



# Weekly Newsletter

Living to Learn, Learning to Live



## REACH FOR THE STARS

16.09.22

### KEY DATES

**29.09.22** - It's Your Child's Life Course, every Thursday for six weeks (See Miss Moore for more details)

**30.09.22** - MacMillan Coffee Morning

**04.10.22** - Parents' Nurturing Course, every Tuesday for ten weeks (See Miss Moore for more details)

**05.10.22** - 4EB Trip to Grosvenor Museum

**07.10.22** - 4CL Trip to Grosvenor Museum

**19.10.22** - RGG Reading Meeting

**20.10.22** - RJP Reading Meeting

**21.10.22** - Finish for Half Term

**31.10.22** - Return to school for Autumn 2

**07.12.22** - 6HB Trip to Tatton Park

**08.12.22** - 6KJ Trip to Tatton Park

**09.12.22** - Christmas Jumper Day

**21.12.22** - Finish for Christmas at 2pm

It may only have been a four-day week, but as always we have packed lots into it! Our Year Group Twitter pages are a fantastic way to see what your child has been up to in school - please follow us for lots of exciting updates!

**Whole-school page - @WellesbourneSch**

Nursery - @WellesbourneNur

Reception - @WellesbourneRec

Y1 - @WellesbourneYr1

Y2 - @WellesYear2

Y3 - @WellesbourneYr3

Y4 - @WellesbourneYr4

Y5 - @WellesbourneYr5

Y6 - @Yr6Wellesbourne

**Well done to Emmanuel, Darcy, Luis and Jess from Y4 who were chosen to have lunch with Miss Moore this week thanks to their excellent behaviour.**

They had lots of fun finding out interesting facts about each other whilst having lunch. Remember - the lunchtime staff are always looking out for good behaviour and children following our school values. Miss Moore can't wait to see who will be eating with her next week!

**We have two FREE courses for parents starting at Wellesbourne.**

**It's Your Child's Life** will run every Thursday for Reception parents from 29/09/22 9.00-11.00am and the **Parents' Nurturing Course** will run every Tuesday from 04/10/22 9.00-11.30am. Refreshments provided - please see Miss Moore if you are interested!

**Miss Howard**

Effort



Cooperate



### THIS WEEK IN PSHE

This week in PSHE, we have continued to think about relationships, with a focus this week on family relationships. We have looked at the different kinds of families they are, what makes a family and the importance of looking after our family members. We have also continued to focus on our value for this half term, RESPECT. The children have been working hard to show this value and impress their teachers!



### Year One Phonics

#### This week in Phonics

This week in Phonics, Year 1 have been focusing on the following Phase 3 sounds:

'igh' - light, bright, night

'oa' - float, goat, coat

'oo' - book, cook, look

We have also been learning the tricky words 'he', 'me', 'we', 'be' and 'she'. The 'e' in this word makes an 'ee' sound - try to remember this when reading!

Can you find any of these words or sounds in your home reader? When you are out and about, see if you can spot these words around you - e.g. in shops, on your way to school etc.

### ATTENDANCE is one of our school values

As a school we are striving to achieve at least 97% attendance each week. Attendance this week has not hit this target - please ensure your child is in school, every day, next week.

#### YEAR TO DATE - 94.6%

Tuesday - 95.2%

Wednesday - 95.0%

Thursday - 94.6%

Friday - 91.8%

**CHAMPIONS BREAKFAST WINNERS:**  
2MB and 3OK with a fantastic 100% attendance this week!  
**Well done!**

Attend



Honest

## CURRICULUM CORNER

### This Week's Subject: Science

Through Science our pupils develop an understanding of the world by exploring concepts which link to biology, chemistry and physics. We encourage our children to see how Science has changed the world and continues to do so. We hope to raise aspirations and develop a natural curiosity, encouraging them to explore the world with excitement and awe.

This week, Year 1 have been considering how animals are grouped and have looked at the characteristics of mammals. They are working with independence and confidence, settling into Key Stage 1 as superb learners already!



Year 6 have been looking at how their bodies work and have been having lots of fun in learning about how the circulatory system works. We can't wait to see some more super Science work in the coming months.

Keep an eye on Twitter @WellesbourneSch as well as our individual year group feeds to see more of our learning!

## TTRS AND NUMBOTS WINNERS THIS WEEK

### TTRS

**Most correct answers:** Mayel M Y6 - 3,271

**Most coins:** Aaron D Y6 - 15,905

**Improved speed:** Riley H Y6 - Improved by 2.41 seconds

**Fastest all-time speed:** Luca E Y4 - 0.72 seconds

### Numbots

**Minutes played:** Charlie R Y2 - 52 minutes

**Correct answers:** Belal A Y5 - 298

**Most coins:** Neveah NG Y6 - 2,461

Respect



### Reading Recommendation

Charlotte from 6KJ recommends 'The Doomsday Watchers' by Steve Barlow and Steve Skidmore

'This is the sequel to The Doomsday Virus. I've only read this book out of the whole series; not reading the first book gives more suspense as you are trying to figure out why Tim Corder (the main character) is being chased down by the C.S.A., and are excited to see whether he will be caught or not. I found this book full of suspense and I couldn't put it down.'



### Y6 Computing

This week, Year 6 had a visit from the owner of Chester's Bakehouse, who came in to give them a brief to design a website for the bakery. The children had some great questions and are eager to start designing!



### NEW for 2022-23 - Talent Spot!

This year, we have introduced a new 'Talent Spot' segment to our KS2 Praise Assemblies. Each week, an act from Y3-6 will have the chance to perform in assembly for the rest of the key stage. This can be anything from singing or dancing to playing a musical instrument or showing off a particular sports skill. Children who would like to take part can practise their talent on a Thursday lunchtime with Miss Moore.

This week, we launched Talent Spot with two acts from Y6, who did a fantastic job! Pixie and Harper performed a superb dance routine in which they demonstrated teamwork and skill. It was evident how hard they have worked to practise and ensure they were in time with each other!



Coco performed Moonbeam on the piano, a piece from her Grade 4 ABRSM exam. She showed fantastic talent and made us very proud!



### MacMillan Coffee Morning

Please join us on **Friday 30th September** to support MacMillan Coffee Morning at Wellesbourne. Breakfast items, drinks, cakes and fruit will be available to buy at the front of school when parents drop their children off in the morning.

**WORLD'S BIGGEST  
COFFEE  
MORNING**