# Spring Term Newsletter 2 Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024



#### Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who supported the NSPCC Number Day today – we have raised an amazing £342.93 so far. Please return sponsor forms and money by Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February.

Thank you to the grandparents who came in to classes 2 and 3 for Grandparents afternoon – a wonderful opportunity to share tales of childhood and the toys that were played with.

### **Open Morning – 12th February**

You are invited into school to see how we teach writing in school. Please come to the main entrance at 9:15 on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February, you can visit any class to see what they are doing.

We politely ask that you have left the school building by 10:30am.

#### Mrs Scallon

### Felix is walking 50 miles in February!

Felix, in year 4, will be walking 50 miles during February to raise money for two charities – Nottingham Hospitals Charity and Young Lives v Cancer.

We will be joining in with some fundraising in school in the next few weeks – please support Felix's challenge here: <u>https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/fundraising/felixs-50-miles-in-february</u>

#### Lateness

We are having increasing numbers of children arrive late each morning, please can you help your child to be in school ready to learn by 8:50am. Children miss out on learning and support work if they are late to arrive.

#### Contact Details

If you have changed your phone number or any other details over the Christmas break, please can you let Mrs Toon in the office know. Thank you for your help with this matter.

#### <u>Dogs</u>

Please can we ask that dogs are not tied up and left unattended near the entrance gate, as we need to ensure that everyone is safe when they enter and exit the path up to school.

#### Parking/ Driving up The Nook

Please can parents not drive up to school, unless you have a prior agreement to do so. We have had an email from one of the residents of The Nook asking for parents not to drive up and drop their children off by the gates.

#### Bronze Food for Life Award

On January 19<sup>th</sup> we were joined in Collective Worship by Katie Worth, of Leicestershire Soil Association Food for Life and Councillor Louise Richardson, as we have achieved our Bronze Food for Life Award. Children in Class 5, spoke to both Katie and Councillor Richardson about the work that we do in school.

We started this work pre Covid, and over the past year we have been trying to increase opportunities for children to cook and for them to experience gardening and growing.

We will continue to work towards our Silver Award!





Wymeswold C of E Primary School Leicestershire Traded Services Catering

To: 12.09.26

From: 12.09.23



East Midlands Ambulance Service Wolds Villages Community First Responders CPR & Defibrillator Public training Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March

## 9:30am, 10:30am and 11:30am

We are holding another CPR and Defibrillator awareness training and Stroke awareness training on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March from 9:30am in Wymeswold Memorial Hall, Clay Street, Wymeswold. These are 60 minute walk-in sessions that cover the main elements and practice of CPR, Defibs and Strokes. The sessions will be 9:30am, 10:30am and 11:30am. To ensure a place text 077 with your name and the time you would like to attend.

Have you thought about becoming an EMAS First Responder?

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Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Year 6 Sats Parents Meeting 3:30pm in Class 5
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	EYFS and Class 1 Phonics parents meeting 3:30pm
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Year 1 and Year 5 Fire Service safety talk
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Open Morning (please note the date change from the 5 <sup>th</sup> )
Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Year 5 Bikeability Sessions
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	Half Term
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Heights and Weights Check for EYFS and Year 6 children
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> and Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Parents Evenings
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Science Day – parents invited in for the afternoon
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Matilda Trip for Class 5
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Egg Rolling 9:30am
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Cricket taster Day
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March – Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Holiday
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Children back for the Summer Term
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	May Day bank Holiday
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Cultural Diversity Day – join us in the afternoon
Wed 22 May – Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Ironbridge residential for Years 3 and 4
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May	Half Term
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Hoodwinked (Year 3 and 4 show) Matinee and 7pm performances
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> June – Fri 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Year 5 and 6 residential
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June (if wet, it will be Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> June)	Sports Day 9:30am
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> and Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Matilda (Year 5 and 6 show) 7pm both nights
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Leavers Service in Church 1:30pm
(Was provisional, now	
confirmed)	
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Finish for the Summer Holidays 3:15pm