



Wolsingham Primary Newsletter

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Year 5 Police and Crime Commissioner's Challenge

Emily Snowball from the Durham Agency Against Crime has been in school today to work with our Year 5 pupils and introduce the Police and Crime Commissioner's Challenge. The aim of the PCC challenge is to allow young people to give a little extra to help your local area become even safer, stronger and more resilient to crime and anti-social behaviour. Each child will receive a PCC Challenge booklet which consists of 3 stages:

- Stage one: **Bronze** – this section focuses on keeping family, friends and neighbours safe.
- Stage two: **Silver** – this section focuses on keeping the streets safe.
- Stage three: **Gold** – this section focuses on keeping themselves safe.

Once the children have completed the whole booklet, they will be rewarded with a badge/award for taking part. The deadline for them completing their booklet is **Friday 19th April**.

Dodgeball CVL

Another great night at the Dodgeball CVL this week with the team drawing 1:1 against Thornhill Primary and winning 4:0 against Escombe Primary! Well done team – keep it up!

Good Luck and Farewell Miss Coote!

Today we say good luck and farewell to Miss Coote who goes on her maternity leave today. We hope that she uses the time before the baby's arrival to rest and relax.

Class 4 Assembly

Class 4's assembly will take place on **Wednesday 31st January at 10.30am**. Parents/carers of children in Class 4 are very welcome to join us for the assembly and afterwards for coffee. We'd love to see you there!

Parking

We have been made aware of parents parking their cars on the yellow zig-zag lines outside the school gates. The zig-zags are put there as a reminder not to stop or park outside the school entrance as it blocks access and visibility of traffic for pedestrians coming in and out of the school. We would ask that all parents be more considerate about where they park to ensure that all of our children are safe coming into and out of school.



Tablets

The following link provides useful information for parents and carers about helping their child to use a tablet safely. It provides advice about how to talk to your child about using a tablet safely, thinking about where the tablet should be used and about how to explore parental

controls. <https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers/tablets>

Dates for your diary...

Class 4 Assembly	Wednesday 31 st January
Children's Mental Health Week	Monday 5 th – Friday 9 th February
Safer Internet Day	Wednesday 7 th February
School Closes for Half Term	Friday 16 th February
School Opens	Monday 26 th February
Y1-Y6 Cricket Taster Day	Wednesday 6 th March
World Book Day	Thursday 7 th March
Class 4 Tennis Festival	Monday 11 th March
Parent Teacher Consultations	Wk Beg: 11 th March
Cross Country Finals	Friday 15 th March

S. Kitching

Headteacher

This Week's Winners

Star of the Week

Class 1 – Holly
Class 2 – James
Class 3 – Alyssa
Class 4 – Beau
Class 5 – Pippa
Class 6 – Zach A.

Class Dojo VIP

Class 1 – Cole
Class 2 – Lennox
Class 3 – Caroline
Class 4 – Zac
Class 5 – William
Class 6 – Mason

Top Spellers

Class 3 – Sophia
Class 4 – Finlay
Class 5 – Bentley
Class 6 – Lewis

Shed Score League

1st – Class 6 – 89,733,250
2nd – Class 4 – 65,764,520
3rd – Class 5 – 38,472,528
4th – Class 3 – 127,748

Highest Earners

1st – William B. Year 4
2nd – Zach A. Year 6
3rd – Joe Year 4

Most Improved

1st – Carlton Year 5
2nd – William B. Year 4
3rd – Gabriella Year 5

Highest Earners

1st – Ted Year 1
2nd – Freya S. Year 1
3rd – Mollie Year 2

Highest Accuracy

1st – Evelyn, George R. and Logan Year 1
2nd – Oban Year 1
3rd – Harris Year 1