



## Warmingham CE Primary School

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School Diary for the  
Week Beginning: **31<sup>st</sup>**  
**August**

### **Monday**

Summer Holidays

### **Tuesday**

INSET Day

### **Wednesday**

INSET Day

### **Thursday**

Children back  
Squirrels & Badgers PE

### **Friday**

Music with Mrs Henry  
Choir



Seb, Oscar C, Oscar B,  
Ellie, Rogan C, James,  
Ronnie, Harry T, Ted H,  
Aria, Olivia, Georgie

## *‘Let Your Light Shine’*

*Matthew 5:16*

As expected, today has been an emotional one as we said goodbye to our wonderful Year 6 children. They are a truly amazing group of young people who have brought so much joy, laughter, kindness and leadership to our school family. Emily, Rogan, Oscar, Seb, Ethan, Henry, Lydia, Skyler and James will be deeply missed by both children and staff alike.

Thank you to those of you who were able to join us for our Leavers' Service this morning. Despite our best efforts to keep the occasion uplifting, there were certainly a few tears along the way.

The service was a beautiful reflection of everything our Year 6 children have brought to Warmingham. Through readings, reflections and musical performances, the children looked back on their journey and shared the memories, friendships and experiences that have helped shape them into the young people they are today. A particularly special moment was the song performed by Key Stage 2. What made this performance even more meaningful was that our Year 6 children wrote the lyrics themselves, creating a heartfelt tribute to their time at Warmingham and the memories they will take with them as they move on to the next chapter of their lives.

Hedgehogs and Squirrels Class also delighted the congregation with two inspiring musical performances. *The Journey* reminded us that life is full of twists and turns, but that God is always there to guide and support us along the way. Hedgehogs Class then shared a special musical farewell. Over recent weeks, the children have been learning to play the harmonica and exploring the sounds of the 12-bar blues. Their song celebrated the wonderful memories made together, the friendships they treasure, and the exciting journeys that lie ahead, providing a cheerful and heartfelt goodbye. If you missed these wonderful performances, look out for videos on our Facebook page.

As part of the service, each Year 6 child also wrote a letter of thanks to Warmingham and shared many of the memories they will cherish forever. Their words were filled with gratitude for the staff who have supported them, the friendships they have built and the opportunities they have been given. They spoke about woodland adventures, fascinating study themes, worship, leadership roles, residential visits and unforgettable trips.

Until you spread  
your wings  
you have no idea  
how far you'll fly.



One of my favourite quotes is: *You'll never know how high you can fly until you spread your wings and fly.* For our Year 6 children, that time has now come. They leave us with strong foundations, wonderful memories and bright futures ahead of them. We are incredibly proud of every single one of them and wish them every success and happiness as they begin the next stage of their journey. It is now their time to spread their wings and fly.

Alongside our farewells, we also celebrated our annual ***Let Your Light Shine – Star of the Year*** awards.

These awards are always one of the highlights of our end-of-year celebrations. Each class teacher carefully chooses one child who has consistently demonstrated our vision and values throughout the year. The awards recognise far more than academic achievement; they celebrate kindness, service, determination, resilience, friendship, compassion and the unique contribution each child makes to our school family:

## *Let Your Light Shine – Ours Stars of the Year:*

**Reception – Alfie**, whose kindness, honesty, compassion and unwavering commitment to doing his very best have made him a wonderful role model throughout the year. Alfie consistently demonstrates our Christian values in everything he does, approaching school life with enthusiasm, determination and a mature attitude. He is a thoughtful, caring and dependable friend who always looks out for others and helps everyone feel included. He also takes great pride in caring for his learning environment and has become known as Reception's "best tidier", always helping to keep the classroom organised and welcoming.

**Year 1 – Jacob**, whose perseverance, hard work, joy and curiosity have brought energy and enthusiasm to every day. Jacob's positive outlook and love of learning have helped make the classroom a wonderful place to be. He approaches challenges with determination and has shown tremendous growth throughout the year, always striving to do his best whilst encouraging others to do the same.

**Year 2 – Arthur**, whose friendship, kindness and thoughtful nature have brought warmth and happiness to the classroom. Arthur's quiet curiosity and gentle character have been a joy to see. He is always ready to offer a helping hand or a kind word to a friend and exemplifies the caring and supportive relationships we value so highly at Warmingham.

**Year 3 – Olivia**, whose compassion, positivity and determination to be the very best version of herself allow her light to shine brightly in all that she does. Olivia consistently demonstrates our Christian values through her kindness, enthusiasm and caring nature. She embraces challenges with confidence, encourages those around her and brightens our school community each day with her joyful spirit and positive attitude.

**Year 4 – Roslyn**, whose creativity, resilience and determination have enabled her to achieve great things whilst inspiring others around her. Roslyn consistently strives to do her very best, approaching every challenge with perseverance and a positive mindset. Her creativity shines through in all she does, and she has regularly gone above and beyond with outstanding homework projects that have enriched and supported our study themes.

**Year 5 – Charlotte**, whose dedication, perseverance and pride in her learning have seen her make tremendous progress throughout the year. Charlotte consistently gives her very best in everything she is asked to do and approaches her learning with determination and resilience. Her commitment to improvement has been particularly evident in the effort she has put into developing her handwriting, which is now truly beautiful.

**Year 6 – Rogan**, whose outstanding service, leadership and commitment as Head Pupil have made him an exceptional role model for younger children. Throughout the year, Rogan has demonstrated dedication, responsibility and a genuine commitment to serving our school community. Alongside excelling in his leadership role, he has consistently shown hard work and perseverance in his learning, frequently going above and beyond and exemplifying what it means to let his light shine.

We were also delighted to present three very special whole-school awards.

The **Shining Light Award** was presented to **Emily** for letting her light shine brightly every single day. Through her kindness, positivity and warm smile, Emily brings joy to everyone around her and lights up our school simply by being herself.

The **Katy Lee Service to Learning Award** was awarded to **Freddy** in recognition of the exceptional progress he has made this year. Through resilience, determination and tremendous effort, he has overcome challenges and made outstanding strides in his learning.

The **Richardson's Perseverance Award** was presented to **Lydia**, who has shown remarkable determination over the last few years, continually striving to improve and never giving up. Her commitment and resilience are an inspiration to us all.

Every one of these children reflects our vision of ***Let Your Light Shine*** in their own unique way. They remind us that success is measured not only by achievement, but also by kindness, character, service and the positive difference we make to the lives of others. We are incredibly proud of them all.

Today we also said goodbye to two of our youngest members of the school family – Bailey and Raeven. Although you may not have been with us for very long, you have certainly become part of our Warmingham family and you will be missed. You too have an exciting adventure ahead as you begin your journey at big school. Good luck.

As we bring another year to a close, I would like wish you all a happy, restful and safe summer holiday. Spend time with those you love, make precious memories together and enjoy every moment. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on **Thursday 3rd September**.



1st September – INSET Day  
2nd September – INSET Day  
3rd September – Children return to school  
9th September – New Parents BBQ 5pm  
11th September – Y6 Bikeability  
14th September – Meet the Teacher Meetings 3:30pm and 4pm

**New dates or changes to previously advertised dates are shown in bold**