



Newsletter



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Dear Parents /Carers,

We have been so proud of our children and teachers again this week!

Year 3 were exceptionally well-behaved and represented the school brilliantly on their trip to Coombe Abbey Country Park this week. They learnt so much about cave/den building and working as a team linked to their topic of Stone Age Britain. Miss Roger was really elated with the whole-class. Well done Year 3!



We were really lucky to have lots of new prospective parents and children join us on Thursday this week for an Open Morning. It was lovely to tour the school and show future families what we have achieved at Whitnash Primary and for all classes to be working so impressively in their classrooms. The Class Ambassadors did a fine job explaining their learning to our visitors and sharing their work. We are hopeful that these parents will be confident in joining us in September 2018-19 and we very much look forward to working with them and their children.

Plenty of other enriched learning experiences have been taking places in classrooms this week. Here is a list of just a few:

- The Year 4 children got to work with the Leamington Food bank to learn more about this community initiative and the work they do.
- Year 4 have conducted a practical Fizzy Pop Science experiment to investigate 'States of Matter' in the Science Room.
- Year 2 have helped out the Fairy Godmother in their Science lesson this week by investigating suitable materials for Cinderella's carriage.
- Year 1 have undertaken a 'Listening Walk' in the school grounds linked to their topic on the human senses and 'Ourselves'.
- Year 3 have been cooking once again this week and developed their own recipes for a Stone Age Fruit Stew. The stews smelt delicious!
- Year 4 have been swimming and are really enjoying this opportunity.
- Year 5 have had a great time again with the Warwickshire Music Service learning the Steel Pans.

Next week Year 6 will have the ultimate extra- curricular enrichment experience with their residential trip to Marle Hall. The excitement is building, and that's just Miss Simmons and Mr Hitchins! We wish them all a safe and fabulous time.

Thank you to all our teacher's for embracing a truly creative curriculum and planning such fun, engaging and purposeful learning opportunities for our children.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Ellison, Headteacher



Juniper Collecting for the Food Bank

Percy the Park Keeper Visits Holly

Percy the Park keeper rang us to say he had lost his badger Billy. We went on a badger hunt and found him up a tree. Percy came to visit us to fetch Billy. We asked Percy lots of super questions and really enjoyed his visit.



Maple Visit Coombe Abbey Country Park

On Wednesday 4th October Year 3 went to Coombe Abbey country Park to experience what life was like in the Stone Age. They built shelters from tree branches and leaves and made fires using flints. They even had time for a few hunting games in the woods. All children had a great time!



This Week's Achievements

Hazel	Phoebe-Mae - For always trying her best with her work. She always tries to listen to ways she can improve her work and tries to act on it. Well done Phoebe-Mae
Hawthorn	Cayden - For brilliant work in maths explaining how he had worked out an addition problem. Vlad - For writing about a setting independently and using some great words.
Pine	Bella - Bella has been working so hard with her writing. She has been trying really hard to write in full sentences. Keep it up Bella!

Maple	Thomas - For exceptional listening which means he is doing great learning.
Juniper	Hope - For fantastic effort in her homework creating a wonderful death mask.
Ash	Prisha - For a brilliant start at Whitnash Primary School - You've settled into year 5 beautifully!
Oak	Morgan - For a fabulous positive attitude all week! Keep it up! Imogen - For amazing homework! Brilliant model of Stonehenge. Well done!

Uniform Sale

FURTHER REDUCTIONS

Item	Price
Sweatshirt ONLY SIZE 24"	Was £9.50 Now £3.00
Sweatcardis Please check for sizes	Was £10.50 Now £4.00
Fleece Jackets Please check for sizes	Was £16.00 Now £8.00
Reversible Coat Please check for sizes	Was £18.00 Now £8.00
PE T-shirts Please check for sizes	Was £5.50 Now £2.50
Baseball Caps	Was £3.50 Now £2.00
PE Bags	Was £3.50 Now £2.00
Despatch Bags	Was £5.00 Now £2.50



Finnley-Shae

Attendance 25 - 29 September 2017



Well done Oak

99 Club

11	22	33	44	55	77	88	99	Silver
Sunit	Raymond Annalise Harrison Summer	Leighton Harley	Rose Lucas Leighton	Wyatt	Georgie	Eden- Mae	Evie	Milan

What's on ...			
October 2017			
9-13	Week	Week	Oak to Marle Hall
12	Thursday	9.15am-12.45pm	Year 3/4 Football Tournament at Myton
17	Tuesday	3.30-5.00pm	Football v St Joseph's (h)
19	Thursday	4.15-6.15pm	Halloween Disco
20	Friday	AM	Flu Immunisation—Reception—Year 4
20	Friday	3.15pm	Break up for Half-Term—one week
23-27	Week	Week	Half Term
30	Monday	Day	INSET day—school closed to pupils
31	Tuesday	8.55am	Pupils back at school
November 2017			
7	Tuesday	AM	Photographer—Individuals
9	Thursday	3.30-4.45pm	Football v Leek Wootton (h)
17	Friday	9.30am-12.00pm	Year 5/6 Sports Hall Athletics at Campion
December 2017			
8	Friday	DAY	Non-Uniform for Christmas Fayre
15	Friday	3.15pm	Christmas Fayre
22	Friday	3.15pm	Break up for Christmas Holidays



Lunch Menu 9 October 2017

Monday Organic Pork Meatballs (v) Cheese and Potato Pie Jacket Potato with Cheese ~ Homemade Toffee Apple Sponge with Custard	Tuesday Bacon Medallion and Pork Sausage (v) Breadcrumbs Vegetable Finger Jacket Potato with Pork Meatballs ~ Ice Cream Tub or Homemade Zesty Orange Cookie	Wednesday Roast Chicken Joint or Fillet (v) Vegetarian Toad in the Hole Jacket Potato with Bacon and Beans ~ Homemade Favourite Iced Sponge	Thursday Beef Lasagne (v) Cheese and Tomato Pizza Jacket Potato with Beef and Sweetcorn ~ Jelly with Fruit Or Homemade Honey and Raisin Bar	Friday Fish Fillet Fingers (v) Cheese and Egg Quiche Jacket Potato with Cheese ~ Homemade Chocolate Cracknell
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Everyday

Bread and chilled water are available throughout lunch. Fresh fruit platters, organic yoghurts and rice pots are available as alternative desserts.

Fresh fruits and vegetables used are subject to seasonal variation.

(MSC) Certified Sustainable Seafood

A non meat dish is available daily

Please let your school cook know if you require a vegetarian meal on a day when one isn't shown. For more information about school meals go to www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolmeals

