



Westhead Lathom St James'

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Dear Families,

Lots of updates for you this week.

At the end of last week, our wonderful Ethos Group went out to visit Bickerstaffe School and deliver collective worship to all of the children and staff. We are very proud of the group that planned and delivered the worship session. They worked incredibly hard and delivered the worship session very well. We then welcomed friends from Christ Church School later the same day to deliver worship to our school. This has been a lovely project this year and something we have the chance to take part in again next year.

On Monday, our Wise Owls enjoyed their latest Art Day. It was a messy but very exciting day during which the children created their own 3D sculptures using wire and Modroc.

On Tuesday, some of our Year 3 and 4 pupils went to Edge Hill for the afternoon to take part in an athletics competition. The children were excellent representatives for school and really enjoyed the events. Well done everyone!

On Wednesday, our Y6 pupils went to Liverpool Cathedral for their leavers' service. This was a very enjoyable event during which schools from across the Liverpool Diocese came together to celebrate the children as they move on to their next schools.

On Wednesday, our Y2 children were also busy enjoying their first Forest School session of the term. The children loved exploring the forest and can't wait to return next week.

On Thursday and Friday, Years 1-6 enjoyed Godly Play sessions up at church. These are interactive and reflective sessions that are a great enrichment of our RE curriculum. Thanks to our PTA for paying for these experiences.

This morning, our Ladybirds and Butterflies enjoyed their attendance award over at the Midstream coffee morning at the village hall.

Thanks to everyone who have sent donations in for our summer fayre which will be held from 3.30pm on Friday 21st June.

Finally, please can I remind any car users to park respectfully of our neighbours. Where possible I would encourage you to use the pub car park for drop offs and pick ups. Many thanks for your cooperation with this matter.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Miss Clark

CHURCH DATES AND EVENTS

This weeks Sunday service Morning Prayer 10.30am

Third Sunday after Trinity

Book Service

admin@stjameswesthead.org.uk




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Stars of the week and Christian Values Bear



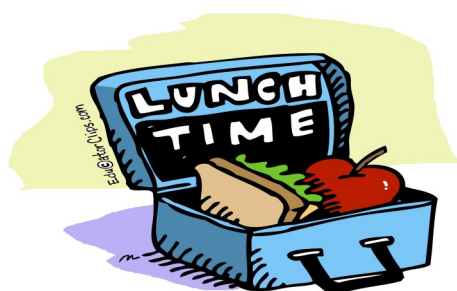
	Ladybirds & Butterflies	Busy Bees	Eager Beavers	Wise Owls
	Isaac N	Charlie W	Sammy M	George F L

Reception	Busy Bees		Eager Beavers		Wise Owls	
Lillia H 	Hudson T 	Dylan G 	Summer JB 	Teddy JJ 	Amelie L 	Isla A 

A few photos...



Lunchtime information...



Please note on the **11th July** this lunch option is the only option. If your child doesn't like this then please send a packed lunch.

If your child doesn't normally have school dinners and wants to have this, please let me know in the office and send email to bur-sar@wlsj.lancs.sch.uk

All dinner monies need to be paid by the end of term. £2.50 per lunch is the cost . YR 3/4/5/6



Attendance Matters

What your child's
attendance figures
mean...

100% attendance	Zero days missed	Excellent!
99% attendance	Two days of absence across the year	Excellent!
97% attendance	Five days of absence across the year	Good
95% attendance	Nine days of absence across the year: one week and four days of learning missed.	Satisfactory
90% attendance	Nineteen days of absence across the year; three weeks and four days of learning missed	Poor
85% attendance	Twenty-eight days of absence across the year: five weeks and three days of learning missed.	Very Poor
80% attendance	Thirty-eight days of absence across the year: seven weeks and 3 days of learning missed.	Unacceptable
75% attendance	Educational Neglect Forty-six days of absence across the year: nine weeks and one day of learning missed.	Unacceptable

Attendance in school this week...

Ladybirds/Butterflies 89.4%

Busy Bees 92.6%

Eager Beavers 99.1%

Wise Owls 91.8%

This week's best attenders are Eager Beavers!

Note-

Absence should be reported to the office on
01695 574078 OR bursar@wlsj.lancs.sch.uk

Please do NOT report absence to class

teachers, seesaw or school spider. Thanks

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Dates for the Diary!

Monday 17th June	5.30pm London Trip Parents' Meeting
Monday 17th June	Year 2 Forest School
Tuesday 18th June	SHARES Inter-school athletics tournament at Robin Park, Wigan
Tuesday 17th June	EYFS Forest School
Wednesday 19th June	Wise Owls Forest School
Friday 21st June	KS1 Boccia and Kurling Event JMO
Friday 21st June	3.30pm PTA Summer Fayre
Monday 24th June	Year 2 Forest School
Monday 24th June	New Starters Transition Morning
Tuesday 25th June	EY Forest School
Wed 26th -28th June	WO London
Monday 1st July	Yr 6 leavers
Monday 1st July	Yr 2 Forest school
Monday 1st July	New starters transition morn
Tuesday 2nd July	WO Meet the teacher 3.30pm
Tuesday 2nd July	EY Forest school
Wednesday 3rd July	WO Forest School
Wednesday 3rd July	EB meet teacher 3.30
Thursday 4th July	New starters transition PM
8th July - 12th	Transition Week