



LITTLE WALTHAM
C.E.V.A. Primary School

WEEKLY NEWS

Aspiring to inspire others towards excellence

Summer Term – Edition 16, 12TH May 2023

Good afternoon everyone.

A big 'well done' to our amazing year 6s for working so hard in preparation for their SATS this week. They showed true resilience and maturity and we are therefore extremely proud of each and every student. A 'big thank you' goes to all the Yr6 families for your incredible support and encouragement throughout this year – we know you have all been instrumental in helping the children with their progress.

A big 'thank you' again, to everyone that was able to join us last Friday for our 'Royal Picnic', we hope you enjoyed the afternoon as much as we did. We were extremely lucky with the weather, the sun was shining up until we said our goodbyes.

A final 'thank you' goes to the amazing PTA, in particular Faye Sisto for running the refreshments stall and keeping everyone topped up with tea, doughnuts and ice lollies. An incredible £220 was raised on the day, which is amazing. I hear the PTA already have plans underway for a Summer Fete which is exciting news.

I hope everyone has an enjoyable and relaxing weekend.

Mr S Saunders

Headteacher







This week's value is service.



Dear God,

Teach us to be thoughtful and kind like Jesus, putting others before ourselves.
Lord of the loving heart, may mine be loving too.
Lord of the gentle hands, may mine be gentle too.
Lord of the willing feet, may mine be willing too.
So I grow to be more like you in all I say and do.
Amen

"For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve" Mark 10:45

This Week's Big Question

Should we always speak up for what is right or wrong?



Chestnut

Yes, because if you've done something to someone you should always speak up and say - *Freddie T*

I think you should because if somebody kicked someone they might say it's another person- *Angelica*

When people are being horrible they should say sorry – *Freya*

When someone hurts you, you should tell - *Reggie*

I think you should always tell the truth because you might get told off - *Esmæ*

You should tell the truth because if people are rude and you tell the teacher they tell you to say sorry - *Alanna*

Maple

Yes, it makes a big difference to the world - *Sosa*

Yes, to put things right. *William H*

Yes, stick up for others. *Alaina*

Sycamore B

It depends, if you aren't 100% right then you maybe taking a risk – *Vihaan*

Yes because it is really important – *Marshall*

Yes because everyone should be treated fairly – *Libby*

It depends on the situation because it could make it worse – *Anusha*

It depends, sometimes it can make it worse but you should try and speak up – *Reuben*

Yes if you are in school and see something wrong then you should speak up – *Theo*

	Value Service	Super Skill Being Inquisitive	Catch me being good	Focus Maths Award	Other
Ash	Alice for being helpful in class.	Charlie M for asking interesting questions.	Zac for great effort in maths this week.	Eliza for working hard on her handwriting.	
Chestnut	Teddy for always being helpful to the adults and children in class.	Jeorgie for always asking questions and listening to the answers.	Dakota for some super use of maths vocabulary.	Ralph for a great diary story.	Esmae for trying hard with letter and number formation.
Elm	Gentilia and Betsie for always offering to help me around the classroom – thank you! 😊	All of Elm for showing lots of interest this week in English when making our sandwiches	Florence for some excellent reasoning in maths this week	James for a good piece of instructional writing that included all features	
Maple	Isla for always being helpful and organising books and resources.	Rhian for always taking time to think about a topic and ask a searching question.	Rebekah for always following instructions carefully. Jake B for being a kind and caring friend. Mrs Finch	Emily for some excellent persuasive writing.	Jake Seymour
Oak	Joe for being so helpful all of the time in class and around school. I've had two different adults around school this week tell me how polite and helpful you were.	For the whole class because you have had so many questions and been so inquisitive in our learning about the Ancient Egyptians.		Ezra for some brilliant mummification instructions.	Jenna – lots of improvement to your presentation, particularly in your Maths book.
Sycamore B		Liam for asking good questions to deepen his understanding of our RE work.			
Sycamore W	Tyler for supporting your peers and being a helpful friend	Dolly for always engaging enthusiastically in reading and English lessons and asking thoughtful questions	Grace because you put a smile on my face every week in choir with your enthusiasm towards the music. Miss Rich 😊	Ava for excellent use of ambitious vocabulary in this week's writing.	Aryan for working so hard on beautiful letter formation
Willow	Well done to the whole class for working so hard during their SATS 😊				

Top Attendance – Willow 100%

Well done Willow who were our top attenders this week.



Kickboxing Achievements

The kickboxing club have worked so hard over the passed few weeks, below outlines their efforts to date;

27/04/2023 - Leo received the woodland belt this week and Luca, Sienna, Louis & Amelie were awarded stickers.

28/04/2023 – Naomi received the woodland belt this week and Joshua & Rebecca were awarded stickers.

04/05/2023 – Alannah received the woodland belt this week and Madison & Joshua were awarded stickers.

05/05/2023 –William received the woodland belt this week and Kelsey & Cole were awarded stickers.

11/05/2023 – Amalie received the woodland belt this week a stickers.



Dates for the diary

Summer Fete

The PTA are delighted to announce that the Summer Fete will be held on **Saturday 8th July**, from **12pm to 4pm**. We have some great stalls and raffles lined up and we are looking forward to seeing everyone there! The PTA will be holding a non-uniform donation day on **Friday 9th June** and more details will be sent out nearer the time.

Non-Pupil Days

Monday 5th June 2023

Monday 4th September 2023

Tuesday 5th September 2023

Friday 20th October 2023

Wednesday 20th December 2023



Monday 3rd June 2024

Monday 15 th May	Ash Trip – Boydells Farm
Wednesday 17 th May	PTA School disco - tbc
Friday 19 th May	Junior Music Festival Rehearsal - choir
Friday 26 th May	Half Term
Tuesday 6 th June	Return from Half Term
Wed 7 th – Fri 9 th June	Yr6 Residential
Friday 9 th June	Non-uniform - PTA donation day
Monday 12 th June	Yr6 Leavers Service
Tuesday 27 th June	Yr6 Chelmer Transition Day
Thursday 29 th June	2 Johns internet Safety
Friday 7 th July	Yr6 Beaulieu Park School Transition Day
Saturday 8 th July	Summer Fete 12-4pm
Tuesday 18 th July	Yr6 Bible Service with Rev Dan

House Points

Leighs 1553

Easter 1405

Rodings 1179

Chignals 1134