



St Wilfrid's Weekly Newsletter

Love God, Love Each Other, Love Learning

OCTOBER
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Let all that you do be done in love (1 Cor 16:14)

Christian Value for October: Democracy

THIS WEEK:

Well, here we are, at the end of another half term. Firstly, I would like to say a HUGE thank you to all of you for your warm welcome. I have had many great discussions with you and have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know you all. This week has been filled with exciting events for us. We received a delivery of over 200 new books for the school library via the Library Van. Also, we had the pleasure of meeting four players from the Morecambe Football team and we successfully carried out our first fire drill. It was great to see so many of you at Parent's Evening. I would also like to take this opportunity to say well done to all the children for their hard work and progress this term. They have done really well.

WORSHIP: This week, we thought about the impact of peaceful protest. On Thursday, Rev Susan reminded us of the story of Jacob and Esau. She highlighted the power of forgiveness and our need to forgive others.

POINT OF LIGHT AWARD: Oscar B

On Friday 3rd November, Oscar will be presented with a 'Point of Light Award'. The award is given by the Prime Minister to recognise his outstanding charity work in recent months. To mark this achievement, two local MPs will visit the school to present Oscar with the award. Also, the local media will be present to cover the event.

We will ensure that only those children who have permission will be recorded.

PARENTS EVENING:

It was lovely to see so many parents and families at our first parent's evening. I hope you found it beneficial. It is lovely to hear so many positive comments about our brilliant children and how hard they are working.

CHILDREN IN NEED: Friday 17th November 23

#Challenge Yourself and Be SPOTacular!

We will be having a non-uniform day when we will be asking for a donation that will be set up on Parent Pay. This will then be sent directly to children in need. There will also be a selection of activities in each classroom to help us have a SPOTacular day!

NEW PARENTS SHOWROUND:

If you know families who are considering St Wilfrid's as their school for September 2024 then please let them know that they are welcome to come and have a tour of our wonderful school. Please ask them to contact Mrs Harte or Mrs Brown in the school office on:

(01524) 811230



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STARS OF THE WEEK:

ASH: Henry
WILLOW: Mae
CHERRY: Guy
CHESTNUT: Lulu
BEECH: Alex
PINE: Nathaniel
SYCAMORE: Alex

LIBRARY VAN: (We love reading!)

This week we took receipt of 200 new reading books. These are a result of signing up to the Lancashire Library Scheme. Giving our children the chance to read high quality text is something that we really value. This is the start of an annual subscription and should help us to give our children great reading opportunities.

HISTORY WORKSHOP:

This week Oak Class saw the visit of an fantastic history workshop. The children really enjoyed finding out more about their World War Two topic. This day really made their learning come to life!

REMINDER:

Children return to school on Wednesday 1st November

Happy Half Term!

DATES FOR THE DIARY:

Tuesday 31st October 2023—Deadline for High School Applications

Friday 3rd November—Award Ceremony for Oscar for his recent charity work

Monday 6th November—Pine Class visiting Heysham Power Station

Tuesday 7th November—our second Hot Chocolate and Chat for St Wilfrid's Leavers. 4pm –5pm in school

Friday 10th November 9.10am Oak Class Worship, Theme: Remembrance—Oak Parents/Families welcome

Wednesday 15th November PTFA Meeting In School 3.30pm

Friday 17th November—Children in Need

Friday 17th November—PTFA Film Night 3.30pm—5.30pm = £2.50 per pupil

Final thought...

As our first half term draws to a close, I reflect on what we, as a school community, have achieved. I am immensely encouraged to see our school community working so well together. Governors, staff, parents, and children have all put in a tremendous effort to accomplish so much.

I trust that each and every one of you have a well-deserved holiday and return refreshed.

And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Philippians 4:7