

Newsletter Friday 7th October 2022

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Information for Parents



It was so lovely to see so many of you 'in the flesh' at parents evening. There was such a lovely buzz around the school. Thank you to The Friends of Wyre Forest for organising the tombola which raised £150 on the night and won by Mason in Chestnut class – well done to his family and enjoy!!

Please note the change in date of the Christmas Fair to Saturday 3rd December – put it in your diaries. The Friends of WFS are hoping to raise lots of money to transform our outdoor play and learning environment for all learners.

Below are the attendance figures for this week – remember our target is 95%.



OAK Class



This week in Oak Class we have been working hard to develop our communication skills in a range of ways. From using Picture Exchange Communication System (PECS) to request motivating toys, Aided Language Displays (ALDS) to support our learning, and developing our love of nursery rhymes and stories in phonics by joining in with words and actions. We are very busy communicators!



PINE Class

Pine class are already showing a variety of skills that they have developed from Alfie climbing really high. Evie and Jenson exploring and playing with small world. Tristen sharing with his friends and Olivia mark making in our sensory tray using custard.







ASH Class



Ash class have been working very hard, in maths we have been talking about 2D shapes, the children had a go at making all the different shapes.

In literacy they have been practicing using "time words" when talking about their morning routine. They even used "time words" when writing about how they made a leaf man.











Ash class have really enjoyed their cooking lessons where they have been making toasted sandwiches.



Well done to a group of pupils from years 8-14 who helped the local authority with their interview process for the post of SEND Group Manager. The interview questions, created by the pupils, ranged from 'what experience to do you have working with children?' 'can you help me learn to walk to school independently?' to 'what do you want for your birthday?' and 'what's your favourite order from Mcdonalds?'. Mel Barnett, Director for All Age Disability,

describes the pupil interview as 'definitely the best part of the process!'

BLOSSOM TREE CAFE

Blossom Tree Cafe has a new Facebook page! Please give us a like or follow, write us a review and help us spread the word of the wonderful work of Wyre Forest School Sixth-formers.



ACORNS – Reception

In Acorns this week we have been exploring lots of different pieces of physical equipment. Our trampet, sensory circuits and our favourite, the body roller. We have been trying our best to take turns, and love pushing ourselves through the body roller.



BIRCH Class

Birch class have been working hard building a tower using bricks, and sorting these into the correct colour. We've enjoyed making choices in the light room, and exploring play-dough while listening to dough-disco music!



WILLOW Class

In Willow class this week we have been working hard on interacting with peers when we are singing different songs! We have also loved retelling the story of Jack and the beanstalk, where we have been wearing character masks and saying the repeated refrains and also have enjoyed using the puppets to tell the story too! Some of us have also loved making up dances to the Jack and the beanstalk song and looking carefully at the book too!



11P News - SAVE THE DATE

Ann from HSBC is going to come in and work for a whole day with 11P focusing on money- bank accounts, money recognition and how to keep our money safe. The date is Friday 11th November. Further details will follow.



It was a pleasure to meet so many parents/carers at Parents' Evening this week and thank you for supporting our raffle and uniform sale, which raised over £150.

The next Friends of Wyre Forest School meeting will be taking place on Monday 10th October at 9:30am at Russell House and we'd love you to join us if you're free - everyone is welcome!

If you're not able to make it and would like to get involved, please contact us anytime via <u>friendsofwyreforestschool@gmail.com</u>

FIR Class

This week in fir class we have been trying out different activities and engaging in activities alongside our peers. We have also been working hard in using attributes with our PEC's.





Russell House News

This week at Russell House we have visited Costa, been swimming, youth club, sycamore and a walk. Happy Birthday to Jack.



11H have been working hard on their RSPB award creating animal habitats for amphibians and hedgehogs. We will be checking after half term for any new home owners!



ANNOUNCEMENT FROM INSPIRING WORCESTERSHIRE: Due to unforeseen circumstances the Careers and Apprenticeship Roadshow which was due to be held on Wednesday 12th October from 4pm til 8pm at Sixways Stadium has now been moved to County Hall, Spetchley Road, Worcester, WR5 2NP.

OCTOBER 2022	
5	Parents Evening (3.10pm – 6.10pm)
14	Early Years Stay and Play – 1.30pm – Apologies, CANCELLED
20	Post 14 Coffee Morning – 9.30
23-28	HALF TERM

Please note: all the above dates / times are subject to change.

<u>Please can we remind all Parents & Carers to keep the school office updated with any change of</u> details, i.e, telephone numbers, addresses, list of contacts. Thank you

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