

**Newsletter** 

8th July 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a sporty week we have had at Wynstream! Not only did we have 3 sports days during the week but some of our year 6 children represented Wynstream in a football match against Christow Primary school. Thanks to Mr Rouse for organising. They came back victorious after a 3-2 win, well done to all!



Thanks to all the parents and family members who were able to come to the sports days to cheer on the children; it was so lovely to be able to welcome families back into school again. It was extremely well organised thanks to Mr Rouse, staff, Isca Year 10 Sports leaders and some of our Year 5 and 6 leaders.

All the children participated in a range of activities, from 'personal best' class challenges to the more traditional sports day activities. Congratulations to all children! There are some fantastic photographs in the showcase section on page 4.

The end of the week was filled with transitions. Many of our Year 6 pupils visited their secondary schools whilst our reception children for September visited on



Thursday evening and Friday morning. Ms Vickery and Mrs Willis and the team were very impressed with the independence and enthusiasm shown. Thanks to staff for their hard work organising and to the families who attended.

After school, the PTFA met in school to plan for the Year 6 leavers disco on Friday 15th July and the School Summer Fayre on Thursday 21st July. Thanks to all the volunteers who have signed up thanks to the persuasive skills of Isaac and Dorcas (Year 5.)

We still need some volunteers to help out in various ways at the Summer Fayre. Email <a href="mailto:wynstreamptfa@ecfschools.org.uk">wynstreamptfa@ecfschools.org.uk</a> or speak to a member of staff if you are able to help out, thank you. The next PTFA meeting will be on Tuesday 12th July 2022 in the EYFS space. All are welcome.



Next week is the penultimate week of term and a little less busy than this week



has been. Although on Wednesday you are welcome to pop into classes for 'Open Class', an opportunity to look at some of your children's learning and also go and say hello to your child's new class and teacher. Keep an eye on Class DoJo for timings for the Open Class events.

On Thursday, both Year 2 and Year 3 are out on trips, fingers crossed the weather stays fine!

A request for volunteers; we are looking to get volunteers who hold a full, clean UK licence to help drive our minibuses. Full safeguarding training will be given. Please speak to me if you are able to help.

We have circulated an **amended school calendar for 2022/23** to all pupils. Please click <u>here</u> to see a copy. Pupils will now return to school on Tuesday 6th September 2022.

Lastly some reminders:

- Please can we remind all that the school is a smoke free site and this includes both smoking or vaping.
- Uniform reminder, please make sure that your child is wearing school uniform and on PE days sports kit (white shirt and black or navy bottoms).
- The Year 4 cake sale in the playground raised £50.00. Thanks to all those parents who contributed or bought cakes. All proceeds to the PTFA.

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- When it is sunny please apply suncream and send in named hats but no sunglasses (unless prescription).
- Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle filled with water every day.

Have a lovely weekend and we look forward to welcoming you back on Monday.

Best wishes, Elise Redman

Headteacher





Holiday Activities & Food Programme—Summer 2022. Places are now available for children from across Devon, aged five to 16 years old, who are eligible for benefit -related free school meals, to take part in holiday activities with meals this summer.

The Holiday Activities and Food (HAF)





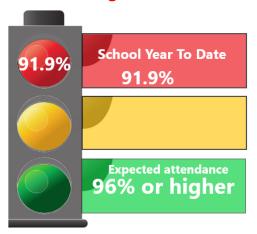
programme provides free physical activities as well as healthy, nutritional, hot meals, for four weeks over the summer break.

See last weeks newsletter for more information or click <u>here</u> to learn more, check eligibility and book spaces.

Sports Clubs 8th-15th July. Unfortunately Sports Clubs after school today, and for next week are cancelled. We apologise for any inconvenience. Parents/Carers of pupils with bookings for affected sessions will receive a text message with an update.

## **School Attendance - Ongoing Reporting**

The information below shows that whole school attendance for the dates between 6th September 2021 and 30th June 2022 is currently **91.9%**, 0.1% up on when we reported 1 week ago.



This is still below the expected attendance rate of **96% or higher.** The national average for attendance in state funded primary schools was **92.3%** to April 2022, Wynstream Primary School is **0.4%** below this national average.



Current government guidance suggests that Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.

Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under who have a positive COVID 19 test the advice will be 3 days.

Regular asymptomatic testing is no longer recommended in any education or child-care setting and the school. Click <a href="here">here</a> to see more information on the government website. Click <a href="here">here</a> to see the updated and expanded NHS list of Covid symptoms.



Next PTFA Cake Sale. Our next cake sale is Friday 8th July, from 3:10pm onwards. Year 5 parents & carers will be donating cakes. Thank you in advance.







Tuesday 5th July, Year 5 & 6. Congratulations to Oak Class who were the winners of the class carousel!



Thursday 7th July, Year 3 & 4. Congratulations to Kingfishers Class who were the winners of the class carousel!



Wednesday 6th July, Year 1 & 2. Congratulations to Squirrels Class who were the winners of the class carousel!



Well done to our Year 6 football team who travelled to Christow after school. They









gave a great account of themselves as pupils of Wynstream, showing great resilience after going 1-0 and 2-1 down to fight back and win 3-2!

Our goals all came from Archie who scored a hat trick. Well done to Phoebe, Kaleb, Mylie, Tyler, Kye, Phoebe, Callie, Archie & Zac!

Well done to our Year 1's and 2's who recently competed in a football tournament at St Peter's. They all played really well together considering they had never done so before!



#### **Results:**

Wynstream 1-0 Westclyst

Tymon was our goalscorer!

Wynstream 0 v 0 St Leonard's

Wynstream 3 V 0 Monty

Tymon - 3 goals!

Wynstream 4 V 0 St Leonard's

Noah - 3 goals & Ted - 1 goal

Wynstream 2 V 1 Broadclyst

Noah was our goalscorer!



Year 6 have been studying Barbara Hepworth, an English artist and sculptor. Her work exemplifies Modernism and in particular modern sculpture. Hepworth was a leading figure in the colony of artists who resided in St Ives during the Second World War.





Mulberry and Oak classes have been making sculptures to support their learning.







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As we work through celebrating our 5 school values and nominated British Values, our teachers this week have

nominated a pupil in their class who has demonstrated any one of these values. Congratulations to the 12 children who have been nominated.

For more information about our school values, vision and ethos please visit our website or click here

# **Congratulations to:**

### **EYFS**

Logan Thompson & Marlie Page-Mills

#### Year 1

Ellie Townsley & Zac Slayford



#### Year 2

**Emily Gwyther & Libby Willis** 

#### Year 3

Mia Kelly & George Reeves

#### Year 4

Rodion Bielozorov & Sapphire Palfrey-Smith

#### Year 5

Teo Senodeyici & Helena Viju

Some example of the nominations this week are;

"Integrity, this pupil has been making sure that they are doing the right thing by having kind hands, kind feet and kind words."

"This pupil has high aspiration with her reading- wanting to share with the class a story that she rehearsed and then read aloud with the utmost resilience."

**Congratulations,** and really well done to everyone.

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## **Key School Dates;**

From Monday 6th June, Summer Term hobby clubs started, please look out for DoJo correspondence and about booking arrangements.

<u>Cake Sale</u> Friday 8th July, after school, with cake donations by Year 5families.

Next PTFA meeting Tuesday 12th July, EYFS Space.

Open Class Wednesday 13th July, Timings to be confirmed on Class DoJo.

Year 2 trip to Exmouth Beach. Thursday 14th July.

Year 3 trip to the River Exe Flood defence scheme. Thursday 14th July.

<u>Year 6 Leavers Disco.</u> 5:30—7pm, Friday 15th July.

<u>Year 6 Trip to Woodlands.</u> Wednesday 20th July.

<u>School Summer Fayre.</u> Thursday 21st July.

Year 6 Leavers Assembly. Thurs 21st July.

Last day of the summer term. Thurs July 21st 2022. School re-opens again Tuesday 6th September 2022.



## **Summer Fair News**



Thursday 21st July 2022 3:30-5:00pm

WYNSTREAM PRIMARY SCHOOL





- · bouncy castle ·
- · tin can alley ·
- · soak the teacher ·
  - · lucky dip ·
  - · archery ·
    - · raffle ·
- · guess the sweets ·
- · sweets and ice pops ·
  - · face painting · and much more!





If you would like to help run a stall or have any raffle donations please contact wynstreamptfa@ecfschools.org.uk





# OrganicARTS Barn Dance Fundraiser Saturday 23rd of July

7-11pm - West Town Farm, EX2 9TG





The barn dance is back! Join us for an evening full of food, drink, dance, and music with Red Shed ceilidh band. All proceeds go towards our charitable projects.

Online: Adult £12 (hild £5

On the Gate: Adult £14 Child £7

Children under 3 go free. A meal of chili, rice and salads is included in the ticket price. There will be a bar!



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