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WOODBOROUGH CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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March is proving to be another busy month in school and outside too… Our camera in the bird box is back up and online and we have noticed some feathered activity this week ☺ You can follow the link on the school website to keep an eye on what's happening too. Don't forget, if you've anything to add to our weekly newsletter, just email the details to Mrs Hobbs in the school office: admin@woodborough.wilts.sch.uk.

Our Christian Value for this term is:

FORGIVENESS

Each term we have a focus on an important value in our school which will be high profile in class and in Collective Worship.

It's been another busy week in school, read on to see what's been happening…

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

On **Tuesday** we were visited by **Ms Joanne Daly** who carried out our **Statutory Inspection of Anglican and Methodist Schools (SIAMS)**.

Canon Larkey led our collective worship and **parents**, **governors** and **children** (as usual, our very best ambassadors) all met and spoke to our inspector. We were delighted that Ms Daly was very impressed by our school and we look forward to sharing her judgements and publishing her report very soon.

On **Wednesday afternoon** our school hall was turned into **Woodborough Theatre** and our large audience of families and friends were treated to a drama extravaganza.

Classes performed extracts from each of the **'Twisted Tales'** they had studied last week; our very own **'Woodborough Twisted Tale'**, with sections written by every class, was unfurled; results from the **Character Treasure Hunts** were announced (**well done to Amelie, Autumn, Thea and Zara**); and winners of the amazing **Book Review Competition** were revealed (**huge congratulations to Griff, Daisy, Jack, Alfie, Minnie and Tamzin**).

However, it didn't end there because our **School Council** went on to raise **£15.20** at their **Second Hand Book Sale** afterwards!

Once again we'd like to say a very big **THANK YOU** to **Mrs Wren** for masterminding another **brilliant Book Week** and to **everyone who took the time to lend a hand and give support to the week** ☺

Wednesday's success continued with a **5:0 win for our Netball Team against Southbroom A Team**. They were all praised by **Mrs Wren** for their superb teamwork - **CONGRATULATIONS to them all and thank you to the parents who provided transport and supported.**

Thursday morning brought more sporting success, this time for our **gymnasts**. Two teams of pupils from **Years 3—5** travelled to **Avon Valley College** to take part in a **gymnastics festival**. Our **Beginners Team came 3rd out of six teams** (with **Minne scoring highest** for our school) and our **Advanced Team came 2nd out of three schools**. Our results are particularly impressive because all of the other schools taking part chose their representatives from Years 5 and 6 only!

Congratulations once again Team Woodborough!

Attendance

W/E 9th March 2018	
Attendance	Absences
97.6 %	2.4 %

Learning time lost:
19 Days

Best Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are

ELM CLASS

(98.7 % attendance)

Congratulations!

Reporting Absence

Please notify the office of absence and the reason for it by 9.00 am each day.

Tel: 01672 851305 or email admin@woodborough.wilts.sch.uk

Registration Time

The registers are taken in each class at 9.00 am. Please make sure that the names of any children arriving after that time are reported to the school office.

Celebrating Mothering Sunday...

On **Friday afternoon** we all enjoyed a very special celebration in readiness for **Mothering Sunday** this weekend.

We were joined by **Mrs Libby Turner** who, with the help of a variety of props, explained about the importance of love, giving of time and forgiveness. Members of our excellent **Worship Council** led us through the Service and **Mrs Needham** showed a beautiful film she had made of pupils' drawings of their mums and special messages. **We'd like to say a big THANK YOU to them all and to everyone who joined us. We'd also like to wish all of our mums, aunties and grandmas a very special Mothering Sunday.**

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Mission Statement

Woodborough School is about…

Christian caring
Happiness
Inspiring
Learning together
Diversity
Rewarding
Enabling
Nurturing

School Website:
www.woodboroughschool.org

Dates for your diary…

March

12th - Pewsey Vale School 'Slapstick Event' Year 5's
13th - KS2 Trip to 'We The Curious'
14th - **Cherry Class Assembly, 2.15 pm *(change of date)***
15th - **KS1 School Meeting 2.45pm (Thursday)**
16th - **Maple Class Cake Break**
- **Mufti Day**
- **Popcorn Club**
- Rotary Youth Speaks Competition - 6.30pm

20th - Parents' Evening **3.30 pm - 6.00 pm**
22nd - Parents' Evening **5.00 pm - 7.30 pm**
- Sing For The World @ PVS 6pm

23rd - **Maple Class Assembly 9.15am**
- **KS2 School Meeting 2.45pm**
- **Easter Bingo**

27th - House Point Celebration
- KS1 SAT's Information Evening 5-6pm

28th - Easter Service 9.30am, St Mary Magdelene Church
- High 5 Netball vs Seend A

29th - TD Day - School Closed to Pupils
- **Term 4 Ends**

April

16th - **Term 5 Begins**
18th - Braeside Residential Information Evening 6pm
20th - KS1 School Meeting 2.45pm

May

2nd - **Sycamore Class Assembly 2.15pm**
7th - Bank Holiday
10th - Ascension Day Walk 11.15am

Congratulations to the following pupils who celebrate their birthdays this week:

Robert (5)

Thomas P (5)

Zara (10)

Inigo L (5)

Adam R (9)

Visit the **'Community Activities'** page on the school website (found via the 'Parents' tab) to see further information on activities taking place locally including **Pewsey Vale School PTFA Quiz Night 15th March** and **'Come and See' - a chance to enjoy some fantastic activities during February & March**, you'll also find information from **Pewsey Vale RFC**. You might also be interested in the half term activities and don't forget the usual link to **Pewsey 'Our Community Matters'**. On the **'Letters Home'** page you'll find reminders of **Traffic and Safety letter** issued jointly by the Social Club, Parish Council and School Governing Body.

PTA… PTA… PTA… PTA…

Our next termly meeting is on **Wednesday 14th March @7 pm**. Join us to find out what we do.
Everyone welcome!

SPRING / SUMMER MENU 2018 - Click Here to Book Online

A reminder of the menu for next week: (Week 2) - £2.30 per meal Cherry, Elm & Willow Classes

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
A	Chicken Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Pasta	Shepherd's Pie	Roast Chicken, Stuffing & Gravy with Roast Potatoes	Salmon & Sweetcorn Pizza with Potato Salad	Battered Cod with Chips
B	Cheesy Broccoli Pasta	Quorn Fillet & Gravy with Mash	Vegetable Biryani	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Potato Salad	Veggie Hot Dog with Chips
C	Tuna Jacket Potato	Tomato Soup & Cheese Baguette White	Cheese Jacket Potato	Roasted Chicken Salad	Baked Bean Jacket Potato
Served With	Broccoli, Chopped Cucumber & Tomato Salad	Peas & Carrots	Cabbage & Sweetcorn	House Salad & Coleslaw	Peas, Baked Beans
Dessert	Fromage Frais or Prepared Fruit	Jam Sponge with Custard	Yoghurt or Prepared Fruit	Orange Jelly & Mandarins	Cherry & Apple Crumble with Custard

Also served daily: freshly baked bread, freshly sliced fruit, yogurts and fresh drinking water.

PLEASE REMEMBER, PAYMENTS ARE DUE IN ADVANCE (£2.30 PER MEAL) PAYABLE TO EDWARDS & WARD