



Wolsingham Primary Newsletter

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Coronation Celebrations

Our children have had a great day today celebrating the King's coronation. They donned their crowns and gathered in our indoor 'street' to eat their coronation picnic lunches and we ended our celebration assembly with a rendition of God Save the King. Typically the weather was very unpredictable for our colour runs today and unfortunately we had to make the decision to postpone them until **Tuesday 9th May** when fingers crossed the field will be dry and will not be slippery with all the added paint. A huge thank you to all those who sponsored our children to take part in the event, we believe that they will have raised over £1,000 for the Princes' Trust, which is fantastic. If your child has not yet brought in their sponsor money, we would be grateful if they could do this by the end of next week, alternatively it can be paid via ParentPay.

The children have also been gifted a memento of this historic occasion to bring home with them today in the form of a commemorative coin. We would like to say a huge thank you to Gill Calvert and Wolsingham Parish Council for funding the coins.

Class 2 Assembly

Our Class 2 children did a wonderful job in their assembly this week. They had such loud, clear voices and did a brilliant job of sharing their writing and artwork with their friends, family and the rest of the school. A huge thank you to all those who came along to support the children it was lovely to see so many of you in school.

Class 3 Swimming

Just to let you know that Class 3 children will be swimming on Friday next week not Tuesday. It will return to Tuesday afternoons for the rest of the half term.

Year 6 SATs

Just a reminder to parents that Year 6 SATs begin on **Tuesday 9th May**. We ask parents to make sure that they have a restful weekend with lots of sleep and that the children arrive promptly at school each day with their water bottles. The children have worked extremely hard and are well prepared for next week's challenge.

Coronation Fun Day

Wolsingham Parish Council are organising a Coronation Fun Day at the Recreation Park in Wolsingham on Sunday 7th May starting at 12pm. They have a varied programme planned with events including a Tug of War, a Daft Dog Show and Best Dressed King and Queen competition. Why not take a picnic with you and make an afternoon of it – they would love to see you all there!

Year 6 Volunteers Needed

The Parish Council would like some Year 6 volunteers to help out at the Coronation Fun Day they are planning on Sunday 7th May. Children would require permission from their parents or their parents to attend the event to help out. If your child would be interested in volunteering at the event, please contact Sarah-Ann Baxter, Parish Clerk by emailing wolsinghampc@gmail.com.

Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancies

We currently have a couple of vacancies for lunchtime supervisors. If you or anyone you know may be interested in the posts, please pass ask them to contact the school office for more information.

Dates for your diary...

Bank Holiday - School Closed	Monday 8 th May
Key Stage 2 SATs	Tuesday 9 th May – Friday 12 th May
Class 4 & 5 Visit to Oriental Museum	Thursday 25 th May
School Closes for Half Term	Friday 26 th May
School Opens	Monday 5 th June
Class 6 Rounders Festival	Tuesday 6 th June
Year 5/6 Residential Visit to Robinwood	Monday 12 th – Wednesday 14 th June
Year 1 Phonics Check	Monday 12 th – Friday 16 th June
Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check	Monday 12 th – Friday 16 th June
Adam Bushnell in School	Wednesday 14 th June
Summer Fair	Saturday 17 th June

S. Kitching

Headteacher

This Week's Winners

Star of the Week

- Class 1 – Alfie
- Class 2 – Ruby
- Class 3 – Maverick
- Class 4 – Chloe
- Class 5 – Scarlett
- Class 6 – Amie

Class Dojo VIP

- Class 1 – Evelyn
- Class 2 – Tom CW
- Class 3 – Jakson
- Class 4 – Barnaby
- Class 5 – Xander
- Class 6 – Drew

Top Spellers

- Class 2 – Edward
- Class 3 – Dillan
- Class 4 – Bentley
- Class 5 – James
- Class 6 – Ricky

Shed Score League

- 1st – Class 3 – 170,421,494
- 2nd – Class 5 – 142,701,408
- 3rd – Class 6 – 120,972,484
- 4th – Class 4 – 94,026,133
- 5th – Class 2 – 38,260,414

Highest Earners

- 1st – Ben Year 5
- 2nd – Oliver Year 4
- 3rd – Ricky Year 6

Most Improved

- 1st – Beau Year 4
- 2nd – Chester Year 4
- 3rd – Charlotte Year 5

Highest Earners

- 1st – Jaxsyn Year 1
- 2nd – Joshua Reception
- 3rd – Dillan Year 2

Highest Accuracy

- 1st – Zac Year 2 & George R. Rec
- 2nd – Arthur Reception
- 3rd – Bonnie Reception