

## Weekly Newsletter Living to Learn, Learning to Live



### REACH FOR THE STARS

16.06.23

## KEY DATES

**W/C 26.06.23** - Y6 Activity Week

**26.06.23 9:15am** - Nursery Family Assembly (Start of the Week/ AM children)

**29.06.23 2:30pm** - 3OK Stay and Learn

29.06.23 2:30pm - Nursery Family Assembly (End of the Week/ PM children)

**05.07.23 9:10am** - Y1 Family Assembly

**06.07.23** - Y6 Transition Day to new schools. Children in N-Y5 to also meet their new class teacher

**07.07.23** - Reports to go out (TBC)

**10.07.23 9:30am** - Y5 WSC Award Assembly

**13.07.23 9:10am** - EYFS/KS1 Presentation Assembly

**14.07.23 9:10am** - KS2 Presentation Assembly

**17.07.23 9:10am** - Y6 Leavers Assembly

**19.07.23** - Finish for Summer Holidays at 2pm

#### **Dear Parents and Carers**

This week, we held our KS2 Sports Day at St. John Bosco. It was a fantastic day - the children were extremely well-behaved and showed great sportsmanlike attitudes! A huge thank you to Mr Canning and Coach Brian for organising the day, and to St. John Bosco for hosting us!

See Twitter for lots of pictures!

This week, we have also welcomed back Miss Rose from her Maternity Leave! She will be teaching RJP until the end of the year. Mrs Power has now moved to teach 2MB until the end of the year as Miss Barton has started her Maternity Leave. Good luck Miss Barton - we can't wait to hear about your new arrival!



#### Whole-school page - @WellesbourneSch

Nursery - @WellesbourneNur Reception - @WellesbourneRec

Y1 - @WellesbourneYr1 Y2 - @WellesYear2

Y3 - @WellesbourneYr3 Y4 - @WellesbourneYr4

Y5 - @WellesbourneYr5 Y6 - @Yr6Wellesbourne

Have a lovely weekend!





#### THIS WEEK IN PSHE

This term in PSHE we are looking at Health and Wellbeing. This week, we have focused on physical and emotional changes as we grow, as well as personal hygiene. We have also began to talk to the children about the upcoming transition to their new year group and new class.







#### **Year 1 Phonics**

This week in Phonics, Year 1 have been looking at alternative sounds for graphemes.

We have looked at 'ea' making a short 'e' sound. This can be seen in words such as 'bread', 'breakfast', 'treadmill' and 'head'.

We have also looked at 'y' making the short 'igh' sound. This can be seen in words such as 'fly', 'sky', 'reply' and 'try'.

Can you read this sentence?

The fly in the sky had bread on his head.

#### ATTENDANCE is one of our school values

As a school we are striving to achieve at least 97% attendance each week. Wednesday is the closest we have gotten to this this week, however we have not hit our target on any day. Please ensure your child is in school, on time, every day. We cannot teach them if they are not here!

**YEAR TO DATE - 92.3%** 

Monday - 90.6% Tuesday - 90.3% Wednesday - 92.8% Thursday - 91.8% Friday - 92.2%

No classes this week achieved 97% attendance, so there were no Champions Breakfast winners.



#### **CURRICULUM CORNER**



#### This Week's Subject: Design Technology (DT)

In DT, children have the opportunity to research, practise skills, plan and make a range of products meeting the requirements of a design brief. They then reflect on this learning to evaluate their project and consider changes they may make in the future. Our DT lessons incorporate a range of areas, including Structures and Mechanisms, Food Technology, Electricity and Textiles.

Year 6 have been working hard on a range of Design Technology skills! Over the past few weeks, they have focused on Food Technology, making a three-course meal from scratch (and even doing the washing up!).











They have also focused on their Electricity unit, which involved creating a battery-operated fairground ride. Thank you to the parents who assisted with this!

#### **Strike Days and Transition**

This week, two more strike days were announced by the NEU Teaching Union. These are due to take place **Wednesday 5th** and **Friday 7th July**. This affects transition, as our Year 6 children were due to spend the day in their new high schools on Wednesday 5th July. We had also planned for our Reception-Y5 children to spend some time with their new teacher on this day. **Transition has now been moved to Thursday 6th July.** 

We will send information next week regarding which classes will be closed on Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th. If your child's class is open, they must attend school.

# TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

#### TTRS AND NUMBOTS WINNERS THIS WEEK

#### **TTRS**

Most correct answers: Jimmy C Y5 - 2,125

Most coins: Jimmy C Y5 - 13,198 Improved speed: N/A this week

Fastest all-time speed: Luca E Y4 – 0.81 seconds

#### **Numbots**

Most minutes played: Charlie R Y2 - 49 minutes

Correct answers: Lucy F YR - 114 Most coins: Riley B Y3 - 1,015



## NUMBOTS

#### **Reading Recommendation**

Year 2 recommend 'Oi Frog!' by Kes Gray.

Year 2 love this book so much that they have read all of the other 'Oi!' books in the series! They love how it rhymes and how funny it is!











