



Welcome to Winton Primary School

The Winton Warbler

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Harvest appeal

REMINDER – HARVEST FESTIVAL FOODBANK COLLECTION – PLEASE BRING DONATIONS INTO CLASS IN THE MORNING OF TUESDAY 7TH OCTOBER

Requested items: tinned fish, tinned sweetcorn/carrots, tinned meat, biscuits, savoury snacks/crisps, UHT milk, peanut butter, pudding pots, Angel Delight, tea, chocolate.

Please do not bring donations after this time as the Foodbank will collect on Tuesday morning.



SCHOOL COUNCIL

Each class has been busy voting for this year's school councillors. We had a huge success last year with the new playground equipment, the toys at lunchtime and play time, and changing the stock we have in the tuckshop, so let's see what changes we can make to Winton this year!

Our school council meets monthly, talking about improvements the children want to see. We then ask the class representatives to feed back to their classmates and bring feedback to our next meeting.

The new school councillors are:

Reception	Apple	Sophia M	Cherry	Hugo M	Pear	Albie R	Plum	Harvey A
Year 1	1IN	Edward H	1NA	Delilah C	1NB	Elliott D	1RD	Joseph K
Year 2	2AW	Aaliya S	2JD	Amaya PF	2LU	Aria F	2ST	Ioana D
Year 3	3AB	Wren A	3EW	Shohan M	3JC	Emily P	3KB	Lily W
Year 4	4BP	Lucy PW	4ML	Daniel A	4RR	Hugo C	4SH	Aaliyah A
Year 5	5AB	Lois H	5HE	Matilda N	5HP	Tanya T	5JE	Anaiya C
Year 6	6EG	Dylan H & Tamsyn C	6EH	Benji P & Louis B	6MS	Hani MB	6SK	Isaak KP

We are looking forward to our first meeting On Wednesday 8th October, we will keep you updated on our meetings and progress across the year.

Mrs Arnold, Mrs Houlston and Mrs Robinson

LUNCHBOX LABELLING REQUEST

A little request from our Year 1 Teaching Assistants — and actually, it's a helpful reminder for everyone across the school.

Please make sure your child's name is on their lunchbox, ideally somewhere on the outside.

With so many similar lunchboxes around, it can be tricky for children to spot their own. A clear name label makes lunchtime smoother and helps avoid mix-ups.

Thank you so much for your support!

PFA Information



We are delighted to announce the first of the PFA events for this school year and back by popular demand...

PFA Family BINGO

Hosted by Mr Brewer in the School Hall

WEDNESDAY 22nd October - 3.30 - 4.45pm

Everyone welcome, please come join us for an afternoon of Family Fun!

Tickets are available for £2 each on **Arbor**, please go to the **School Shop** and look for **PFA Family Bingo Tickets**. You are able to purchase as many as you like - each adult and school aged child will require a ticket.

Tickets are on sale **NOW** and are strictly limited. For previous events, tickets have sold out quickly - so don't delay purchasing your tickets!

No physical tickets will be issued, each family group should arrive together through the front doors (after collection) so you can be ticked off the list and handed your bingo game books.

There will be prizes for lines and a full house along with a mini-affle with fabulous prizes. Snacks and drinks will be available to purchase on the afternoon.

This is always a really fun event enjoyed by all who attend!

Just a reminder for those having a post-summer clear out. Have you any unwanted gifts? We are always happy to receive donations that can be used as prizes for future fundraising events along with toys, fidgets, teddies, chocolates, biscuits, treats and bottles etc.

We will also be collecting Christmas clothing once again this year - if you have any outgrown Christmas jumpers, we will happily receive these to re-sell.

Please drop any donations to the office at any time. Thank you.



SCHOOL TIMINGS REMINDER

7.45am - Morning clubs start (activity clubs, not including St Claire's childcare).

8.30am – The main playground opens. Parents should be aware that staff are not present at this time, and any children left by parents will not be supervised.

8.40am – The first bell sounds and the other school gates open. Staff are now manning the gates and letting children into school.

8.50am – The second school bell sounds and the school day has started. **All gates will be closed promptly at 8.50 and children arriving after this time will need to report to the school office where they will receive a late mark. There are no exceptions to this.**

11.40am – 12.40pm – Reception lunch time.

11.50am – 12.50pm – KS1 lunch time (Year 1 & 2).

12.10pm – 13.10pm – KS2 lunch time (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6).

Please be aware, that except for collections of unwell children, you may not collect for appointments during the lunchbreak.

3.15pm – End of school day for Reception and KS1.

3.20pm – End of school day for KS2.

3.30pm – Gates closed. Please leave the school site promptly to allow clubs to safely access the outside space.

4.20pm – School run clubs finish (activity clubs, not including St Claire's childcare).



**NO DOGS
ALLOWED ON
SCHOOL
GROUNDS**

REMINDER - WINTON PRIMARY SCHOOL IS A DOG FREE SITE

For the safety of everyone, please do not bring any dogs onto any part of the school site. This applies to dogs on leads and in arms.

Thank you for your co-operation.

DATES TO REMEMBER	
OCTOBER	
Friday 3rd	PFA Family Bingo Tickets on sale in Arbor (details above)
Tuesday 7th	Harvest Festival Assembly - Donations for Foodbank through classrooms 6EH Class Assembly - 2.45pm - Small Hall - enter through courtyard gates
Friday 10th	Year 4 Hooke Court Residential Information Meeting - 3.30pm in 4SH
Monday 13th	Cherry Class Parent Tour - 2.45pm
Tuesday 14th	6MS Class Assembly - 2.45pm - Small Hall - enter through courtyard gates Plum Class Parent Tour - 2.45pm
Wednesday 15th	Apple Class Parent Tour - 2.45pm
Thursday 16th	Pear Class Parent Tour - 2.45pm
Sunday 19th	Deadline to order hot meals for after the half term holiday
Monday 20th	Year 4 - Deadline to pay deposit and secure place on Hooke Court Residential trip
Tuesday 21st	1NB Class Assembly - 2.45pm - Small Hall - enter through courtyard gates
Wednesday 22nd	PFA Family Bingo - 3.30 - 4.45pm - Tickets required (see above for details)
Friday 24th	INSET Day - children do not attend school
Monday 27th to Friday 31st	HALF TERM HOLIDAY
NOVEMBER	
Monday 3rd	INSET Day - children do not attend school
Tuesday 4th	Children return to school after holidays
Wednesday 12th	3KB Class Assembly - 2.45pm - Small Hall - enter through courtyard gates
week commencing 17th	No school run clubs this week - external clubs only
Thursday 20th	9-10am - School Nurse Drop-in Session - 15 minute appointments, wait in turn
Monday 24th	INSET Day - children do not attend school
Tuesday 25th	2AW Class Assembly - 2.45pm - Small Hall - enter through courtyard gates
DECEMBER	
Tuesday 2nd	4SH Class Assembly - 2.45pm - Small Hall - enter through courtyard gates
Monday 8th	1NB Trip to East Dorset Museum (sign-up in Arbor) Reception Trip to Methodist Church (sign-up in Arbor)
Tuesday 9th	1RD Trip to East Dorset Museum (sign-up in Arbor)
Wednesday 10th	1NA Trip to East Dorset Museum (sign-up in Arbor)
Friday 12th	1IN Trip to East Dorset Museum (sign-up in Arbor)