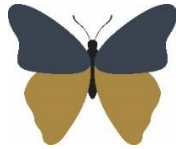


Welshampton Church of England Primary School



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

Newsletter
Friday 17th March 2023

Message from the Head

It was great to have so many join us this morning for our Mother's Day Service at Church. The children really enjoyed sharing the occasion with you and seeing them enjoying their performances was a joy.

Boys Football



The boys in year 5&6 enjoyed learning football skills this week which led to a mini tournament with three other local schools. A special mention to Alex who was spotted by staff at Lakelands for his wonderful teamwork and enthusiasm. He was presented with a badge.



Girls Football



Despite the awful weather last week, our girls still had fun on International Woman's Day! They showed resilience, determination and great sportsmanship or should I say great sportswomanship!

Small Schools' Cross Country at Clive

A message from Clive, for all those attending the Small Schools' Cross Country Event:

A reminder about parking considerably and legally in the village. We have no car park so rely on goodwill of residents to be patient on this one day a year when parking can be a little dubious. The first race is scheduled to commence at 1030am. There is a fun run after the final race (to allow time for the intricate calculations to be made for winning teams and certificates to be written up) so we should be all finished by 1245ish at the latest.

ActivSports Football Camp

Activsports will be running a 4-day Football camp/holiday club during the first week of Easter at St Peters Primary School in Wem. This is open to children in school years 1 - 6, attending any school.

Dates: Monday 3rd - Thursday 6th April 2023

Link - <https://forms.office.com/r/9mtBCx2kSM>

Available days and times:

Monday 3rd April - 8:15am - 3:15pm available

Tuesday 4th April - 8:15am - 5:00pm available

Wednesday 5th April - 9:00am - 5:50pm available

Thursday 6th April - 8:15am - 3:15pm available

Shropshire Goes Cashless

Shropshire Council is preparing to become a cashless council. The intention is to make the switch to being 'cashless' on 1 April 2023, when the council will no longer accept payments for services in cash.

From 1 April 2023 all payments for our school will need to be made via Eduspot.co.uk/schoolmoney or you can bring your debit/credit card to school reception and we will process your payment for you.

We will no longer accept cash after 31st March 2023.

Please can we ask that all outstanding dinner money and club money is fully paid up by 31st March 2023 due to financial year end.

If you are having any problems with your login, please contact the school office.



Class Dojo Update

Individual Top 3 Dojo Weekly Winners

Oak: Millie, Lilly and Robin
Beech: Will, Jonny and Jack
Willow: Zac, Elara and Adam

Weekly House Dojo Points

Brimstone 474
Grayling 450
Peacock 456

Attendance

| Willow | Beech | Oak | School |
|--------|-------|-----|--------|
| 94% | 100% | 98% | 97% |

Our school target for 2023 is 97%
so very well done!

Outside Achievements

We would like to say how proud we are of Aaron and Euan for their mention of thanks on the Ellesmere Community News Facebook group page for clearing people's driveways of snow.

Shining Stars of the Week

Love

Willow: Year 1 children for working so hard on their assessments

Beech: Theo O for his love of writing. Theo wrote a wonderful piece of descriptive writing about his 'Snow day!'

Oak: Aaron for being a fantastic member of Oak Class this week

Headteacher's Award

This week it goes to the wonderful Staff Team we have at Welshampton. All our staff work with such enthusiasm, dedication and love for the children it really is infectious and helps create a really special atmosphere and nurturing culture at Welshampton in which children can thrive. A huge thank you to all of you.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Yours sincerely,
Mr Ben Crompton.

Spring Term Key Dates

23rd March Beech Class Worship at Church
9:00am (Parents Welcome)
24th March Inspired by Oak Class
2.00pm (Parents Welcome)
30th March Inspired by Beech Class
2:00pm (Parents Welcome)
31st March Easter Service
9.15am (Parents Welcome)