

# 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 19<sup>th</sup> 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 31**<sup>st</sup> **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...

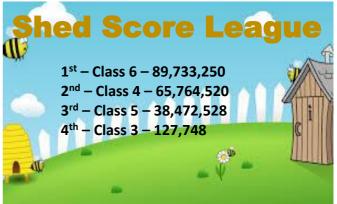
| Class 4 Assembly              | Wednesday 31st January                                   |
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| Children's Mental Health Week | Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February |
| Safer Internet Day            | Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February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

# This Week's Winners









# **Highest Earners**

1<sup>st</sup> – William B. Year 4 2<sup>nd</sup> – Zach A. Year 6 3<sup>rd</sup> - Joe Year 4

# **Most Improved**

1<sup>st</sup> - Carlton Year 5 2<sup>nd</sup> - William B. Year 4 3<sup>rd</sup> - Gabriella Year 5

## **Highest Earners**

1<sup>st</sup> – Ted Year 1 2<sup>nd</sup> – Freya S. Year 1 3<sup>rd</sup> – Mollie Year 2

## **Highest Accuracy**

1<sup>st</sup> — Evelyn, George R. and Logan Year 1
2<sup>nd</sup> — Oban Year 1
3<sup>rd</sup> — Harris Year 1