

Welcome to Winton Primary School

The Winton Warbler



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It was lovely to see everyone back at school after the holidays, feeling refreshed and ready for a very busy summer term at Winton!

Please do take a look at the Dates to Remember section for some of the key events taking place this term. Let's keep our fingers crossed for some good weather for all of the fun outdoor activities we've got planned!

HOUSE COMPETITION

Before the Easter holidays, we held our whole school dance competition with each house dancing in turn to the ever popular 'Never Gonna Give You Up' by Rick Astley as well as this year's school dance routine. The standard was high, the atmosphere was electric and the judging was very tough as a result!

In last place was Red house who were awarded 10 house points for their efforts, in third were Blue with 15 points, in second were Green house who were awarded 20 points meaning our winners, with the best moves overall, were Yellow house who earned 50 points! Well done to Yellow house!

CURRENT HOUSE POINTS TOTALS			
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	4 TH
1757	1748	1725	1631



Winton Wonders



Welcome back!

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THE MUCH ANTICIPATED SECOND EDITION OF THE WINTON WONDERS NEWSPAPER IS HOT OFF THE PRESS! Please find it attached to the email that was sent linking this newsletter.

Inside this bumper edition you can learn some horse facts, split your sides with some fantastic jokes, find a recipe for a yummy smoothie and much, much more!



CHILDREN OF ACHIEVEMENT

Esme in 3BW has been very busy in the pool lately! Not only has she achieved her Stage 6 swimming award, she's also completed her Personal Survival Level 1 (which meant wearing her pyjamas in the pool, which was great fun!).

Harper W in 3DP performed in the show High School Musical over the Easter holidays with the Swish of the Curtain production company. Harper loved every second of it and cannot wait for the next show!

Rafael in 6MS is very proud of himself, as he should be, as all of his hard work and dedication has resulted in him receiving his brown belt in karate!

SPORTS KIT AMNESTY - HAS YOUR CHILD REPRESENTED THE SCHOOL IN A SPORTS EVENT THIS YEAR?

If so, please can you have a look at home to see if you have any of our sports kit? We are missing a lot of our kit and ask that if you have any of these items at home, you return them to school as soon as possible.

Thank you from the PE Team.



PFA Information



Thank you to all those who came along to the Staff V Parents rescheduled netball match yesterday afternoon.

The game was extremely competitive and was played in great spirits, with plenty of goals for both teams! Thank you to everyone who played and to the great number of

enthusiastic spectators. It was clear to see that a lot of fun was had by all!

All fundraising from this event is going towards the IT Classroom refurbishment, and in total the football and netball has raised a fantastic £861.60 towards this! Thank you so much!



Save The Date - Friday 7th June - SUMMER FAYRE

A date has been set for the Summer Fayre - please put the date in your diary; the fayre will run straight from school pick-up until approximately 5pm when the raffle will be drawn.

The Summer Fayre is a big event which takes a lot of organising and plans are now under way. We will be having a brainstorming meeting at Conto Lounge in Winton on Monday 22nd of April, meeting at 6.30pm, if you would like to join us. Anyone is welcome: please come and share your ideas, sign-up to help or simply find out more about what we do!

If you cannot make the meet up please feel free to email (PFA@wintonprimary.uk) or Facebook message us any ideas you have.

We are also on the hunt for raffle prizes; if you own or work for a business and would like to donate or sponsor a raffle prize (big or small), please get in contact.

EARLY HELP NAVIGATOR SESSION – WEDNESDAY 24TH APRIL – 1.30 – 3PM – WINTON PRIMARY SCHOOL



Following the success of the last session we held with our Early Help Navigator, Kim Bentham-Green, we are delighted that she has offered to come and meet with our parents again.

As a school we work with the local authority to enhance the support we can offer parents and carers and we are fortunate to be working with Kim.

The next session will be held on Wednesday 24th April from 1.30-3pm

If you are interested in attending, please email Mrs Meseg, our Family Support Worker to arrange an appointment slot: bmeseq@wintonprimary.uk

At this meeting Kim can share knowledge, tips and offer advice and guidance around parenting strategies and developing a quality home learning environment. She will also be able to signpost you to additional services within the community at Family Hubs and Early Help.

BCP Family Hubs offer a range of services and programmes to support parents and their children, covering areas such as parenting, communication, language and literacy. Further information about the BCP Family Hub is available here: [Family hubs and outreach centres \(bcpcouncil.gov.uk\)](http://bcpcouncil.gov.uk)



SPELLING SHED

We have recently renewed our subscription to 'Spelling Shed' and children will be using this in school to help improve their spelling. Spelling

Shed has lots of games that allow the children to practise spelling in a fun and interactive way. Your child will be coming home with a login in their diaries so they can continue to practise at home. You can access Spelling Shed from a tablet/laptop or PC via the following link <https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/> or type 'Spelling Shed' into Google. There is also an app available to download for £2.99 if you wish to do so.

FUNDRAISING – HOPE FOR FOOD – PRE-LOVED BOOK & TOY SALE AFTER SCHOOL ON FRIDAY 26TH APRIL

The fundraising reps are excited to announce their next fundraising venture. Straight after school on Friday 26th April (next week), they will be holding another second pre-loved book & toy sale. We had so much stock donated last time, that there's still some great bargains to be had! Please bring your pennies and help raise vital fund for the work that Hope for Food do in our local community.



SMART WATCHES

Please can we ask that you not to send your child to school wearing a watch with a camera function. Smart watches that do not have a camera function are permitted, as children are unable to access the internet features whilst in school, but we cannot allow devices with a camera within the school grounds.

Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.

DATES TO REMEMBER (CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)	
Monday 22nd	ALL CLUBS START THIS WEEK
	4LC Trip to the River - arrive at 8.30, wear practical clothes & bring wellies in a bag
Tuesday 23rd	3DP Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Friday 26th	4EW Trip to the River - arrive at 8.30, wear practical clothes & bring wellies in a bag Pre-loved Book & Toy Sale after school to raise money for Hope for Food
Tuesday 30th	3KB Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
MAY	
Monday 6th	May Day Bank Holiday - School Closed
Tuesday 7th	Pear Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Friday 10th	Year 5 trip to The Big Stink at Bournemouth Library Year 6 PE Day - children to wear PE kit (from Bank Holiday Monday)

DATES TO REMEMBER	
MAY	
Monday 13th	Year 6 SATS week (PE day is Thursday, not Monday this week) Year 2 PE Day (swap from Thursday 16th - come to school in PE kit)
Tuesday 14th	Apple Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Thursday 16th	Year 6 PE Day - children to wear PE kit (swap from Monday) Year 1 Pirate Workshop - children may come to school in pirate costume
Tuesday 21st	Cherry and Pear class trip to the Aviation Museum 1KM Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Wednesday 22nd	Lion King Performance (evening - more details to follow) Apple and Plum class trip to the Aviation Museum
Thursday 23rd	Reception Fun Run (afternoon - more details to follow) Year 3 Volcano Topic Landing (morning - more details to follow) Lion King Performance (evening - more details to follow)
Friday 24th	Y1 - Y6 Fun Run (morning - more details to follow) Children break up for Half Term Holiday (finish at normal time)
Monday 27th to Friday 31st May	HALF TERM HOLIDAY
JUNE	
Monday 3rd	Children return to school after half-term holiday
Wednesday 5th	Year 2 Trip to Sea City museum (see Activities - Trips in Arbor account)
Friday 7th	NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS THIS DAY PFA Summer Fayre - after school until 5pm
Monday 10th	Cherry & Pear Trip to Winton Library (see Activities - Trips in Arbor account)
Tuesday 11th	Apple & Plum Trip to Winton Library (see Activities - Trips in Arbor account) 5HP Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Friday 14th	Year 3 & 4 Sports Day (morning - more details to follow)
Monday 17th to Wednesday 19th	Year 6 Residential Trip to Barton Hall
Tuesday 18th	Cherry & Apple Class Sports Day (9 - 9.40am) 3JE Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Wednesday 19th	Pear & Plum Class Sports Day (9 - 9.40am)
Friday 21st	Year 1 & 2 Sports Day (morning - more details to follow)
Tuesday 25th	1IB Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Friday 28th	Transition Day - children spend day in next year's class. Y6 attend Secondary school
JULY	
Tuesday 2nd	5AB Class Assembly - 2.45pm in the Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Friday 5th	Year 5 & 6 Sports Day (morning - more details to follow)
Tuesday 9th	Year 6 Performance (evening - more details to follow)
Wednesday 10th	Year 6 Performance (evening - more details to follow)
Wednesday 17th	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (afternoon - more details to follow)
Friday 19th	Last day of term, children finish at usual time
Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd	INSET Day - children do not attend school
Wednesday 24th July to Friday 30th August	SUMMER HOLIDAYS
SEPTEMBER	
Monday 2nd	INSET Day - children do not attend school
Tuesday 3rd	Children return to school after summer holidays