

# Newsletter Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019

**Menu Week:** Week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> March 2019 will be **Week 2 – A copy of the menu is on our website.**



**Attendance: Whole School Target 2018/19 is 95%**

**Week Ending 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – Whole School 92.7%**

Top 3 classes;            1. 13S = 99.3%            2. BEECH = 97.5%            3. 9DG = 97.4%

## Message from Mrs Garratt



You may have seen on the media that school budgets are being cut and this year we have really felt the difference. We have had our school budget for 2019/20 and it is not enough to cover our most basic expenditure. We will be having to review how much we ask for contributions regards cooking and look at emailing letters rather than using paper and printing costs. When we have a clearer picture, we will of course let you know.



In September we will have a vacancy in Russell House (our weekly boarding unit). Any parents wishing to talk about this further, have a look around etc please contact Abby Baker on 01562 512721. They need to be aged 10 and over for a place, however younger children may be considered.

## Friends of Wyre Forest News

Don't Forget - The 'Friends' are holding their Annual General Meeting on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April at 1.30pm at Russell House. Everyone is invited and there is more information if you follow this link

<https://www.wfs.worcs.sch.uk/page/?title=Friends+of+Wyre+Forest+School%26%23160%3B&pid=32>



## COMIC RELIEF - Fundraising



We raised an amazing **£344.40** from the sale of red noses by Class 7P and donations from students, Thank you!!!

## 12G News



12G have been taking part in a NatWest 'Monysense' workshop, benefiting from the real-life experience and expertise of NatWest Banking staff who worked with the pupils in the classroom. They have been learning about where they can keep their money safe and the difference between wants and needs when it comes to spending money. The pupils were presented with certificates at the end of the workshop and given goody bags.

## 10S

Sam from Class 10S won a bronze, a silver and gold medals recently in a swimming gala. Well Done Sam!



## Wyre Forest Poppins Group



On Monday we welcomed Sue, our specialist Autism Teacher, to our Poppins group.

Sue led a questions and answers session to support parents with strategies they may find useful at home. We look forward to more sessions with Sue in the next academic year, along with Cygnet autism training programmes run by the local children's centres.

## Mothers Day Gifts from Class 13S

Class 13S are selling bottles with lights in and a card for the bargain price of £5!!! Please order them with Class 13S now, and they will be ready for collection from 25<sup>th</sup> March.



## Reminder to all Parents -



Ofsted guidelines request that all schools call Parents on the first day of absence for every pupil if we have not been given a reason for that absence. If your child is unable to attend school, please call the school office on 01562 827785 before 9.15am if possible. It's important the Parents contact the school office directly and do not pass messages via transport / escorts as this can result in miscommunication, thank you.

## Lower School Easter Performance

**WILLOW, CHESTNUT, BEECH, BIRCH, ASH AND HOLLY** Classes are having their Easter Performance on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 9.30am, invitations have been sent home.

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25	Wyre Forest Poppins 1.45 – 2.45 with Signalong Nursery Rhymes
27	11B Tea Party for Mother's Day – 1.30pm, invites have been sent home
29	<b>BIRCH Assembly – Parents to arrive by 9am please</b>