



Welcome to Winton Primary School

The Winton Warbler

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REMINDER – NO SCHOOL-RUN AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS NEXT WEEK.

(week commencing 6th November)

**THIS IS DUE TO PARENT CONSULTATIONS.
EXTERNAL (PAID) CLUBS WILL RUN AS USUAL.**



The link to the topic sheet for your child's year group for this half-term can be found in the ParentMail message that contains this newsletter. The link will take you to the Learning page for their year and here you can find other useful information about what your child is learning in school.

It is not too late if you have not yet booked your appointment to meet with your child's class teacher next week. You have until 8am on Monday morning (6th November) to book online at:

www.wintonprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk

Please refer to the ParentMail dated 17th October for full details.

3BW's Parent Consultations have been scheduled for Monday 13th and Wednesday 15th November. Details were sent to parents in a ParentMail message on 31st October.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL 2023

Poppies will continue to be sold next week. If you would like your child to support this year's Poppy Appeal, please send them into school with a cash donation and they will be able to purchase a poppy when the Year 6 volunteers visit their classroom each afternoon.

CURRENT HOUSE POINTS TOTAL

1 ST	2 ND		3 RD
361	325	325	315



FLU IMMUNISATION – LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER

Please refer to the ParentMail messages sent on 10th and 17th October for full details. If you wish to register your child for their flu vaccination next week, you have until Monday 6th November to do so. Please register at

<https://links.inhealthcare.co.uk/dorset-flu> using School/LEA code **7bmmdp**



CHARITY FUNDRAISING

Firstly, we would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising efforts last year. The money we raised has gone towards providing important and lifesaving medical supplies, as well fund emergency air ambulance flights.

This year, we have four new Fundraising Representatives to add to the team who are enthusiastic and eager to make a difference. The local charity they have chosen for our school community to support this year is [Hope for Food](#). The Fundraising Reps will be holding an assembly for the children to tell them all about the charity, what their mission is and how we can support them.



To kick start our fundraising events this year, we are going to hold a **Mufti Day** (a non-uniform day when children can wear their own clothes to school instead of uniform) on **Friday 17th November**. In exchange for the children wearing their own clothes, parents are asked to donate a minimum of £1 per child via ParentMail (go to *Payments – Shop – Mufti Day 17 November*) or a cash donation on the day. The proceeds will be split evenly between Hope for Food and Children in Need which takes place on this date.

To make the event even more exciting, we are going to be holding our Change4Change event, which for families new to the school is a competition where each class has a bottle for collecting any loose change you might have at home, with the winning class being awarded a treat for the most change collected! The children can begin bringing in any spare change as soon as next week. All monies raised from this event will go to Hope for Food.

CHILDREN OF ACHIEVEMENT



* Cally in 2NP has received her Blue Peter Book badge (as you can see in the photo) which is designed by Sir Quentin Blake! To earn her badge, Cally wrote about why she loved reading 3 different books and drew pictures to show what the books were about.

* Louie in 6MS took part in a Ballroom Dancing Competition over the holidays. He won two 2nd place trophies and danced with confidence and a smile on his face. Keeeeeeep dancing, Louie!

* Joe in 1RD has flown through his grading and received his yellow belt in kick boxing!

* Raghuveer in 2SP has achieved his Duckling 1/2/3/4 awards in swimming. He started his swimming lessons as a non-swimmer and has already progressed to Beginners Stage 1!



PFA Winter Discos

The PFA are pleased to announce we will be holding 2 nights of discos at the end of November.

Our DJ for these events will be the popular “OUTALIMITS”

Time	Tuesday 28 th November	Wednesday 29 th November
3.20pm - 4.10pm	Reception	Year 1
4.30pm - 5.20pm	Year 3	Year 2
5.40pm - 6.30pm	Year 4	Years 5 & 6



Tickets for the discos will go on sale from tonight (Friday 3rd November) at 7pm via ParentMail and will cost £3.50 each (which includes unlimited squash to drink). Please note that there will not be any physical tickets issued, names will be checked off a list at the start of each disco.

For the Reception and Year 1 discos, children should bring their disco clothes to school with them in a named bag. They will then get changed ahead of the disco starting and will be escorted there by staff. You do not need to collect them from the classroom.

Children who attend St Claire's on their disco days will be dropped off/collected as required. If they are going to the disco from St Claire's, please send them to school with their disco clothes. Please advise St Claire's that your child is attending a disco.

Children can also bring money to their discos for tuck items. Details of what will be available to purchase and their prices will be shared in an upcoming newsletter. Please ensure all money is contained in a named purse/wallet.

Children must not bring their mobile phones to the disco.

All children must be collected from their disco by a known adult to them; no children be allowed to leave unaccompanied.

DISCO BOOKING INSTRUCTIONS

You will need to login to your ParentMail account and go to Payments and then Shop. In the shop you will see the disco that is available to your child/ren.

The Years 5&6 disco is the only disco which could potentially 'sell-out' (a limit of 150 children), if this happens and you are unsuccessful in gaining a space, please speak to the office who can place your child's name on our waiting list.

We also need volunteers to help at the discos! It would be greatly appreciated if you are able to help on the night; if you can, please complete the PFA Winter Disco Helper form on ParentMail (in the Forms section).



More Details to follow next week in relation to our **Festive Fundraising Raffle...**

...We have lots of fab prizes coming in, Tickets will be £1 each (via ParentMail), to be drawn in first week of December.

DATES TO REMEMBER	
NOVEMBER	
Friday 3rd	Pre-loved PFA Uniform Sale in playground after school
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 (see ParentMail 17/10)
Wednesday 8th	Apple & Pear trip to firestation - please wear warm coat
	Year 1 STEPS (Road Safety) Training
	Parent Consultations - 3.40 - 6pm (see ParentMail 17/10)
Thursday 9th	Flu immunisations
Friday 10th	Cherry & Plum trip to firestation - please wear warm coat
	Flu immunisations
Monday 13th	3BW Parent Consultations (see ParentMail 31/10)
Tuesday 14th	No Outdoors/Indoors Show after school club
Wednesday 15th	3BW Parent Consultations (see ParentMail 31/10)
	No Outdoors/Indoors Show after school club
Friday 17th	Charity Mufti (non-uniform) Day - minimum £1 donation via ParentMail
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)
	PFA Winter Disco - Reception - 3.20pm - 4.10pm (see above for ticket details)
	PFA Winter Disco - Year 3 - 4.30pm - 5.20pm (see above for ticket details)
	PFA Winter Disco - Year 4 - 5.40pm - 6.30pm (see above for ticket details)
Wednesday 29th	4EG Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through courtyard gates)
	PFA Winter Disco - Year 1 - 3.20pm - 4.10pm (see above for ticket details)
	PFA Winter Disco - Year 2 - 4.30pm - 5.20pm (see above for ticket details)
	PFA Winter Disco - Year 5 & 6 - 5.40pm - 6.30pm (see above for ticket details)



SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD WITH WORRIES WEBINAR

The Mental Health Support Team in Schools will be offering; Low Intensity CBT Parent-Led online courses (6 sessions, over 6 weeks) to help you support your child with their worries.

Come along to our webinar to find out more, or just to get some useful tips.

This webinar will cover:

- Introduction to the Mental Health Support Team in School.
- What is worry
- What keeps worry going in children
- Tools/strategies you can use at home to support your child
- Introduction to the 6 week Parent-Led Course

For more information email: dhc.mhstbcp.webinars@nhs.net

Scan QR code to book onto the webinar:

**WED 8TH
NOVEMBER AT
5.30-6.30PM**



<https://msteams.link/QWB3>

Please note: This webinar is only for parents and carers in schools we currently working in. Please do not share with friends/family in other schools.



Online relationship support for parents



Parents in this area can now access **THREE ONLINE COURSES** from the relationship experts at OnePlusOne. Learn to cope with stress and communicate better, wherever you are in your parenting journey.



FOR
ALL
PARENTS

Arguing better

Disagreements are a normal part of life. How you approach them can make all the difference to you, your partner, and your children. You will learn:

- How to recognise stress and how it can affect you.
- How to support each other through difficult times.
- What causes arguments and how to stop them.



FOR
NEW
PARENTS

Me, You and Baby Too

Learn how to navigate the changes that happen in a relationship when a baby arrives, including:

- How you and your partner can support each other.
- How to talk to bring up difficult topics.
- How arguments start, and how to stop them.



FOR
SEPARATING
PARENTS

Getting it right for children

When parents are separating or separated, children can often get caught in the middle. Learn how to manage conflict to minimise the impact it has on your children, as well as:

- How to stop a discussion from turning into an argument.
- How to stay calm and listen as well as talk.
- Skills for finding solutions and making compromises.

To access the courses, you will need a smartphone, tablet, or computer, and a good internet connection. They are all **FREE** to use, so you'll just need to select your local authority area and create an account with a username and password.

You can get started by scanning the QR code or visiting:
www.oneplusone.org.uk/parents

