

School Bulletin

Friday 7th February 2020

School Menu Next Week: 3 (Monday 10th Feb to Friday 14th Feb 2020)

PLUM class had the highest attendance this week – 98.8 %



Young Voices 2020

The school choir had the night of their lives last Friday when they attended and took part in the Young Voices Concert for 2020 at the Manchester Arena.



The event was hosted by Tony Hadley (of Spandau Ballet) and involved school choirs from all over the North of England. Over the last twenty three years, two and a half million children have sung their hearts out at arenas across the country. This year more than a hundred and seventy thousand children from two hundred schools are taking part.

It was a truly memorable evening and one which will live long in the memory of everyone who attended.

After School Clubs

After school clubs are now complete for this half term. There are no clubs next week before half-term, they start again the first week back after the break. **GROUP ONE** for Craft Club, Sewing and Board Games are finished, it's now time for **GROUP TWO** to have a go! Group 2 clubs start on Monday 24th February for Craft and Sewing and Wednesday 26th February for Board Games. Choir will start again on Wednesday 26th February too.



Extreme Reading

You will remember reading a letter a few weeks ago about our Extreme Reading Challenge. This is a great way to promote an enjoyment of reading. The idea of this challenge is to think of the most unusual place to be caught reading and to ask someone to take a photograph of you. Bring the photograph into school, or email it to the school office on admin@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk, and it will be displayed on our Extreme Reading board for everyone to see! All entrants will receive a gold star from their teacher, and our favourite from each key stage (as voted by the school council) will be announced following the closing date and will win a prize.



Closing date: Friday 14th February 2020 – IMPORTANT: Extreme Reading is meant to be fun but not dangerous (so please, no trips to A&E)! Always tell parents or carers what you are doing for the challenge and **do not put yourself in danger**.



Half Term Holiday Clubs

There are two more clubs for half-term to tell you about:

Kids Count in Hartford: A week of special activities for children aged 3-14 years from 17th to 21st February 2020. Music, a Museum trip, Cookery and much much more. Book your place today, call 01606 74100, email info@kidscountonline.co.uk or visit www.kidscountonline.co.uk.



Youth Kicks Half-Term Football Camp, Winsford: Holiday course + Stadium Tour + Free T-Shirt. The stadium tour will be on the Thursday and will be to a football club in the North West. Monday 17th to Friday 21st February 2020 at Grange Primary School, Winsford. 9am to 3pm each day, £60 for the week. To book the course ring Simon on 07525 244322 or email youthkickscoaching@gmail.com.



Netball Festival

The Winsford Mayor's Charity Netball Festival is taking place on Wednesday 19th February (during half-term) at Brio Leisure Centre in Winsford.

All proceeds go to the Mayor's 3 nominated local charities.

During the day there will be various activities for all ages (Walking Netball, mixed Adult Netball) including Bee Netball which is aimed at Primary School aged children. This session is from 1pm until 4pm and it is designed to give children an introduction into the sport of Netball (<https://www.englandnetball.co.uk/play/bee-netball/>). For further information and registration details get in touch with Brio Winsford.



Start Well Holiday Club is running again this half-term holiday.

Start Well will also be running their holiday club next to school this coming half-term from Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February 2020. For any further information or to book your child a place please call Start Well directly on 01606 594637.

Flu Vaccinations

The local NHS services are doing a catch up flu session based at Wharton Children Centre on **Wednesday the 12th of February between 3.30pm- 5pm**. If any parents wish to attend with their child can they please contact Rebecca Turner on 01244 397470 to confirm and bring along their completed consent form on the day of the session. We have some copies of the consent form in the school office, just pop in to collect one.

Parking and drop-offs at Breakfast Club

Please may we remind parents to park safely when you drop your children at breakfast club? It's not safe to park on the roundabout while children are walking over to school from the visitor car park. Please use the car park and treat the safety of all children as your number 1 priority. Thank you.

Diary Dates

12 th February	Story Time, in classrooms 30 minutes before the end of school
14 th February	School closes for half-term
24 th February	School re-opens after half-term
3 rd March	Year 1 Class Assembly @ Church Parent's Evening (Day 1)
4 th March	Parent's Evening (Day 2)
11 th – 13 th March	Beeston Residential for Year 3 (Oak 11 th /12 th , Beech 12 th /13 th)
27 th March	Non-uniform day (donations for Easter Bingo)
31 st March	Year 3 Class Assembly @ Church
2 nd April	Easter Bingo
3 rd April	School closes for Easter Break

