

## Wardley CE Primary School

# 'With God's love we can do all things' Newsletter

## **Autumn Term Dates**

24.10.2025

#### **NOVEMBER**

03.11.25: School closed for staff INSET training day.

04.11.25: Pupils back to school on Tuesday 4th

November

06.11.25: Ethos Committee Meeting 2:30om

10.11.24: National Anti-Bullying Week: wear odd socks

to school

10.11.25: Antibullying Performance from the B Tales

KS2 children

10.11.25: Autumn term parents' evening: 3.30 – 6pm.

11.11.25: Remembrance Day Worship in school and

11am respectful silence.

14.11.25: Children In Need fund raising – non-uniform

day.

17.11.25: Autumn term parents' evening: 3.30 – 6pm.

20.11.25 - Individual photos in school

24.11.25: Governor visits in school

26.11.25: Y5 class visit to All Saints Church morning

service -10am.

**DECEMBER** 

09.12.25: 9am - Nursery Christmas Show: 2:30pm -

**Reception Class Christmas Show** 

10.12.25: 9am - Y3 Christmas Show: 2:30pm - Y4

**Christmas Show** 

11.12.25: 9am - Y6 Christmas Show: 2:30pm - Y5

**Christmas Show** 

12.12.25: Christmas Jumper Day – Christmas Dinner Day

15.12 25: EYFS & KS1 Christmas Party Day

17.12.25: KS2 Christmas Party Day

18.12.25: Christmas Panto in school - Last Day!

What a fun few days we have had! Earlier this week, the children enjoyed meeting BT who is the Beat The Streets mascot! He visited all of the children in their classroom and lots of high fives were given!

Last night we enjoyed our first Autumn discos in many years. The children all looked fantastic in their party clothes and costumes and I think that the huge smiles on their faces made it clear how much fun they had. Thank you for supporting this event and for your positive comments and well-wishes to staff. I would also like to personally thank the staff for staying behind to help host these events.

And finally, today saw everyone in their red clothing for dyslexia awareness. It was fun to see a sea of red in this morning's collective worship rather than a sea of navy blue! Everyone looked lovely in their own-clothes and I hope it helped them feel a bit more relaxed as we approach the end of a very long half term!

#### **Football Report**

Both our Year 6 boys' and girls' teams were in league action this week, showing fantastic effort and spirit throughout their matches.

The girls played their games in truly torrential conditions but didn't let the weather dampen their enthusiasm (well, there may have been one or two comments about the rain!). They played four games with great teamwork, determination, and smiles all round. They were an absolute joy to watch and referee. A special mention goes to Amelia D, who scored our only goal with an absolute thunderbolt!

The boys faced a very strong St. Charles side and, although the score didn't go our way, the team showed incredible effort and sportsmanship. Every player worked tirelessly, and never stopping running for the full hour.

#### **Autumn Disco**

My ears are still ringing! But it was all worth it to see just how excited the children were and what fun they had. They all looked absolutely amazing in their fancy costumes, smart clothing and party dresses. I know from the many comments made by parents and children just how much they enjoyed it. We will hopefully organise another disco later in the school year.

#### **Poppy Appeal**

We will continue to sell items from The Royal British Legion when we return after half term. Children can bring in money to buy poppies (50p), reflective poppies (£1.00), bracelets (£1.50) and snapbands (£1.50). Please send money inside a labelled envelope as our Y6 children organise it all. Details on the envelope should be as follows: Name, class, item(s) required, money included.

Thank you for all the support you have already given to this appeal.

#### **Selection Box Appeal**

A friend of mine is a counsellor who works for the child trauma unit at St Mary's Hospital. She has asked if we could collect any donations of Christmas selection boxes for them to hand out over the Christmas period to children who arrive on their ward. As I am sure you can appreciate, anyone who needs attend this ward will have suffered a great deal so if we can spread just a little bit of happiness and care, we will. So, if you're out shopping and are willing to buy and donate a selection box, we would very much appreciate it. All donations can be handed in to the class teacher, the school office or to me directly. Thank you!

#### **Homework Project**

It has been a real pleasure to see the wonderful creations made for the homework projects this half term. I cannot believe the amount of effort that has gone into them and just how fabulous they look. It has been a such a lovely experience to visit the classrooms and have a look at all their hard work. I know that the teachers wanted me to pass on their thanks for your support.

#### Reminders from the office .....

When we return it will be week 2 on the dinner menu. Dinner money is £8.40 and is due on Tuesday morning (4<sup>th</sup> Nov)

### Our Christian values and thoughtful time .....

#### **Collective Worship Theme – Justice**

We finalised our learning about Justice this week and the children reflected on what it means to be fair. The Y6 worship leaders did a great job reading some of the responses from each class's Thoughtful Books and their comments demonstrated just how much they had understood from our collective worship this half term.

#### **Home Worship Books**

As always, we had a wonderful range of artwork and posters in the children's home Worship Books this week. It was very difficult to choose a winner but Esse in Y2 got to take Sammy with her this week for her wonderful work on Justice. It was also wonderful to hear a special prayer written by Rueben in Y2.

Have a wonderful weekend & God Bless you all Mrs Walker