and how they can support their children's needs and development. This group runs for 11 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays. The group starts on Thursday 12th January 2023 in Shrewsbury from 10.00am to 12.00pm

#### SLEEP TIGHT WORKSHOP

Support to help your child sleep and establish bedtime routines and the opportunity to meet other parents with the same challenges. The workshop is delivered virtually via MS TEAMS. Our workshop runs for 5 weeks from the start date excluding school holidays. Starting Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2023 from 12.30pm to 2.30pm.

#### UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD GROUP

Wednesday 18th January 2023 The group runs for 10 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays 9.30am to 11.30am Market Drayton Infant School Longslow Road, Market Drayton, Shropshire, TF9 3BA

### **WORKING ON YOUR RELATIONSHIP**

Relationships can be difficult, complicated, fun, satisfying, exciting, annoying, bring out the best in us, bring out the worst in us. We are often in one, but we don't often spend much time on them. So here's the chance.

A four week course of 2 hours per session either from Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> January 12.30 - 2.30pm in Shrewsbury or Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 12.30 - 2.30pm in Shrewsbury.