

8th October 2021



Wheelock
Primary School



NEWSLETTER

Harvest Festival

Thank you to everyone that has begun to bring in their harvest donations for The Sandbach food bank. From Monday we are collecting all week so please give as much as you can. The project across the trust has also hit the local news so head to Crewe Nub News to read more about the project.

<https://crewe.nub.news/n/crewe-and-shavington-food-banks-to-get-a-boost-from-pupil39s-harvest-festival-donations>

Thank you again.

Mrs Davenport

Parking

Please can all parents remember to park respectfully along Crewe Road.

Please don't:

- Block the road - emergency vehicles and other traffic may need access
- Park on yellow lines, zig-zags or block the school entrance
- Park on the pavement, across dropped kerbs or residents' driveways
- Park opposite or within 10 metres of a junction
- Park where you will cause inconvenience to other road users
- Leave your vehicle with the engine still running
- Stop in the middle of the road to drop your child off, even for a few seconds.

The Traffic Warden was in the area this morning, issuing tickets and will be doing so on a regular basis going forward.

Please click the link for further information on safe parking:

<https://www.gov.uk/browse/driving/highway-code-road-safety>

Class News

Penguins and Puffins

This week has been full packed with lots of exciting activities to share with the children.

We began the week with Harvest, learning about our school project to donate to the Sandbach Food bank, singing Harvest songs, which the children loved and finally enjoying a video made by Wheelock Baptist church. This explained Harvest and shared the story of feeding the 5000 and a fun song.

The children then learnt how to say Hello in lots of different languages from around the world. Lots of children also learnt some new ways to say hello and shared this with the class through Tapestry.

We enjoyed National Poetry day and sang nursery rhymes, had a very tasty treat lunch and then created some art work to decorate the poems created by the rest of the school.

We finally ended the week with anti-bullying awareness. We talked about who could help us if we needed support and listed 5 different people we can turn to at home and school.

We also enjoyed making chopped up sentences for our literacy and counting and making 5 in lots of different ways.

Owls, Woodpeckers and Robins

In Owls, Woodpeckers and Robins the children have been working so hard in Maths. They have been looking at adding and subtracting and practising using many methods. A highlight of the week was when some of the children mastered using the column method, they were so proud of themselves. In Literacy the children have finished writing their stories and then they moved on to writing 'Spooky Riddles'. The children made excellent word choices and then used these words to form clues. The Teachers brought a new friend to school to help with the riddle. Ask the children about Winnie!!!! In Science this week, the children worked on completing an investigation on the properties of materials. During the afternoon the children looked at the life in a Victorian school. They were so shocked when they saw a photo of a classroom and commented how different it looks to theirs! This week the children started making a Harvest card. They used different fruits and vegetables to print using paint. Well done everyone, another great week.

Sandpipers, Swans and Kingfishers

This week waterbirds have started their new Literacy unit learning all about newspaper reports. They have enjoyed themselves in role-play activities to retell the story of 'The Whale' and have been learning some new vocabulary that they can use when reporting on a story. In maths, we have been working hard on using a range of methods for subtraction. The children have been securing their learning on how

to use partitioning and column subtraction. In topic, the children learnt all about different aspects of an Anglo-Saxon village and inside their home. Linking to Anglo-Saxon crosses, the children have started their design sketches on patterns that they will eventually be creating out of cardboard in a few weeks' time. The children participated in both anti-bullying and harvest activities as well this week. Waterbirds identified 5 people they can go to if they feel like they are being bullied. Finally, it was also National Poetry Day this week. The children created kennings, limericks and acrostic poems.

Year 3 & 4 TT Rockstars Competition:

And the winner is.....

Sandpipers

Eagles, Hawks and Kestrels

A great week for Year 5/6. We have continued to work on developing our language for our formal report in literacy. In maths, we have moved onto common multiples, common factors and prime numbers with year 6, and refining our addition and subtraction skills with word problems in year 5. The children in Eagles and Hawks have completed their exercise investigation in science, whereas Kestrels are now experts with the digestive system. This week we have considered the Holy Trinity in RE, alongside learning about harvest. The children really enjoyed some class favourite harvest songs! We have now learnt lots of French to describe our family members - maybe the children can share this at home. This week we have started to set our TT Rockstars battles. Year 5 and 6 are working hard to see who will be crowned this week's champions.

Praise

CLASS	NAME	ANIMAL	REASON
PENGUINS	PIPER		FOR ALWAYS HAVING A LOVELY POSITIVE POLITE ATTITUDE WITH STAFF AND CHILDREN
PUFFINS	NYLA		FOR FANTASTIC READING OF HER BOOK AND CHALLENGING HERSELF TO LOOK CLOSELY AT THE BOOK TO FIND MORE INFORMATION FROM THE PICTURES
ROBINS	MARCO		FOR SHOWING KINDNESS AND GENEROSITY TO HIS WHOLE CLASS
ROBINS	HOLLY		FOR FANTASTIC CREATIVE LANGUAGE WHEN WRITING A SPOOKY RIDDLE
OWLS	MIA		FOR SHOWING KINDNESS AND GENEROSITY TO HER WHOLE CLASS
OWLS	JASMINE		FOR SHOWING CREATIVITY AND INDEPENDENCE WHEN WRITING A SPOOKY RIDDLE
WOODPECKERS	QUINN		FOR SHOWING KINDNESS AND GENEROSITY TO HER WHOLE CLASS
WOODPECKERS	ARNIE		FOR WORKING HARD AND TRYING HIS BEST ALL WEEK

SWANS TEACHERS AWARD	LOUIS		FOR SUPER PROGRESS IN HIS MATHEMATICS AND ALWAYS TAKING ON NEW CHALLENGES
SWANS CHILDREN'S AWARD	ASHLEIGH	NO OUT STIGERS	FOR BEING A FANTASTIC TALK PARTNER THIS WEEK
SANDPIPERS TEACHER'S AWARD	LUNA		FOR WORKING HARD AND MAKING A HUGE IMPROVEMENT IN HER HANDWRITING. I'M VERY PROUD OF HER.
SANDPIPERS CHILDREN'S AWARD	PIPPA	NO OUT STIGERS	FOR ALWAYS BEING THERE FOR HER FRIENDS AND GREETING THEM WITH A SMILE.
KINGFISHERS TEACHER'S AWARD	KAISER		FOR CHALLENGING HIMSELF WHICH HAS RESULTED IN MOVING UP TWO LEVELS IN READING AND PRODUCING BEAUTIFUL CURSIVE HANDWRITING
KINGFISHERS CHILDREN'S AWARD	BILLY	NO OUT STIGERS	FOR BEING A VERY SUPPORTIVE TALK PARTNER
KESTRELS TEACHER'S AWARD	JOE		FOR DEMONSTRATING AN EXCELLENT UNDERSTANDING DURING OUR PURPLE MASH CODING SESSIONS
KESTRELS TEACHER'S AWARD	HERBIE		FOR DEMONSTRATING AN EXCELLENT UNDERSTANDING DURING OUR PURPLE MASH CODING SESSIONS
KESTRELS CHILDREN'S AWARD	HERBIE	NO OUT STIGERS	FOR BEING A RAY OF SUNSHINE
HAWKS TEACHER'S AWARD	JACOB	NO OUT STIGERS	NOT ONLY DID HE SET A GREAT EXAMPLE DURING A GOLDEN MILE RUN IN PE, HE ALSO SUPPORTED OTHERS AND ENCOURAGED PEOPLE TO KEEP GOING UNTIL THE END
HAWKS CHILDREN'S AWARD	CHARLIE		LOTS OF CHILDREN NOMINATED CHARLIE THIS WEEK FOR HIS OUTSTANDING EFFORTS BOTH IN AND OUT OF THE CLASSROOM. HE ALWAYS WORKS HARD, AND THIS WORK SHOWED GREAT PERSEVERANCE DURING OUR PE LESSON
EAGLES TEACHER'S AWARD	ISSY	NO OUT STIGERS	FOR WORKING SO HARD AND SHOWING EVERYONE HER GREAT QUALITIES OF FRIENDSHIP, PERSEVERANCE AND RESILIENCE.
EAGLES CHILDREN'S AWARD	ISABELLA		FOR NOT GIVING UP AND BEING CREATIVE IN HER IDEAS WHEN ARRANGING HER MENTAL HEALTH CHAMPIONS CLUB

The Hive

This week at the Hive the children have continued to make autumn crafts in the Acorns Room for our beautiful Wall display. The hama beads have been very popular once again making colourful giraffes and elephants. It was fun watching the children race round the clock to get them finished in time to take them home. They were very pleased with the finished masterpiece.

Outside, there was much shuffling and jumping through the leaves, listening to the sounds of autumn and enjoying the fresh air. At the same time there were cartwheels, skipping, and running around the track. Ping pong went the ball in a fun game of table tennis, the air full of laughter with the odd joke or two.

Film night this week was "The Fox and the Hound". Enjoyed by many.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend

FOWS NEWSLETTER

Thank you so much to everyone who came to the meeting on Wednesday. It was great to see some new faces and hear lots of fantastic ideas bouncing around. We have lots of exciting plans in the pipeline.

Next on the events calendar is the Disco! We are so pleased to be able to hold them again as it is always a great night. As there are still certain restrictions in place, we are having to split the disco over two nights to keep the numbers down in the school hall. KS2 (Years 3-6) is on Wednesday 20th Oct & KS1 (Reception & years 1 & 2) is on Thursday 21st October. Times and prices are on the attached letter. Please complete the form and return it with the correct money to the FOWS Post-box in the school's main entrance. Closing date is Monday 18th October.

PE Kit stall - We try to have the stall open at least once a week, but this is subject to work commitments & volunteers' availability. If you feel you could help & can spare half an hour each week, please get in touch. The more helpers we have, the more we can be open. Please Email fowscontact@gmail.com¹

Dates for your diary

PE KIT STALL - Monday 11th October - 15.00 -15.30

KS2 DISCO - Wednesday 20th October

KS1 DISCO - Thursday 21st October

Enjoy your weekend.

¹<mailto:fowscontact@gmail.com>



AUTUMN DISCO

KS2

Wednesday 20th October

Year 3&4 4.30-5.30pm

Year 5&6 5.45 - 6.45pm

£2.00*

(The Tuck shop is available: chocolate bars, sweets & crisps all 50p each)

KS1

Thursday 21st October

Reception 4.30 - 5.30pm

Year 1&2 5.45 - 6.45pm

£3.50*

(Price includes chocolate bar & sweets)

* Please can all children bring a drink bottle, unlimited cordial/water refills available

PLEASE COMPLETE & RETURN THE SLIP BELOW IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO THE FOWS POSTBOX WITH CORRECT PAYMENT BY FRIDAY 15th OCTOBER

CHILD'S NAME.....

CLASS.....

YEAR.....

PAYMENT ENCLOSED £.....

For your information:

COVID-19 VACCINATION POP-UP CLINICS

There's no need to book your vaccine just walk-up!

Pfizer BioNTech vaccinations will be available on both days

Date & time	Location
Friday 8th October 10am – 5pm and Saturday 9th October 10am – 5pm	Market Hall, Earle Street, Crewe, CW1 2BL

You will need:

- Your date of birth
- Your address
- An email and phone number

If you know your NHS number please bring it with you, but if you don't - don't worry!

If attending for your second dose please make sure it has been at least 8 weeks since you had your first dose

Young people aged 16 and 17 years are currently being offered a first dose of vaccine only





23RD OCT - 7TH NOV 2021

The spooktacular

PIRATE PUMPKIN Trail

- 👁️ Follow the trail map around the village to find hidden pumpkins
- 👁️ Dare to pass through Ghouls Graveyard
- 👁️ Trail includes a FREE activity pack with all completed trail forms
- 👁️ Great for ages 3 - 11



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No booking required. Any government guidelines regarding Covid-19 must be adhered to when completing this trail.

GIRLS SOCCER SCHOOL

LANDSTROM
COACHING

MONDAY
25th October, 2021
9-3pm

7-12 YEARS
£20

LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE

- TOURNAMENTS
- TECHNIQUE & SKILLS
- SMALL SIDED GAMES
- FUN GAMES
- AGE APPROPRIATE COACHING



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