



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

WEEKLY NEWS

Aspiring to inspire others towards excellence

Summer Term – Edition 25 – 21st July 2023

It has been an exciting and enriching final week at Little Waltham. A week of reflection on an incredible year.

On Tuesday, the leavers service at St Martin's Church was a poignant occasion filled with sincerity. Our Year 6 pupils exemplified maturity and reflected on their time at Little Waltham. Their growth, both academically and personally, over the year has truly been remarkable.

On Wednesday morning, our Year 4 students delivered a fabulous rendition of Shakespeare's Macbeth with an unbridled energy. Their performances and hard work were evident and all of the pupils should be extremely proud of their commitment and hard work to deliver a superb performance to parents and Key Stage 2 pupils.

Wednesday afternoon was filled with energy and the whole school took part in a dance showcase inspired by books by Julia Donaldson and Roald Dahl. It was inspiring to see our pupils express themselves with such enthusiasm and the afternoon was filled with smiles and laughter. Thank you to all the parents who came to support and enjoy the dance showcase.

Wednesday ended in the stunning evening performance of Mary Poppins by our Year 6 pupils. The children sang, danced, acted and entertained to an astonishingly high standard, endearing everyone who attended. This was certainly one of the highlights of this school year and our Year 6 pupils ended their time at Little Waltham in a truly magnificent way.

Again, we would like to express our profound gratitude to Mrs. Finch, our SENCO and Year 1 teacher, and Mr Hulbert, our Year 3 learning support assistant, who will be leaving us at the end of the academic year. This school has benefitted greatly from their unwavering commitment and dedication. We thank them and wish them well for the future.

Lastly, a special note of thanks and well-wishes to our incredible Year 6 pupils as they commence the next phase of their academic journey. They have been exceptional in every sense - academically, as creatives, and most importantly, as courageous individuals. As they turn to the next stage in their education and in their life, we have no doubt that they'll continue to shine brightly.

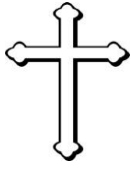
Thank you to all of our families for being part of our school community. Your continued support is crucial in shaping the lives of every pupil here. I hope everyone has a superb summer and I look forward to welcoming you all back in September for the start of a new school year - let's make it the best one yet!

Mr S Saunders
Headteacher

"We have really enjoyed our time with the whole of Yr6, it has been an absolute pleasure to work with you all. Over the past year we have shared so many special memories, which we hope you will treasure. We wish you lots of luck in your next chapter and will be thinking of you come September. You are all super stars."

Love
Mrs Binks, Mrs Low & Mrs Harburt





This week's value is endurance.



Dear God,

Thank you for always being with us no matter what, through the good times and the times when we feel everything is going wrong. Help us to keep our eyes on you knowing that you are there to keep us going.

Amen

May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, Colossians 1:11

This Week's Big Question

Doing your best is more important than being the best. What do you think? Why?

Chestnut

I think it's good to keep practising and doing your best because as you get older you can get much better- Henry

I think it's good to always do your best because it's not fair at always being the best at everything – people might complain! - Dakota

I think you should always do your best because you might get it right- Emelia

I think you should always do your best and you then get better and better to then be the best- Reggie

I think its ok if you're not the best because all you need to do is to try- Seren

I think doing your best if you want to be best at everything, otherwise you might be seen as a 'show off'- Teddy

I think you should always do your best because it's really important- Jake



Top Attendance – Elm Class 95.5%



Well done Elm who were our top attenders this week.



This week's 'lunchtime award' goes to:

*KS1 Harry in Ash for good manners
and
KS2 Joseph.M in Sycamore W for always being
polite*



House Points

**Leighs were our
overall winners
this year**

Dates for the diary

Non-Pupil Days

Monday 4th September 2023

Tuesday 5th September 2023

Friday 20th October 2023

Wednesday 20th December 2023

Monday 3rd June 2024



We looking forward to welcoming you back on Wednesday 6th September