



Wolsingham Primary Newsletter

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The end of another school year...

We have had a lovely end to our school year, being joined by family and friends in our end of year celebrations. All of our pupils have once again made good progress and done very well. As always, they have displayed great resilience and we are incredibly proud of each and every one of them. On behalf of the pupils, parents and governors of the school, I would like to say a **HUGE** thank you to all of the staff at Wolsingham Primary, who have all worked incredibly hard this year. We would like to also say a huge thank you to parents and families for their continued support. On a very emotional day, we say goodbye to our Year 6 pupils and Mr Chilvers and Mr Myers. We send them all our best wishes for the future.

Celebration Assembly

We were delighted that the children could come together for our Celebration and Leavers' Assembly. It was lovely to see all of the children, family and friends together in one place - it was a lovely way to end the year. We would like to thank The Angel Trust for kindly sponsoring a trophy for The Arts in memory of Mrs Meek and Friends of the School for donating the prize for our Mrs Redfern Memorial Competition. Congratulations to all of our award winners this year, they were very well deserved!

Nursery Star of the Year Award	Charlie Taylor Alice Todd
Progress Awards	Annie McGovern Tom Carter-Ward Isaac Thompson William Brown Max Smith Mia Stephenson Ryan Michaels-Lonsdale
Achievement Awards	Joshua Little-Howe Sophia Ashton Anna Henderson Ella Henderson James McAlister Gabriel Murray-English Ethan Stephenson
Sporting Award	Amie Hall
Mrs Meek Arts Award sponsored by The Angel Trust	Scarlett Goldsborough
Residential Award	Lewis Edwards
Attendance Award	Logan Saunter Harris Nuzzo Alex Smith Lara Goldsborough Scarlett Goldsborough Charlotte Garry Drew Nuzzo Ethan Stephenson
Contribution to School Life Award	Charley Sanderson Phoebe Dixon
The Mrs Davis Star Award	Lillie Wilson Poppy DeBrett-Watson
The Gladys Holliday Centenary Shield for Progress	Hubert Skwara
The Gladys Holliday Centenary Shield for Achievement	Ricky Kimber-Mitchell
Pupil Overall Performance Award	Ava Stone

We also awarded our House Team Cup – Congratulations to the **Yellow Team** who won the House Team Cup this year.

The lucky winner of the Mrs Redfern Memorial Competition Draw, winning £125 voucher for Stockeld Park was Anna Henderson Congratulations! We hope that the Henderson family uses it to have a lovely day out.

Uniform and PE Kit

Before the holiday and before parents go out to buy new school uniform, we would like to remind parents of our expectation of school uniform and PE kit.

The Wolsingham Primary School Uniform is as follows:

- Grey or black trousers (not leggings)/ skirt/ pinafore dress
- White shirt or polo shirt
- Burgundy sweatshirt or cardigan, preferably with the school logo
- Black shoes

For indoor and summer outdoor PE, our PE kit is as follows:

- White or plain team colour Tee Shirt
- Black / Navy / Burgundy shorts
- Trainers

Please note: Colourful sportswear and football kits are NOT allowed.

For winter outdoor PE only, our PE kit is as follows:

- Black or Navy Tracksuits and trainers

Please note that all children must have their PE kit in school and we suggest that children bring it into school at the beginning of a half term and take it home at the end of the half term. Please can we also remind parents that all children MUST have a water bottle in school every day.

School Meal Cost

As of September, the cost of Key Stage 2 school lunches will rise to £2.50 per week. Reception and Key Stage 1 lunches will continue to be funded by the government.

Dates for your diary...

School Closes	Friday 21 st July
School Opens	Wednesday 6 th September

S. Kitching

Headteacher

School Holiday and Term Dates 2023/24

Holiday	Closing Date	School Opens
Summer Break	Friday 21 st July 2023	Wednesday 6 th September 2023
Autumn Half-Term	Friday 27 th October 2023	Monday 6 th November 2023
Christmas Break	Tuesday 19 th December 2023	Thursday 4 th January 2024
Spring Half-Term	Friday 16 th February 2024	Monday 26 th February 2024
Easter Break	Thursday 28 th March 2024	Monday 15 th April 2024
May Day	Friday 3 rd May 2024	Tuesday 7 th May 2024
Summer Half-Term	Friday 24 th May 2024	Monday 3 rd June 2024
Summer Break	Friday 19 th July 2024	To be confirmed