



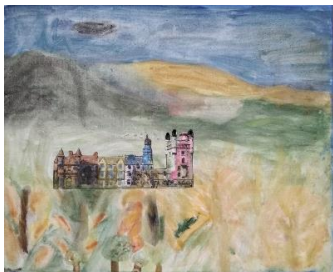
Friday 12th May 2023

Our vision is 'Let your light shine'. The rainbow symbolises God's unconditional love for each individual. We seek to reflect that light in all we do: in our community, both local and wider, in our communication, both word and action, with curiosity and courage, and with care and compassion for everyone, inspiring a love of learning.

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy week of learning in school and I am always impressed by the children's continued enthusiasm and engagement. We are particularly proud of Year Six who took their SATS tests this week. As a reward for their hard work, they have enjoyed a well-deserved 'treat' afternoon – well done to everyone!

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, each class has created a piece of art work on canvas using the passions of King Charles III to celebrate the Coronation. These canvases have been displayed in windows around the school and include his interests in watercolour, gardening, architecture, Polo, the military, organic farming and global warming. I have included some photographs of these in this newsletter for you to enjoy; please do look out for them around school!



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You should have now received a link to a Parent Voice survey via ParentMail. Your views and feedback are important to help us ensure we continue to deliver the best education for your children so we need as many responses as possible. Thank you in advance for taking the time to complete the online survey.

Thank you for your continued support - have a lovely weekend!

Samantha Dumbleby

Headteacher

Staffing Updates

Miss Crofts will be leaving Winslow School at the end of the summer term. She has been a valued member of staff and I know that the staff, children and parents will miss her as she moves on to take on new challenges.

Mrs Hammon is expecting her first baby in the autumn term. She will continue to teach her class up until the end of the summer term before starting her maternity leave in September. I am sure you will join us in congratulating Mr and Mrs Hammon on their exciting news!

Last week the senior leadership team were busy interviewing potential candidates for positions for September. We are pleased to announce that we have successfully appointed two class teachers, Mr McConnell and Miss Aldridge. We are looking forward to welcoming them into the Winslow School family in the new academic year.

E Scooters

It has been brought to our attention by members of the community that some of our parents are using e-scooters to drop their children off at school. I would like to take this opportunity to raise awareness of e-scooters and the law and ensure the safety for all of our community.

- It is illegal to ride a privately owned e-scooter in public spaces.
- Privately owned e-scooters are only allowed to be 'driven' on roads by an adult with a licence, insurance and tax for the e-scooter. They should never be taken on pathways, cycle ways or bridleways for risk to other users.
- Only one individual is permitted to ride an e-scooter at a time, there should be no 'passengers'.

Please see the following link for full government guidelines.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/powered-transporters/information-sheet-guidance-on-powered-transporters>

Child of the Week

All our children seek to 'Let their light shine' as they reflect our Christian values in their daily life. Many congratulations to the following children this week who have shone particularly brightly and been awarded 'Child of the Week':

Year 1: Seth & Oliver

Year 2: Fletcher & Georgia

Year 3: Hollie & Miami

Year 4: Emily & Lacey

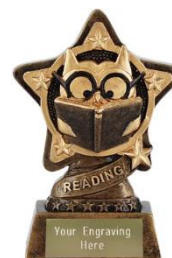
Year 5: Roman & Fearne

Year 6: Lexie & Oliver

Accelerated Readers

The following classes have been awarded the Reading Trophies this week for completing the most Accelerated Reader Quizzes:

2AF
3BB
4KF
5DB
6FG



FOWS - Bag2school Wednesday 24th May 2023

Your child will be bringing home a bag to fill with any donations of the following:

- Unwanted clothes (no school logo)
- Paired shoes/trainers/handbags etc.
- Bedlinen
- Old curtains
- Old blankets



Please take your bags to the school hut by reception class on the school playground by 9am on Wednesday 24th May.

The more it weighs the better. Let's raise over £100 towards school playground equipment.

Ask friends and relatives. Let's get everyone involved.

Thank you for your continued support.

FOWS Team

Safeguarding

If you have a concern about a child please contact Mrs Samantha Dimbleby, Mrs Tracy Thomas or Mrs Katie Epps via the School Office on 01296 712296 or alternatively if out of school hours, weekends or holidays visit <http://www.bucks-lscb.org.uk/concerned-about-child/> to report your concerns. For more safeguarding information please visit our website.



What can we do even better as a school?

If you have any comments or suggestions, please do get in contact with Mrs Dimbleby via the school office, or better still, come and chat to her at the start or the end of the day on the playground.



Diary Dates Summer Term 2023

Please see below our summer calendar of events for your immediate attention.

Date	Event
wc Monday 15 th and Monday 22 nd May	KS1 SATS
Monday 15 th May (3:30 – 4:30pm)	Y5 Relationships and Sex Education Meeting
Date TBC	11+ Meeting for Year 5 Parents
Wednesday 24 th May	FOWS Bags to school (Details to follow)
HALF TERM HOLIDAY (Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June)	
Monday 5 th June	INSET Day
Tuesday 6 th June	Children Return to school
wc Monday 5 th June – Friday 16 th June	Y4 Multiplication Checks
Tuesday 6 th June	Y6 Swimming starts (6FD)
Wednesday 7 th June	Reception Stay and Play – Arts and Crafts
Friday 9 th June	FOWS ‘Someone Special Shop’ for Father’s Day
wc Monday 12 th June	Y1 Phonics Screening Check
Friday 16 th June	Y4 Roman Day
Friday 16 th June	Pupil Fundraising Day
Monday 19 th June	Y3 Milton Keynes Museum Trip (3CC)
Tuesday 20 th June	Reception Hogshaw Farm Trip
Wednesday 21 st June (Time TBC)	Reception and KS1 Country Dancing
Thursday 22 nd June	Y3 Milton Keynes Trip (3BB)
Friday 23 rd June	FOWS Mufti Day
Saturday 24 th June	FOWS Summer Fair
Wednesday 28 th June	Reception & KS1 Collective Worship at St Laurence Church
Tuesday 4 th July (Time TBC)	Transition meeting for parents of children moving into Years 1, 3 and 5
Wednesday 5 th July (Time TBC)	Transition meeting for parents of children moving into Years 2, 4 and 6
Tuesday 4 th July	Whole School Transition Day
Tuesday 4 th and Wednesday 5 th July	Y6 Buckinghamshire Transition Days
Friday 7 th July	End of year Reports to Parents
Monday 10 th July	EYFS and KS1 Sports Day (am)
Monday 10 th July	Y6 Production (Evening performance)
Tuesday 11 th July	Y6 Production (Afternoon performance)
Tuesday 11 th July	FOWS Disco – Y1 & Y2 (4:30-5:30pm) Y5 & Y6 (5:45-6:45pm)
Wednesday 12 th July	KS2 Sports Day – Y3 & Y4 (am), Y5 & Y6 (pm)
Thursday 13 th July	FOWS Disco – Rec (4:30-5:30pm) Y3 & Y4 (5:45-6:45pm)
Wednesday 19 th July (9:30am)	Y6 Leaver’s Service at St Laurence Church
Tuesday 18 th July	Y5 Victorian Day
Friday 21 st July	Last Day of Term
SUMMER HOLIDAY Children return on Tuesday 5 th September 2023	

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