



Wisbech St Mary CE Academy Newsletter

5th November 2018

Fireworks Spectacular



Thank you to everyone who helped, came along, or supported us in any way on Saturday night. It was an awesome night with approximately 3,000 attending. The fireworks were, as always, breathtaking.

We made a massive profit in excess of

£7,500!!!

Well done to our fabulous PTFA for organising and running this event which will benefit every child in our school.

Cinema Trips

On Thursday and Friday we are taking part in the largest youth film festival in the world!! On Thursday Godfrey, Mowbray and Octavia will go to the Light to see 'The Big, Bad Fox and Other Tales', and on Friday Clarkson, Peckover and Awdry will go to see 'Goosebumps 2: Haunted Halloween'. Thank you to the PTFA for paying 50% of the coach costs.



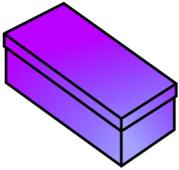
Cold Weather

The Weather has definitely taken a wintery turn with chilly, damp days. Please make sure your child has the appropriate clothing (hat, coat, gloves etc) and that everything is named.

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Attendance

The attendance awards for week ending 19th October were announced in collective worship on Friday. Well done to Mowbray Class for achieving a fabulous 100%, closely followed by Clarkson with 99.6% and Peckover with 97.8%. The 100% attendance pencil for the week was awarded to Emily in Awdry Class.



Our year to date % currently 96.3% which is good.

Shoebbox Appeal

We are again helping the Wisbech Rotary Club with their shoebbox appeal. The shoeboxes are filled and distributed to children who would not otherwise receive a Christmas gift. We would like donations of toys - cars, balls, action figures, colouring books, pens, pencils, lego blocks, yo-yos, bubble blowers, pencil case, harmonica, cards, skipping rope etc. Also hats, scarves, gloves, socks, football memorabilia, deodorant (not aerosol), brush/comb etc.

For babies baby wipes, baby toiletries, booties, mitts, blanket etc.

Remember that we have to fit these items into a shoebox so smaller items please.



Children in Need

We are taking part in Children in Need on Friday 16th November. On that day children can come to school dressed as their 'hero'. This could be a real life hero, e.g. grandad, Florence Nightingale or a soldier, or as a fictional hero such as Superman or Mary Poppins. There will be a prize for the most imaginative look!

From Wednesday we will be selling Pudsey and Blush headbands and pinbadges.

Pinbadges are £1 and headbands £2.50. We also have wristbands for £1.

Donations of cakes on the day please which will be sold at breaktime and after school.

School Photographs

Tempest Photography will be in school on Monday 19th November to take pictures of individual children and family groups. If you would like preschool children included with siblings please come to the school hall at 8.30am on the 19th November. Please send your child in school uniform/colours, and there will be no sensory circuits on the 19th November.



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Diary Dates

Wednesday 7th Nov	Parent Consultations 3.30pm to 7pm
Thursday 8th Nov	Parent Consultations 3.30 to 5.00pm
Thursday 8th Nov	Godfrey, Mowbray and Octavia to Light Cinema
Friday 9th Nov	Clarkson, Peckover and Awdry to Light Cinema
Friday 16th Nov	Children in Need
Monday 19th Nov	Individual School photos
Tuesday 20th Nov	Peckover Family Café 9.00am
Wednesday 21st Nov	Godfrey Family Café 9.00am
Tuesday 27th Nov	Mowbray Family Café 9.00am
Tuesday 4th Dec	Octavia Family Café 9.00am
Wednesday 5th Dec	Christingle in Church 9.00am
Friday 7th Dec	Christmas Fair in school hall from 3.15pm
Thursday 6th Dec	Octavia visit to Gressenhall museum
Tuesday 11th Dec	Christmas lunch in school
Thursday 13th Dec	Nativity - Hudson, Godfrey and Mowbray 2pm and 6pm
Tuesday 18th Dec	Carol Service in church 6.00pm
Wednesday 19th Dec	School closes for Christmas break
Monday 7th January	Children return to school for Spring Term

SATs for Year 6 will take place week commencing Monday 13th May

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