



St. Werburgh's C. E. Primary School

Love to learn, Love God, Love one another

2 July 2022

Dear parent/carer,

We hope that you are well.

Many thanks to those of you who were able to join us for 'Sports Day' on Friday, and the Year 2 and Year 3 Reading Workshops earlier in the week. Year 4 will be welcoming parents/carers this week for their Reading Workshop, to complete each class' offer. We are delighted that so many of you have been able to join us and share in these moments with your child/children. Thank you for creating such a positive experience for the children on Friday, especially as half of our classes have never experienced a 'Sports Day' with an audience before. Thank you for keeping children safe by resisting the temptation to take photographs, and thanks also to those who were able to help us to pack away afterwards.

Last week, all of our children met their 'new teacher' during our transition morning. We also welcomed those stars joining the school family in September in Reception, Year 1 and Year 5. Our Years 5/6 class enjoyed their educational visit (school trip) on Tuesday... and even had the whole museum to themselves! Many thanks to the PTA for supporting the cost of travel. Year 2 enjoyed the latest 'Bug Club' session where they met different types of millipedes and even went searching for minibeasts on the school site: next up is 'spider week!'

This week, we are delighted to welcome back a 'live audience' to our Key Stage 2 (KS2) production of 'Mary Poppins' which is being performed over two dates. Those whose children are involved (Years 3-6) will have received information. Please remember that tickets are needed for the shows.

After-school on **Friday 8th July**, it is also our first 'live' **PTA Summer Fayre** in three years...we do hope you can join us and support the very valuable fund-raising of your PTA. The fayre will take place on the KS2 playground and/or in the school hall/dining room. Please feel free to join us once all of our classes have finished for the day. To prepare for the PTA Summer Fayre, on **Thursday 7th July, we will be holding a non-uniform day** in school. Please ensure that children are wearing something appropriate for school (no open-toe sandals please), as they will continue learning throughout the day. If you are able to support (we appreciate that things may be a little tight at the moment), then please send-in items on Thursday for any of the following: bottle stall (if alcohol, please hand to an adult on the school gate, or in the office at any point this week); tombola stall; and the children's' raffle (if toys: then new, or unused please). If you are able to donate cakes (homemade or shop-bought), please can these come into school on Friday. Please can entries into the raffle be returned too.

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Also on **Thursday 7th**, we are holding a **PTA disco for children in Reception and Years 1 and 2** (letters will have already been received). The disco will take place straight after school.

May we remind those who drive to school, to park responsibly and courteously to keep our children, family members, and those in our community safe. May we also remind drivers to not park in the private car park opposite the front of school, nor turn into the farm entrance at the back of school – these are, in effect, people's driveways. Although the new double yellow lines may cause frustration for some, they are simply there to keep people safe, which is what we all want. Walking a few extra metres allows you to enjoy the fresh air, and also to play your part in keeping others safe.

As we reach the final two weeks of term, please find below a few upcoming events, these may be subject to change.

Key Stage 1 (KS1): Years 1 and 2
Key Stage 2 (KS2): Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Tuesday 5 th July	Year 4 Reading Workshop for parents/carers (9.15am) KS2 Production of Mary Poppins (6.00pm) – tickets needed
Wednesday 6 th July	KS2 Production of Mary Poppins (1.30pm) – tickets needed KS2 Production of Mary Poppins (6.00pm) – tickets needed
Thursday 7 th July	PTA non-uniform day (bring donations of items for the fayre) Reception and KS1 disco (3.45-4.45pm)
Friday 8 th July	PTA Summer Fayre (3.35pm)

Monday 11 th July	Year 4 Educational Visit (school trip)
Tuesday 12 th July	Prize Giving - Reception and KS1 (2.00pm) Prize Giving - KS2 (6.00pm)
Thursday 14 th July	Y6 Leavers' Service in Church Years 3-5 Disco (3.45-4.45pm) Year 6 Leavers' Party (6.00pm)

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Friday 15th July Y6 Leavers' Assembly (information shared with Y6 parents/carers)
School Closes for summer ('Bye Bye', lovely Year 6!)

Tuesday 6th September School re-opens for the 2022-23 academic year

Many thanks for your understanding and support.

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