



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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SCHOOL NEWS

Week ending 13/03/26

Monday 16th March- Swimming. children will need a T-shirt and shorts to wear over swimming costumes as they will be doing lifesaving skills.

Monday March 16th- Parents Evening For Jade and Opal class 3.10-6pm.

Thursday 19th March- Parents Evening For Little Gems, Opal, Jade and Moonstone 3.10-6pm.

Friday 20th March- FOWS After school Disco 4.30pm-6pm.

Friday 20th March- Little Gems Parents evening 3.10pm-4.30pm.

Monday 23rd Mar- Friday 27th Mar- Science Week- Curiosity What's your question.

Monday 23rd Mar- Parents Evening for Moonstone Class 3.10-6pm.

Tuesday 24th March- Reception - Yr 6 Children school trip to The Oxford Science Centre.

Thursday 26th March- Non-Uniform Day. £1 Donation.

Friday 27th March- Easter Service 9.30am.

Friday 27th March- End of Term. School Finishes at 1.15pm. No After School Care.

Monday 30th Mar to Friday 10th April - Easter Holidays- School Closed.

Monday 13th April- School Starts 8.30am.

Dear Parents/carers,

What another wonderful week we have had.

Moonstone class have enjoyed their science trip to Abingdon school, learning about space and Constellations. They enjoyed making different

constellations on peg boards and ended with a show inside the planetarium. They were amazed at how many different galaxies there are!



Jade class have learnt about the history of railways. They have created some incredible timelines, which show the history of the railways. I was very impressed with the detailed illustrations they used.

Opal class have made brilliant adverts for Boshers Sausage Shop this week. They were very impressive and have made us all hungry for sausage this week, with the brilliant adjectives they have used.

Little Gems have been baking something secret and delicious ready for Mother's day this weekend!

Football Match

On Thursday after school, our Y5/6 football match played a home game against St Michael's School from Steventon. They have put in an astounding performance this week. They drew the match 3-3, which has been our first draw in over three years. We are so proud of you all. More than your incredible skills on the pitch, as I was watching the game, I was blown away by your incredible teamwork. The whole team was extremely supportive and encouraged each other

throughout the whole game. Great effort boys. I would also like to say a special thank you to Jake and Dale for painting the lines on the pitch ready for the match and to Richard for refereeing for us. Your time, help and support really did help, thank you ever so much for your support to the school and our wonderful football team.



County Dance Festival

This week Charlotte's Thursday Street Dance Club performed at the county dance festival. They performed at the New Theatre in Oxford, to a sold-out stadium of 1,800 people! We were astounded by their performance; it really was out of this world. They were not only in time and showed incredible skill, but also confidence, energy, teamwork and fun. It really was one of the best dances of the night. The group was there almost 8 hours, and I didn't hear any complaints; Charlotte and I were so proud to take them out with how patiently they waited for their turn. The day started with a dress rehearsal on stage, time to watch the other schools rehearsing; there was such a lovely, supportive atmosphere of cheering each other on. We would like to say our special thanks to Emily, for coming along and doing all of the girls' hair, to add the extra sparkle to the evening. After the rehearsals, we went up to the balcony to watch the first half of the show, before heading to our own private dressing room for the second half. They really did feel like super stars for the day. We are so incredibly proud of each and every one of you!



We would also like to thank Jackie for making all of the beautiful costumes, which really helped to give the group that extra bit of confidence for the night! Charlotte, what can we say, you have inspired a generation! The atmosphere around school this week, has been the buzz and excitement from the dance. We now have many children dancing and creating their own dance routines at breaktimes, after watching the dance video in assembly. This is all thanks to you. You have choreographed an incredible routine, taught them new skills and gave them the confidence to perform on a professional stage. We cannot thank you enough, for the time, training, encouragement and support you have shown the dance group.

Parking request

We have recently seen an increase in the number of concerns expressed by parents and members of the wider community regarding parking near school, particularly around school drop-off and collection times. The worsening parking situation is now regularly compromising the safety of our children and local residents.

Please can we ask you to park thoughtfully, avoiding the double yellow lines and zig zags which are there to protect children near the road entrance to the school, and to treat the front of school as pedestrian-only during peak school movement times.

We would like to ask you to consider parking slightly further out from school and walking in, to alleviate pressure on the main junction and bend – there is also discretionary space at the car park by the church and cricket field.

I will be contacting our local PCO policing team, to discuss if they can provide more effective enforcement of parking on the main road during school-run times.

Thank you in advance for your support with this.

The School Shield



Little Gems – Oscar for having a great attitude to learning from “marvellous mistakes”. Well done Oscar 😊

Opal – K'Marci-Rae for a great week of learning, producing some great handwriting and a lovely poster for the Boshers's sausage shop that is in our book. Well Done K'Marci-Rae 😊

Jade – Emily for her fantastic Netball skills in P.E. Well done Emily 😊

Moonstone – Jake for his outstanding work and painting the pitch markings for our Football Match. Well done Jake 😊

This weeks Maths Master



Little Gems Elsie- For working brilliantly with the number 6 (making sets, subitising and composing) 😊

Opal – George for great knowledge of odd and even numbers 😊

Jade – Harrison for his brilliant ordering of non unit fractions in Maths 😊

Moonstone – Mia for her great work calculating percentages 😊

This Week's

Ask Me!

Little Gems – ‘Oi get off our train’ story.

Opal – What we are making with an egg box? & Old Toys.

Jade – Trains.

Moonstone – Our constellations Workshop.

Allen Perkins

For anyone who knew Allen and would like to attend. The funeral of Allen Perkins will be on Wednesday 8th April at 1.00 pm at South Oxford crem. Allen was a committed governor for many years at Wootton St Peters school with particular focus on health and safety and as a Maths counsellor. He will be sadly missed and remembered fondly.

Bank Details

Trips, Meals and 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.

Kindest Regards,
Carina Phillips
Acting Headteacher