

21st June 2024



Wheelock
Primary School



Newsletter



50th Birthday Celebration Photos to follow next week.

Dates for your Diary

Sports Day – 24th June (KS2 9.30am & Reception & KS1 1.30pm - Parents invited)

Year 6 Transition Days – 25th & 26th June

Non-Uniform Day (Tombola Donation) – 28th June

FOWS Summer Festival “Wheelockstock” – 28th June 5.30-8pm

Whole School Rock Kids – 8th July

Year 6 Leavers Assembly – 22nd July at 9am (Parents invited)

Wheelock’s Got Talent – 23rd July

All this information and more can be found on the School Calendar on our website

<https://www.wheelockprimary.co.uk/>

Class News

Penguins and Puffins

A super week in Reception this week. We have written our own versions of The Storm Whale. Our teachers are super impressed with our letter formation and super decodable sentences. In Maths we have been recognising and creating repeating patterns with three units. In our topic we have been exploring Africa and have learned about some animals that live in hot countries. We have started to look at different maps and identify land and sea. We have made African rainmakers using a range of materials. We have also explored magnets this week and have sorted items based on whether they are magnetic or not. Outdoors we have been creating some amazing recipes in the outdoor kitchen and have investigated colour mixing in our water area. The children have loved being outside this week and have spotted lots of signs of Summer!

Goldfinches and Woodpeckers

We have had a wonderful week in Woodpeckers and Goldfinches. In Literacy we have started to write our 'Hunting Narrative'. The children are getting so good at planning each section of the story to help them produce a great piece of writing. It is lovely to see them using everything they have learnt this year in literacy as well as using some interesting vocabulary. Well done everyone.

In Maths we have focused on equal groups - consolidating our counting in 2's, 5's and 10's. It has been fun working out what different groups can be made using a big number. For example: Number 20 can be 4 groups of 5, 2 groups of 10, 5 groups of 4 or 10 groups of 2! Next week we will move onto sharing.

The highlight of our week has to be Wheelock's 50th Birthday celebration. Woodpeckers and Goldfinches have particularly enjoyed our 'Country Dancing' session, making some Elton John style glasses and our Star Wars themed art. We have also watched some Kids TV shows from the 70's and enjoyed some playground games together. Thank you for all your amazing 70's fashion today and for all the sunglasses.

Owls and Robins

What a busy week we have had this week!

At the start of the week, we designed our own invention to write a description and set of instructions on based on our book, 'Rosie Revere Engineer'. We came up with some really imaginative and unique design ideas.

In maths, we have been problem solving. This has been a challenge for us and has tested our maths knowledge and understanding as we have been applying what we been learning over the year.

In science, we looked at hygiene and why it is important. We used glitter to represent germs and then gave everyone a high 5 - we saw how easy it was to pass on these germs. We then learnt how to wash our properly so we could stay healthy. We made a set of instructions for how to wash our hands and added pictures for this too.

At the end of our week we have been celebrating 50 years of Wheelock. We have had so much fun being creative, learning facts about the 70's, watching old TV programmes and completing work linked to this. Well done Year 2 for your effort this week!

Sandpipers, Swans and Kingfishers

In Waterbirds this week, we have been creating our own classification charts in science and learning more about the amazing variety of invertebrates in the world around us.

In Literacy, we are writing our invention stories based on the incredible Aqua Lung. We have been learning about world rivers in Geography.

All of us have all really enjoyed the 50th celebrations for Wheelock and have revelled in dressing up and all things 70's such as Star Wars, The Wombles, country dancing and playing marbles! We are all really grateful to Mrs French for sorting out all the materials. Thank you.

Have a great weekend Waterbirds!

Eagles, Hawks and Kestrels

This week in maths, year 6 have continued their work on problem solving. They have solved problems with percentages and with decimals. Year 5 have continued their work on decimals. They have looked at decimal addition and subtraction using exchanges.

In literacy, we have been looking at King Kong. The children have been able to explore new vocabulary and generated similes to describe King Kong.

During geography, the children have learnt about different energy sources. They have also looked at renewable and non-renewable sources. During science, they have continued to investigate electrical equipment.

The children thoroughly enjoyed their two 1970s days. They looked amazing in their outfits today- thank you so all of the effort put into making and buying costumes. We have learnt country dancing and graffiti art. They have ordered events on a timeline and decorated sunglasses like Elton John! We've had a wonderful week and even the sun came out....finally!!!!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Praise

Reception & Key Stage One

Class	Name	Reason
Penguins	Harry	For a super effort in Phonics!
Penguins	Freddie	For working hard to follow instructions and being helpful around the classroom.
Puffins	The Whole Class	For fantastic participation in our 50th Birthday celebrations.
Goldfinches	The Whole Class	For fantastic participation in our 50th Birthday celebrations.
Woodpeckers	Mia	For showing more resilience and confidence in her writing.
Woodpeckers	Toby	For engaging with all the 70's activities these past two days.
Owls	Dawson	For her full and enthusiastic participation in Wheelock's Birthday.
Owls	Will	For his full and enthusiastic participation in Wheelock's Birthday.
Robins	Maisie	For being a kind and supportive talk partner.
Robins	Jax	For working hard this week and trying his best.

Key Stage Two

Swans	Henry	For aspiring to be an excellent writer and for improving his focus. Brilliant, well done!
Swans	Harry	For excelling in his writing and including all elements of the writer's toolkit! Well done!
Sandpipers	Mabel	For being a fantastic classroom helper this week during our 70's celebrations!
Sandpipers	Mia	For impressing us with her dedication to learning time – well done!
Kingfishers	Arabella	For embracing all of the activities on 70's day and being a fantastic helper.
Kingfishers	Astrid	For always being a kind friend and thinking of others.
Kestrels	Matilda	For a super effort put into her Euro 2024 homework – well done!
Kestrels	Georgee	For creating a super piece of graffiti art for our 1970s day – well done!
Hawks	Eddie	For being our real-life 'Dancing King' - an amazing outfit and fantastic moves in our Dance lesson today!
Hawks	Connor	A fabulous effort with his writing this week, even completing some additional at home. Well done!
Eagles	Ashleigh	For showing exceptional levels of enthusiasm during the Wheelock 50 th celebrations!
Eagles	Kayleigh	For showing exceptional levels of enthusiasm during the Wheelock 50 th celebrations!
The Hive	Wendy	For always being kind and helpful to others.
The Hive	Lily	For always being kind and helpful to others.

The Hive

This week the children have enjoyed playing outdoors making a story circle and sharing stories with each other. We have been able to have the snack outside this week because of the lovely weather, the children really enjoy this!!

Indoors the children have played Chess, Lego, and role play activities.

On Thursday we embraced the football with crossword activities and flag making.

FOWS NEWSLETTER

  News from FOWS  

Thank you so much to all those who have already told us they can volunteer at Wheelockstock next week but we still need more help please! So if you can spare 30 minutes let me know via fowscontact@gmail.com¹ or speak to me (Lisa Sumner) on Facebook.

Please buy raffle tickets from our website and while you're there you can prebook your wristbands for the event: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/wheelock>

You can collect your wristbands on Thursday or Friday next week after school.

There're ways you can help us without volunteering:

- Donate old men's shirts to use as paint coverups
- Take part in our non-uniform day next Friday in exchange for a tombola prize
- Come to the event and support us! Don't forget to buy your raffle tickets too!

We can't wait to welcome you to Wheelockstock! Check out some of the amazing activities we have planned from our map and set list!

Kind regards

Lisa Sumner

Chairperson

Friends of Wheelock School

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FOWS
Friends Of Wheelock School



'wheelockstock'



Summer festival of music
Friday 28th June 2024 5.30-8pm



5.30-5.50pm -

Shannon Louise Dance Academy

6-6.30pm - The Singing Sensations

6.40-7.00pm - Street Dance Academy

7.15-8pm - Hawkestra!





Free School Meals

Please find below the link to apply for Free School Meals. If you do qualify for this it covers lots more than just the school meals therefore it may be worth taking a look.

https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schools/school-meals/free_school_meals.aspx

Summer Menu

Dates	Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W/C: 15.04.2024, 29.04.2024, 13.05.2024, 10.06.2024, 24.06.2024, 08.07.2024, 22.07.2024.	Main Choice	Chicken Goujons served with Diced Potatoes & Vegetables	Cheese & Tomato Pizza served with Wedges & Vegetables	Sausages served with Mash, Vegetables & Gravy	All Day Breakfast	Fish Fingers served with Chips & Vegetables
	Vegetarian Choice	Veggie Fingers served with Wedges & Vegetables	Vegan Pizza served with Wedges & Vegetables	Vegan Sausages served with Mash, Vegetables & Gravy	All Day Vegan Breakfast	Vegan Dippers served with Chips & Vegetables
	Jacket Potato	Tuna	Beans	Cheese & Beans	Tuna	Beans
	Sandwich	Cheese	Tuna	Ham	Chicken	Cheese
	Dessert	Lemon Cake or Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Mousse or Fresh Fruit	Cake or Fresh Fruit	Ice Cream or Jelly or Fresh Fruit	Flapjack or Fresh Fruit

Dates	Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W/C: 22.04.2024, 06.05.2024, 20.05.2024, 03.06.2024, 17.06.2024, 01.07.2024, 15.07.2024.	Main Choice	Hot Dog served with Wedges & Vegetables	Pasta Bolognese served with Garlic Bread & Vegetables	Roast Turkey served with Roast Potatoes, Vegetables & Gravy	Sausage Roll served with Mash, Vegetables & Gravy	Chicken Burger served with Chips & Vegetables
	Vegetarian Choice	Vegan Hot Dog served with Wedges & Vegetables	Vegan Meatball Tomato Pasta served with Garlic Bread	Vegan Fillet served with Roast Potatoes, Vegetables & Gravy	Vegan Sausage Roll served with Mash, Vegetables & Gravy	Vegetable Burger served with Chips & Vegetables
	Jacket Potato	Cheese & Beans	Cheese	Tuna	Cheese	Cheese & Beans
	Sandwich	Tuna	Ham	Cheese	Tuna	Chicken
	Dessert	Shortbread or Fresh Fruit	Jelly or Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Marble Cake or Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Crunch or Fresh Fruit	Muffins or Fresh Fruit

Community News

 Sandbach School

 Sandbach School
Crewe Road, CW11 3NS

 enquiries@sandbachschool.org






SANDBACH SCHOOL

OPEN EVENING

27th June

4:00pm - 7:00pm

Headteacher's talk - 4:00pm & 6:30pm

We look forward to welcoming boys currently in years 4 & 5 to our open evening at Sandbach School on 27 June 2024. There will be a range of activities on offer from each of our curriculum departments between 16:00 and 18:30.

Sarah Burns, Headteacher will give a talk at 18:00 in the Theatre. This presentation will be repeated at 18:30 and members of the school leadership team will be on hand to answer any questions.

We do hope you are able to join us to learn more about our amazing school and how we specialise in teaching boys.

**Years 6 + 7
Just Dance Disco!**
Friday 28 June 2024
6pm-7:30pm

Reserve* a ticket for payment on the door or via ParentPay

£3

*Yr 6 parents - see link in transition booklet

TUCK SHOP

SANDBACH HOCKEY CLUB

JUNIOR HOCKEY

REGISTER NOW!

**Training Time:
Minis & Juniors
Thursdays 6:00-7:30 pm**

Join us at Sandbach with our Mini and Juniors training, the fun starts from Year 3 to Under 14 on Thursdays!

If you're wanting to give this try, our 3 free sessions for new players are perfect for you.

**TRAINING STARTS ON JUNE 6TH @ SANDBACH SCHOOL
FIND US ON THE BLUE ALL WEATHER PITCH**

Contact us below to register:

 **Sandbach Hockey Club**

 **Sandbach Hockey Club**

www.sandbachhockeyclub.com



Summer Hockey training begins on Thursday 6th June 6-7pm, please contact Adam at sbhockeyjuniors@gmail.com³ if you would like further information.

³<mailto:sbhockeyjuniors@gmail.com>

BACHFEST

FEATURING LIVE ACTS INCLUDING:

ABBA TRIBUTE

FREDDIE MERCURY TRIBUTE

DUA LIPA TRIBUTE

DIVAS SET

CALLUM WRIGHT

DILLAN LAMB

FOOD & DRINK
OPTIONS
AVAILABLE ALL DAY

FOR A DAY YOU WON'T FORGET!

STARTS AT

3PM

UNTIL 11PM

SATURDAY

27

JULY

EARLY BIRD TICKET PRICE

£7

CHILDREN
AGE 5-15

£15

ADULTS



& Hipswing



TICKETS ON SALE
SCAN HERE!

Join us at Sandbach Cricket Club, CV11 3LZ.
Children under 5 no ticket required. Early Bird tickets on sale until 13/07/2024

SPORTS
COACHING
GROUP
ENJOY
IMPROVE
ACHIEVE

- ✓ CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED
- ✓ WRAP AROUND FROM 8AM - 5PM
- ✓ 10% SIBLING DISCOUNT



EARN POINTS
FOR YOUR
SCHOOL!

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS

22.07.24 - 30.08.25



BOOK HERE

SPECIAL
EARLYBIRD
PRICE

Contact us: 01270 449770

WHAT'S ON...

SPORTS COACHING GROUP
ENJOY
IMPROVE
ACHIEVE

MULTI-SPORTS

Sandbach Boys (24.07 - 30.08)
Vernon Primary (29.07 - 30.08)
Holmes Chapel Primary (24.07 - 28.08)
Chelford Primary (22.07 - 23.08)
Brine Leas School (25.07 - 30.08)
Wistaston Church Lane Academy (24.07 - 30.08)
Barlaston First School (22.07 - 23.08)
Willaston Primary (24.07 - 02.08)



 **EARLYBIRD PRICES UNTIL 30.06**



SPORT SPECIFIC

Cricket - (Elworth CC)

Every Tues / Weds / Thurs from 30.07 - 29.08

Swim n Splash - (Sandbach Boys)

Every Weds 24.07 - 28.08

Swimming Services - (Middlewich & Sandbach Hub)

Group crash courses (stage 1 - 3)

1-to-1 sessions

Private Hire



holidays@sportscoachinggroup.co.uk

01270 449770

CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE AND FAMILIES ACTIVITY DAY

11AM-3PM 8 AUGUST 2024

**OAKENCLOUGH FAMILY HUB,
COLSHAW DRIVE, WILMSLOW SK9 2PZ**



BBQ lunch and refreshments provided



Sports, Bushcraft, Arts and Crafts, Fire Pit and much more

THIS ACTIVITY DAY IS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 0-19 (25 IF SEND OR CARE EXPERIENCED) AND THEIR FAMILIES (*IF UNDER 12YRS, MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT, 18YRS OR OVER).

Book on EEUQ using the QR Code

For more information please contact: participation@cheshireeast.gov.uk





**Sandbach High School
and Sixth Form College**
an ambitious school
with kindness at the heart of our high expectations

Open Morning

For Year 4 and 5 Parents and Carers

**Saturday 6 July 2024
9am - 12 noon**



**Headteacher's talks
9.30am and 11am**

Guided tours and lots of games and activities to enjoy!

We are proud of our ambitious school community
where students are at the heart of our values.



Please note that buses are available to transport children to and from Sandbach High School who live in the following areas:

Alsager, Arclid, Betley, Brereton, Church Lawton, Congleton, Coppenhall, Crewe, Haslington, Hassall, Hough, Madeley, Malkins Bank, Middlewich, Northwich, Rode Heath, Rope, Sandbach, Scholar Green, Shavington, Smallwood, Sydney, Willaston, Winsford, Winterley, Wychwood Park.

Public transport is also available to/from areas not listed above.



Open Evening

For Year 4, 5 and 6 Parents and Carers

**Thursday 26 September 2024
5-8pm**

We warmly welcome you to experience our amazing school in action. Where futures are shaped and opportunities are endless. Come and be part of our magic.



Five Rivers.
Turning children's lives around

If you are interested in a life-changing vocation and can provide a safe, loving home to a child in care, we'd love to hear from you.

01527 834653
0333 0603 962
five-rivers.org

Your local office: Unit 28 Rosepoint Business Centre, Isdore Road, Bromsgrove, B60 3ET

Short term and long term fosters carers needed. Highly competitive fostering allowance of up to £23,000 a year tax-free, 24/7 support and specialist training. Potential to combine with full or part-time work.

Foster carers turn children's lives around – come and foster with us



Ministry4Sport
Giving everyone a sporting chance!

SUPER SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS

Who is ready to join us for a summer full of fun packed action?

Ministry 4 Sport are delighted to announce our summer holiday programme, packed full of physical activity and fun! Once again, there will be a range of sports delivered, as well as fun games, competitions and arts and crafts!

Each week will also have a theme, and these will be the following:
Week 1: Olympics **Week 2:** Gladiators **Week 3:** Fitness/Bootcamp
Week 4: Colour Run **Week 5:** Wheelie Fun **Week 6:** Water Week

WE WILL BE DELIVERING AT THE FOLLOWING VENUES:

- Monks Copperhill Academy
- Haslington Primary Academy
- Offley Primary Academy
- Mables Lane Primary School
- Woodcroft Academy
- Our Lady & St Werburgh's Catholic Primary School (NEW)



All information about all of our venues available on our website and socials.
BOOK NOW!
01782 703065
ministry4sport.org.uk

Scan the QR code to head straight to booking page!





Parent Workshop Helping Children Manage Worries and Anxiety

What:

FREE 7 week programme for parents/carers of children aged 5+. This programme is evidence based and explores various parenting techniques which can be applied to support an anxious child.

When:

Wednesday's at 10.30am - 12pm

5th June

12th June

19th June

26th June

3rd July

10th July

17th July

All 7 sessions must be attended consecutively to complete the course and benefit from the learning techniques.

Where:

At Fellowship House, Park Road,
Congleton, CW12 1DP

Book now

Email:
FamiliesandCommunitiesTeam@visyon.org.uk
Call: 01260 290000



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Visit www.visyon.org.uk or call 01260 290000, to learn more about how our charity supports children, young people and their families with mental health & emotional wellbeing across Cheshire East.