



Welcome to Winton Primary School

The Winton Warbler

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PFA Update



**Thank
You!**

What a day we had last Friday for the re-arranged Summer Fayre! The small downpour that started as the end-of-day bell sounded had us a little worried, but we were glad it didn't dampen anyone's spirits and I'm sure you will agree it was worth staying for!

So thank you to all those who came, it was lovely to see the playground buzzing. Thank you to the parent & friend helpers who helped with the set-up, serving refreshments and tidying away. And finally, thank you to the teachers who helped run the game stalls, the help was greatly appreciated.

All the money has been counted and the amount we raised from the Fayre was an absolutely

fantastic **£2,568.75!**

This amount will be added to the fundraising pot. We still have a bit of stock left over (mainly drinks cans) which we will be selling in the playground in pop-up stalls which will add to this total. We will let you know when the next sale is planned.



We look forward to bringing you more treats, fun and events in the 2023-2024 school year, but in order to run the events we need as much help as we can get! So don't forget the PFA AGM is being held on Monday 16th October at 6.30pm -at school. Please refer to [last week's newsletter](#) for full informaton, but in summary everyone is welcome! We look forward to seeing as many new and old faces there as possible.

INDIVIDUAL AND SIBLING PHOTOGRAPHS

Next week, on Thursday 5th and Friday 6th October, we have the school photographer coming in to take photos. They will take a photo of each child individually and also sibling groups. On Thursday, they will be taking photos of children in Years 1, 3, 4, 5 & 6 and on Friday it will be Reception, Year 2 and sibling groups.



KS2 Production Club – For children in Years 3, 4 & 5 **Tuesday mornings at 7.45am**

This year we are excited to announce that we will be putting on a school production! It will be open for children in years 3, 4 and 5 and the performance will be at the end of the spring term. The rehearsals will take place in a KS2 Production Club that will take place on Tuesday mornings at 7:45am. This will allow us to use the hall freely.

As the performance approaches we may require extra rehearsals. The main parts will be offered to the Year 5 children by way of auditions. The other children will be involved in singing, dancing and supporting roles. The production we will be doing is The Lion King!

School productions are hugely positive experiences for all involved. As well as giving children the chance to perform, build creativity and confidence; it also provides children with the chance to work as a part a big team to produce something spectacular and exciting.

In order to ensure the success of the production, it is really important that children can commit to the project fully by attending every rehearsal (illness permitting), learning lines and showing a positive and dedicated attitude throughout the rehearsal process.

BOOKINGS WILL OPEN ON SCHOOLCLOUD AT 8PM TONIGHT (FRIDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER) – Look for KS2 Production Club - Years 3 - 5 - Tuesdays at 7.45am - <https://wintonprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Numbers are restricted to 30 spaces in Years 3 & 4 combined and 30 spaces for Year 5

The first session will take place on Tuesday 3rd October at 7.45am, children are to be dropped off on time at the front entrance.



CHILDREN OF ACHIEVEMENT

- During the summer, Margot in 2KL passed her gymnastics awards 4, 5 and 6 and recently received the medals you can see her wearing in her photo! Well done Margot, that's a lot of medals!
- Esme in 3BW has completed her Stage 5 swimming award!

LOST SCOOTER – CAN YOU HELP?

A child rode her scooter to school on Monday and when she went to collect it at the end of the day it was missing. Despite extensive searches across the school site, it has still not turned up. If your child has accidentally taken home a black and red metal stunt scooter that is quote worn with the number 900 and a skull on it, please do return it to school. Thank you.

SITE RULES – REMINDER

Please can we take this opportunity to remind you all of some of the rules and considerations for our school site. These are in place to keep everyone safe and we appreciate your co-operation in supporting them.

- Winton Primary School is a non-smoking site; this includes the use of vapes and e-cigarettes.
- The disabled parking bays in the car park should only be used by those entitled to do so.
- Please do not block the staff car-park in Oswald Close. Staff working on site have their own children to collect from other schools and inconsiderate parking has on occasion meant they've been unable to leave on time.
- Dogs are not permitted anywhere on-site.
- Biking and scooting are not permitted anywhere on site except for the clearly marked cycle lane around the edge of the car-park. Children and adults should walk with their bikes and scooters in all other locations.
- The playground closes promptly when the 3.20pm KS2 bell rings. This is to enable us to secure the school site for the after-school clubs running. Please leave the site as soon as possible to allow us to get the gates shut.

DATES TO REMEMBER	
OCTOBER	
Monday 2nd	Year 4 Hooke Court - deadline to make deposit payment
Tuesday 3rd	6EH Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through courtyard gates)
Thursday 5th	Census Day - Special Hot Meal Menu (if previously ordered)
	Individual Child Photos (Y1, 3, 4, 5 & 6)
Friday 6th	Individual Child Photos (Reception, Y2 & siblings)
Monday 16th	PFA Annual General Meeting - 6.30 - 7.30pm at school - all welcome!
Friday 20th	INSET Day (children do not attend school)
Monday 23rd to Friday 27th	Half Term Holiday
Tuesday 31st	Year 5 Trip to The Living Rainforest - Return to school at 4pm
NOVEMBER	
Monday 6th to Friday 10th	NO SCHOOL RUN AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS THIS WEEK (paid for clubs will run)
Monday 6th	Parent Consultations - 3.40 - 7pm (more details to follow)
Wednesday 8th	Parent Consultations - 3.40 - 6pm (more details to follow)
Tuesday 14th	1LR Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through courtyard gates)
Tuesday 21st	3BW Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through courtyard gates)
Tuesday 28th	2NP Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through courtyard gates)
Wednesday 29th	4EG Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through courtyard gates)