

Wisborough Green Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 12th September 2025



Focus for this half term

READY, RESPECTFUL, SAFE

A Note from the Headteacher

Congratulations to our Values Champions this week: Yasmina, Hamish, Noah, Evie and Cooper!

Welcome back to the new school year! The children have already settled well into their new classes and are doing a great job of demonstrating our new school rules of 'Ready, Respectful, Safe' which were developed in conjunction with the children and staff last term.

Democracy Day today has been a huge success. We have been so impressed by the children's presentations and speeches, and their enthusiasm for taking on roles and responsibilities within school. The successful candidates will be announced in assembly on Monday!



Year 6



Now that we are over the start of term tiredness, we have decided that we love Year 6! We are still getting used to the idea that we are the oldest in the school - it's a bit strange!

We've already started lots of new learning. Some quite memorable. In science we are looking at the human body and it has been very practical - making heart models to show how blood is pumped around the body - this provoked varying degrees of disgust from the class, and may have made a little mess. We have explored synesthesia in music and started working on our hockey skills in PE.



Lots of hands on maths and we've started on our daily fluency - which has also included our quick fire mental maths darts championship.

We are all making a huge effort to have neat, tidy books and have started our new writing journey, based on our topic of World War II and the book Rose Blanche. We have begun exploring some serious moments in history, like what was happening in Europe during World War II and we are looking forward to learning about democracy.

Whole School Picnic

Following the success of our whole school end of summer term picnic, our 'Welcome Picnic' for the new school year is scheduled for next **Friday 19th September**. We are keeping a close eye on the very changeable weather and may need to cancel this event nearer the time, however we would love you to keep the slot free in your diary and join us if at all possible. It will be a great opportunity to chat to your new class teachers and to welcome the new members of our school community.

Provisional arrangements for the picnic as follows:

Families will be let on to the field/playground through the back wooden gate at 11.50am and children will come out to join you at 12. If you have ordered a hot dinner for your child this will still be available, or you are welcome to bring a picnic lunch either instead or in addition. The PTA will be selling secondhand uniform.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

There are still a few spaces available in our extra-curricular clubs for this term (see below). Please follow the links to book your places. We are hoping to add some additional activities to the list and will share this with you as soon as we can.

Monday	KS1 Football Reception - Year 2	Andy Headon Sports Star Coaching https://sportstarcoaching.classforkids.io
Tuesday	KS2 Football Year 3 - Year 6	Andy Headon Sports Star Coaching https://sportstarcoaching.classforkids.io
Wednesday	Art Year 2 - Year 6	Kim Venter kimventer@gmail.com
Thursday	Street Dance All Years	Jasmine Smith - Christina Marks School of Dance https://christina-marks-sopa.classforkids.io/info/1144
Friday	Karate All Years	Morgan Burch - Southern Academy Karate morgan.southernacademy@gmail.com

Reaching Families Support Group

If you are a parent or carer of a child or young person who has, or you think may have, special educational needs and disabilities in West Sussex, you are warmly invited to join us on **Wednesday 17th September** at The Horsham Family Hub, Three Acres, RH12 1RS. Please do join us anytime between 10am and 11.30am for a warm welcome and a chance to connect with other local parent carers in a safe and supportive space - there is no need to book, just pop in for a cuppa and a chat! For more information, please email us at outreach-training@reachingfamilies.org.uk

Census Day

Census Day is a great day to try out the Chartwells special menu, but it also helps with school funds. **The more children who have a hot meal on Census Day means more funding for the school.** Please sign your child up for the exciting Chartwells menu on 2nd October, you will need to book both main meal and dessert. Booking is done on ParentPay and the deadline is 18th September. Thank you.



Key Dates

September

- Friday 19th - Family Reading 9 - 9.20am
- Friday 19th - Whole School Picnic (weather dependent)
- Wednesday 24th - PTA AGM Meeting 6pm

October

- Friday 3rd - Harvest Festival
- Thursday 9th - Y5/Y6 WWII Workshop
- Monday 13th - Y1 Grandparents Morning
- Friday 17th - Y5/Y6 WWII Dress Up/Immersion Day
- Tuesday 21st - Individual School Photos
- Friday 24th - Reception Class 6-Week-In Meeting
- Friday 24th - PTA Halloween Disco
- Monday 27th - Friday 31st - October Half Term

Still time to complete the Summer Reading Challenge!

This year's Summer Reading Challenge, Story Garden is available in libraries until **Saturday 13 September**. There is still plenty of time to pop into your local library to collect your certificate and medal and tell us about all the lovely books you've been reading over the summer! You can save time by filling out the [Finisher Form](#) before you visit.



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

For future diary dates, please visit our website's [school calendar](#). Thank you.

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174,849 kWh