

Wisborough Green Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 8th March 2024



Focus Value for
this half term:
Unity

Fairtrade Fortnight

This week sees the end of the 2024 Fairtrade Fortnight. The children have been locating Fairtrade countries across the globe, and learning about the people who grow our food and cotton. Some classes used their maths knowledge to highlight which Fairtrade chocolate their classmates preferred - after first hand sampling of course! Selected children, who gave substantial input to our Fairtrade learning, were presented with a certificate and badge. We were enormously proud of how the children discussed some difficult issues with compassion and understanding. Well done, all!



YR Numicon Workshop

Parents of Reception Class attended a Numicon Maths Workshop this week, where they learned how maths resources are used to support children's learning. Thank you to all those who came.



World Book Day Potatoes

We celebrated World Book Day on Thursday, with a huge array of 'character' potatoes invading the classrooms. All of the designs were amazing and choosing winners was a difficult task. Congratulations to our winners and runners up, and well done to all the children who took part.

The children also enjoyed lots of different activities based around different books and authors.



Spring Music Concert

We would like to remind you that ticket booking is still available on MCAS for the Years 3 and 4 Spring Music Concert, on **Tuesday 12th March 2024**. As well as the two classes, the choir and invited instrumentalists will be taking part. Two tickets are allocated per family at £1 per ticket. There will be two performances that day at 3:30pm and 5:30pm.



Choir Club

We are looking forward to hearing the choir perform in the Spring Music Concert on Tuesday. Please note that this will be the final choir meeting this term. Details of our summer term club will follow shortly.

Virtual Reality Workshop

Years 3 and 4 enjoyed a virtual reality workshop this week. They became intrepid explorers, climbing Mount Everest. Starting at the bottom of the mountain, the children 'climbed' to the first base and second base camp where they saw how the camps were set up with tents and equipment. They made it to the peak, where they witnessed the sad sight of all the rubbish left there by visitors.

After completing a quiz, some of the children were treated to a virtual encounter in the ocean or with a lion on the savannah!



Usborne Book Fair Orders

Following the Usborne Book Fair yesterday, due to an unfortunate technical hitch, card payments were not possible. Your child may bring home a 'wish slip' this week. Books can be purchased by following the instructions on the slip or by visiting the [website](#). All orders must be placed by end of **Monday 11th March** and will be delivered back to school. Thank you.

Music Lessons

It is great to see so many children wanting to learn a musical instrument but a recent increase in demand has meant that we have had to put names on a waiting list. We have contacted West Sussex Music Service to see if there are any other teachers that can accommodate lessons at school and we hope to have more information soon.

Christ's Hospital Invitation

This Year 5 pupils and parents are invited to visit Christ's Hospital School for its upcoming Open Morning. Please see the attached poster for further information.

Upcoming Dates

- Monday 11th: Y6 Indoor Athletics at The Weald @ 3.30pm
- Tuesday 12th: Y3/Y4 & Choir Spring Music Concert @ 3.30pm & 5.30pm
- Friday 15th: Mid-year Reports and ILPs to parents

Congratulations to the
winner of
this week's PTA Cake
Raffle!



HOUSE POINTS

RED - 92
GREEN - 136
BLUE - 120
YELLOW - 133

For future diary dates,
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school calendar](#). Thank you.



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Total Solar Energy
Generated
174,849 kWh