

WILLERSEY CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



*We learn together in
FAITH, FUN and FRIENDSHIP*

Issue 11 – 28 February 2025

		UPCOMING EVENTS	
Mon	8am Breakfast Club	Thurs 6 March	World Book Day
Tues	8am Breakfast Club	Fri 7 March	Theatre Trip "Peter and the Wolf"
Wed	8am Breakfast Club Class 1 – Forest School	Fri 21 March	Red Nose Day
Thurs	8am Breakfast Club		
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Class 1

'Tidy' by Emily Gravett

We have started an exciting new unit in English based on 'Tidy' by Emily Gravett. The story follows Pete the Badger, who loves tidying a little too much—so much that he accidentally destroys the forest and the homes of his animal friends! So far, the children have made predictions about the story and written thoughtful letters of apology from Pete. We are now learning the text off by heart using actions, story maps, and drama activities to bring it to life.

Science

In science, our topic Caring for Our Planet ties in beautifully with our English work. We have been exploring how to create good habitats for wildlife in our garden, sharing the book 'A Good Place' by Lucy Cousins, and drawing pictures of what a perfect wildlife-friendly space or 'A good place' would look like. The children have also enjoyed making wildflower seed bombs! Over the next few weeks, we will be looking at ways to help birds and other animals visit our garden.

RE

In RE, our big question this term is 'What is the good news Christians believe Jesus brings?' We will be exploring themes of friendship, forgiveness, peace, and kindness—what they mean to Christians and how they are important to us too.

Mrs Warren and the Class 1 Team

Class 2

'The Butterfly Lion' and Art

The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo.

We continue to explore the relationship between Bertie and Millie in our story 'The Butterfly Lion' by Micheal Morpurgo. We have used the text to begin to write a letter this week in different character roles. We have also explored the features of both formal and informal letters.

Maths

In Maths we have been working on our understanding of Numerators and Denominators, identifying unit fractions and adding these to non-unit fractions.

History

Vikings is our new topic this term, we will be investigating battles and artefacts as well as posing some historical questions.

PE

In PE we have begun handball. We hope to get some action shots as the children develop new skills in the coming weeks.

Friends of School News

EASTER BINGO 29th March 2025!!

We are looking for kind donations for the Easter Bingo raffle. If you have any leftover/unwanted gifts and sets please pass onto Robyn, Becki, Lucie or Mel. Donations can also be left at school reception to be passed on. Thank you!

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Easter BINGO Night

Saturday 29th March
Willersey Village Hall
£10 per ticket (includes 6 books)
Doors Open 6:30pm
Eyes Down 7pm

PRIZES DONATED FROM:

- SLICED.
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- MUSE HAIR & BEAUTY
- LANDMARK
- THE SWAN
- THE COTSWOLD LARDER EST. 2015
- GORSEHILL ABBEY FARM

CASH ONLY event.
Raffle prizes and special tickets also to be won!

Bring your own drinks. and many more...

Trip and Visit – Peter and the Wolf

Yesterday we had a visit from the musicians who will be playing at the Cidermill Theatre in Peter and the Wolf. All the children enjoyed listening and learning from them.

Peter and the Wolf Trip to Cidermill Theatre will be departing at 12.30 and returning at 2.00pm. Due to the times involved, please can you make sure you send your child with a packed lunch.



Church News

Your Church is open for you every day. Welcome Café, in Saint Peter's, every Thursday afternoon 2pm – 4.30pm. Any enquires to Gillian Beale 01386 852958

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The next newsletter is due out Friday 14 March. Please email any information that you would like to be included to admin@willersey.gloucs.sch.uk by Thursday 13 March