



Best News...

Dear Parents/ Carers,

The Week Ahead

Mon.	8 th	- Dance Club	School hall 3.20 - 4.20pm
		How Hill, Yr4 Parents Meeting	School Hall 6.30pm
Tues.	9 th	- Guitars lessons am	
		Yr 4 Fun Maths Club	1pm in 4P
		Yr 5/6 Korfball	Lunchtime (after first sitting)
		Drums pm	Mobile
		Cooking Club	3.20pm - 4.30pm
Wed.	10 th	- Keep it Moving Club	School Hall 8.30am
		Guitars lessons am	
		Tag Rugby Festival final	Norwich Rugby Club.
			Returning WWL 4.15PM
		Keyboard lessons pm	Mobile
		Woodwind pm	ICT Suite
		Skillforce - The Princes Trust	4.30pm finish
Thur.	11 th	- Book Club Bake Sale	Break time
		Korfball Year 3/4	Lunchtime (after first sitting)
		Funky Hama Bead Club	6Q Lunchtime
		Samba Club	School Hall 3.15 - 4.30pm
		Drums pm	Mobile
		No Gymnastics	
		Art Club	6J 3.15pm - 4.15pm
		SATs Explained	School Hall 6.30pm
		(Yr6 Parents meeting)	
Fri.	12 th	- Drama Club	3.20-4.20pm
		Year 3 Author visit (Guy Bass)	
		Valentine Disco	7.00pm - 9.00pm

Dates for Your Diary:

Wednesday 24th February (evening) - Instrumental Concert

Thursday 3rd March - World Book Day

Friday 18th March - Free dress day please bring a donation for the Easter Egg Raffle

HOUSEPOINT TOTALS



Buckingham	(Green)	325	Total - 41
Balmoral	(Blue)	342	Total - 47
Sandringham	(Yellow)	332	Total - 29
Windsor	(Red)	481	Total - 53

Congratulations to **Windsor** this week!

THE ATTENDANCE CUP



Was awarded to
4S and 6J

With attendance of 100%

For the week 25th -29th January 2016

TALK HOMEWORK & 'WOW' WORDS

Each week we send a Talk Homework activity and 'Wow' Words home and we would be very grateful for your support.

We are trying to help all our children develop excellent speaking and listening skills, which in turn will help them with their writing. "If a child can't say a sentence then they can't write it either!"

Please spend at least 10 minutes talking with your child about the questions below;

America has just experienced some of the worst snow storms in 100 years, with more than two feet of snow falling, and winds of more than 50 mph. Cities have closed completely, schools have shut, roads and transport systems have been too dangerous to use. However there have been some extraordinary sights of people making the most of the snow and having fun.



What would you and your family have done if England had had 2 feet of snow fall in one weekend? What adventures would you have got up to? What creations would you have built? How would you have kept safe and made sure others around you were safe too?



In Big Talk, we use 'WOW'
Words to improve our
vocabulary

and 'big up' our sentences to
make them more interesting!

Our 'WOW' Word this week is;
Deluge

(barrage, volley, flood, torrent, avalanche, stream, storm,
shower, cascade, spate, wave, rush, outpouring.)

Please encourage your child to use this word,
in the right context, as much as possible.

- The 'Talk Homework' and 'WOW' words will be set every Friday in the newsletter; children will then share their 'Talk' with their class on a Tuesday morning.
- We will encourage the children to use the WOW word throughout the week.

Maths App of the Week!

Mathdoku+ (Taps Tecnologia de Informacao Ltda)

A logic game mix of sudoku and maths sums.



Thank you for your support in helping your child.



WORLD BOOK DAY



This year's World Book Day will be on **Thursday 3rd March 2016**. To celebrate World Book Day, we would like to give the children the opportunity to come dressed as their favourite book character for the day. Children that dress as their favourite book character will be required to bring in a small donation of money.

All donations will go to funding different and enjoyable reading resources for the whole school, to encourage reading for pleasure during guided reading sessions. If your child has any suggestions on what type of reading material they would like us to buy, they can speak to one of our school librarians. We hope that your child can join in the fun and that we can raise a reasonable sum of money to go towards funding brand new reading resources! This may include: books, magazines, comics or even e-readers!



Celebrate International Children's Book Day by taking your child(ren) on a visit to the magnificent medieval Dragon Hall on Saturday 2nd April 2016, 12.30pm – 4pm. Enjoy the free story-telling event with acclaimed children's writers Robert Paul Weston, Nadine Kaadan and Alexander Gordon Smith.

For further details go to the 'What's on' page at:
<http://www.writerscentrenorwich.org.uk/>



The Nebula Partnership



GOLDEN BOOK AWARD

Congratulations to the following pupils for providing us with 'WOW' moments and for being entered into our Golden Book;



Owen Gibbs, Max Cookaday, Joshua Adams, Joel Brierley, Danny Cresswell, Zehra Hameed, Phoebe Howard, Lacey Maxwellstuart and Harley Clabbarn

Year 3 Author visit

We are lucky to have author **Guy Bass** coming to talk to Year 3 on Friday 12th February and officially open our Library Bus.

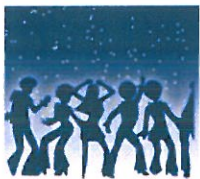
Guy Bass is an award-winning children's book author and semi-professional geek. His book series include Stitch Head, The Legend of Frog, Dinkin Dings, Atomic! and Monster Madness / Monster Mayhem. He won a Blue Peter Book Award in 2010 for Dinkin Dings and the Frightening Things and has twice won the Portsmouth Book award.

For more information visit:

<http://www.guybass.com/>

VALENTINE DISCO (WULS children only)

Friday 12th February 7.00 – 9.00pm



The disco begins at 7.00pm and the children will not be let into school before then, so please ensure children do not arrive at school before this time. The main school entrance by the office is the door to use. Parents coming by car should note that, for safety reasons, the school car park cannot be used to drop children off. Please be aware that the side gates will be locked. The Friends

charge £1.00 for entrance and children can bring some pocket money to buy drinks and snacks throughout the evening. We will also be selling Glow Sticks; Glow bracelets, Glow 'Bunny Ears' and Glow Glasses.



All pupils must be collected at the end of the evening by an adult. Children leave the hall through the main entrance and we suggest you meet your children in the car park and by the main school gate. The school gate is closed so cars cannot use the car park at the end of the disco. We stagger the finish to make it a little easier to reunite parents and children as follows;

- Year 3 will leave at 8.50pm
- Year 4 will leave at 8.55pm
- Years 5 and 6 will leave at 9.00pm.

Parent helpers are always welcome. If we do not get sufficient support from parents we may need to cancel the disco for health and safety reasons. Many staff attend these events but not the whole staff, so we, and the Friends committee, need help! If you are able to support this event, speak to one of the parents on the friends committee or just leave your details at the school office and you will be contacted!



HEAD LICE

We have had reports that head lice have returned! The only way they can be controlled is if every parent checks their child's hair and if head lice are present, treats the child.

Top tips for checking and treating:

Head lice are well camouflaged and hide when disturbed by combing. They do not always cause itching particularly when recently arrived on the head. They may also be few in number and a quick inspection is unlikely to detect them.

The recommended method is to use conditioner and a fine toothed comb, checking the comb for lice after each stroke as you work through the hair section by section, so that the whole head is combed through. Rinse out the conditioner and repeat the combing procedure in the wet hair.

If you find lice, you can treat using lotions obtainable from a pharmacist or by continuing to use the wet/conditioner combing method.



Book Club Bake Sale

The School Book Club will be hosting a Bake Sale this Thursday, 11th February at break time in the DT area.

Items will cost 40p and money raised will be used to fund the clubs next read.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Please notify the school office if your child is not able to attend an after school club that they are a member of. There have been instances recently where children have not attended a club and the school has not been informed.

Your support in this matter will prevent unnecessary phone calls and worry.

Thank you.

BINGO NIGHT

Thank you to FOWWLS (Friends of White Woman Lane School) for another fun and successful Bingo Night! A profit of £340.07 was raised. Fantastic!





STARS OF THE WEEK



Poppy Powell 3B

For completing 11 hours in the Christmas holidays for Children's University

Tyler Rudd 3B

For trying hard with cursive handwriting and for being helpful and caring member of 3B

Harry Parker 3B

For great work on Scratch in ICT and for helping teach a fellow pupil skills to use in Scratch.

Jayden Lee 3C

For independently editing his writing and putting in punctuation and interesting sentence starters. What a star!

Charlotte Bailey 3C

For her enthusiasm, hard work and bubbly nature in all lessons. Well done for giving everything a go!

Bailey Yallop 3S

For trying really hard all week and having a 'can do' attitude for his work.

Grace Friend 3S

For trying really hard in Art and designing some beautiful picture frames.

Cameron Fredrick 4SR

For great work in Maths with decimals and super performing in English!

Zehra Hameed 4SR

Great Writing in Literacy and Extended Writing.

Bella Harper 4P

For a spectacular 'rock and roll' piece of writing in Literacy.

Year 4, Set 2, Literacy

For an outstanding performance of 'Fred the Bogeymen'.

Ryan Johnson 4P

For excellent and somewhat interesting ideas of what he would take with him on his journey of life.

Karenza Elgie 4S

For consistently impressing Mrs Austin with your great attitude during German lessons.

Ethan Barnes 4P

For making a great effort to share his ideas and opinions in class discussions throughout the week.

Hayden Thompson 5B

For fantastic improvement in home work.

Ehren Towers 5B

For fantastic improvement in home work.

Karmen Wan 5B

For getting 15 hours of Children's University challenges over the holiday.

Ruby Goodall 5G

For working really hard on her handwriting

Skye Wells 5G

For understanding how to work out perimeter and area of compound shapes.

Callum Alcock 5G

For showing a good attitude to work in class.

Lilly Browning 5QR

For amazing listening skills and contributions to History lessons.

Sam Britton 5QR

For taking part more in lessons and sharing his knowledge of the Tudors.

Liberty Millins 6B

Great contributions in Science.

George Mann 6B

For creating a very persuasive poster in extended writing.

Katie Hartman 6J

For producing a super piece of artwork and working really hard to perfect her watercolour skills.

Toby Fisher 6J

For creating a wonderful perspective painting of an aquarium and sharing ideas for the rest of the class to use.

Thomas Seago 6Q

For always making the effort to learn his spellings.

Lillie Whipps 6Q

Always helpful, always busy, always chirpy. A twinkle star!



NCU Adventure Days

**Ages
8-14**

£35

**Survival & Archery Day - 16 February
Orienteering & Katukanu Day - 18
February
10am - 3pm at Whitlingham
Outdoor Education Centre**

**"Wake Up & Wind Down" club available for
parents wishing to drop off early and collect
later.**

**Dont forget to bring lunch and your survival
clothing.**



**Hot chocolate with
marshmallows on arrival**



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www.whitlinghamoec.co.uk**