

# Wootton St. Peters C of E Primary School

Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built.

Our Vision: Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built. We explore the values of perseverance, compassion, and courage to open up horizons of hope and aspiration.

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## 10.10.25

## **Upcoming Dates:**

Monday 20th October 1pm-3pm. Moonstone Bikability session.

Tuesday 21st October Moonstone Trip to Kelmscott Manor.

Tuesday 21st October-Stay and Play for new pupils 9-11am. Please contact the school office to book a place. Wednesday 22nd October 9am - Moonstone Bikability Session 1.

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1-3pm- Moonstone Bikability Session 2.

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October- Non Uniform Day. Please bring a £1 Donation.

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 10-12am - Moonstone Bikability Session 3

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1-3pm- Moonstone Bikability Session 4

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October- Inset Day School Closed.
Monday 27<sup>th</sup>- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October- Half Term Week.
Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November- School starts 8.30am
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November- Tennis Coach visiting.
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November- Remembrance Day.
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November- Whole School Cinema Trip-To see "The Sloth Lane".

Wednesday 19th November- Tempest-Individual and sibling Photos from 8.30 am.

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Friday 5th December- Christmas Fayre- After School.

Monday 8th December- Nativity.

Tuesday 16th December- Carols By Candlelight. Wednesday 17th December- School Christmas Dinner.

Friday 19th December- Last Day of Term. School finishes at 1.30pm. No ASC.

Monday 5th January-Inset Day.

Tuesday 6th January- School starts 8.30am.

## Dear parents/carers,

At the end of another successful week in school, I would like to take the opportunity to say well done to our wonderful children showing their best selves in their work and behaviours around school.

Following on the heels of our competitive spirit, we were excited to hold our sponsored Key Stage 2 cross country fun run this week. Children from Years 3 and 4, and Years 5 and 6 competed on the cricket field, running laps around the field, in their colourful clothes or fancy dress. Our children showcased excellent sportsmanship and perseverance with all children completing at least three laps around the field.





Harvest is a wonderful time of the year and it was wonderful to see so many family and friends at church with us. The children sang beautifully and performed their class songs, poems and prayers with confidence and a wonderful sense of pride. Thank you very much to Mrs Jane who had led the school in learning the wonderful new songs. I would also like to express my warmed heartfelt thanks for all of the kind food bank donations.

Three of the children from Moonstone class collected the food from the Church then helped to take it down to the food bank in Abingdon to distribute. The food was very much appreciated.

What a wonderful week of fun and exciting learning we have had:

Little Gems – Nursery had fairytale week, they had a treasure hunt around the school to find stolen fairy treasure. They enjoyed making some delicious gingerbread men in the afternoon. The children, as well as Mrs Jane, had wonderful fairytale costumes. Reception loved their trip to Farmer Gow's.

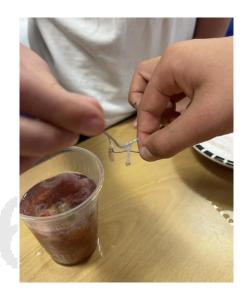
Opal Class – The children have been working really hard in their end of unit maths assessments this week, well done. They loved their trip to Farmer Gow's. They got to hold and feed animals: pigs, goats, sheep and cows. They also enjoyed a treasure hunt to find animals masks and climbed up the bales of hay. The children enjoyed making papier Mache bowls and then made their own delicious porridge.

Thank you to everyone for bringing in your sponsor money the sponsored Cycle/Scoot raised £395 for Opal Class.

Jade Class – They made models of different iron age settlements from Lego. They were fantastic and you can really see, the different settlements they built. In English, they have written brilliant newspaper reports about iron man's return, after he came back from being buried underneath the hill. They loved the fun run.

Moonstone Class – In Science we have enjoyed learning about DNA, and enjoyed extracting DNA from strawberries. We also looked at our results on which is the best method to wash your hands – the result were astounding! We found out that water and soap really does kill bacteria, so make sure you always wash your hands!







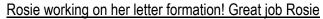


#### Harvest Raffle

We will continue to sell raffle tickets before and after school next week. We have some fantastic prizes. Tickets are £1 per strip. The raffle will be pulled on Thursday next week after open classroom.

## **Opal Class at Farmer Gow's**















If you would like to send your child in with a breaktime snack please make sure it's a healthy snack. Fruit and vegetables are preferred, alternatively you could send in crackers, yoghurt, cheese, bread sticks or something like that. Please no crisps or biscuits at break times.













### The School Shield

Little Gems – Natan for working hard to write down his ideas using his sounds in Drawing Club. Well done Natan (3)

Opal – K'Marci-Rae for working really hard on her writing about our trip to Farmer Gow's. Well Done K'Marci ☺

Jade - Elion for his fantastic writing in English. Well done Elion ☺

Moonstone – Nuno - for a fantastic fact file about the Yanomami tribe. Well done Nuno ☺



## This weeks Maths Master

**Little Gems** – Elsie for trying to find all possible ways of showing 3 in Maths.

Opal – Lexi for doing really well in her Maths Assessment on Place Value.

Jade – Robyn for exchanging over a 10 in maths.

Moonstone – Tilly for Fantastic work calculating factors and multiples.

Well done to all our wonderful mathematicians this week

#### This Week's ask me about??

**Little Gems** – Reception- Our trip to Farmer Gow's. Nursery- Our Fairytale Day.

Opal — Our trip to Farmer Gow's and making porridge.

Jade- Iron Man.

Moonstone – what happens if you don't wash your hands.

#### **School Bank details**

Please see the Bank details below to make direct credit payments for your child/ren. School dinners, school trips, Before and after school club etc can all be paid this way.

Bank- Lloyds TSB Account No- 19341368 Sort code- 30.80.12

Reference- Childs Name Lunch or Childs Name Care or Childs

Name Trip.

Separate Payments should be set up for each child and service i.e. Lunch, Care or Trip.

**Short Story Competition** 



Winners in each category will see their story published as an eBook and Audiobook, available to members of Oxfordshire Libraries to borrow in 2026.

Children's entries need to have parent/carer consent. Full terms and conditions, as well as instructions on how to submit entries, can be found on the Oxfordshire Libraries

website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/shortstorycompetition