**Wardley CE Primary School**

**‘With God’s love we can do all things’**

**Newsletter**

**21.03.2025**

**Spring Term Dates**

**March**

24.03.25: Parents’ evening from 3.20 – 6pm.

24.03.25: Deadline for the British Science Week posters.

26.03.25: School football team league game at Moorside.

27.03.25: School development football team game at St Marys.

31.03.25: Community Easter cards brought into school.

31.03.25: Parents’ evening from 3.30 – 6pm.

**April**

01.04.25: KS2 Easter Service at All Saints Church at 10am.

02.04.25: B-Tales Easter drama for the children in school.

02.04.25: School football team league game at Moorside.

04.04.25: Non-uniform fundraising day for the school fund.

04.04.25: Mr Foster’s last day as headteacher at Wardley.

04.04.25: School closes for the Easter holiday.

22.04.25: School starts again after the Easter holiday.

A huge thank you for all your support for our Red Nose Day fundraiser this year. The children really got behind the event and we had some fantastic red nose day tee-shirts on display in school today. Also, this week, linked into British Science Week and the International Day of Maths, there has been lots of exciting science and maths activities going on around the school. One of these activities was to design a maths poster using shapes and patterns and the children came up with some fantastic ideas. We chose two winning posters from each class and the children who designed them were awarded a special maths prize in our Monday assembly. The children have also been invited to submit their entries for the national British Science competition. All the posters that the children bring into school will be sent off to the competition. The deadline for handing the science posters in is Monday 24th March.

**In the classrooms this week ….. Y6 Crucial Crew Visit**

On Tuesday, our Y6 class went on a trip to Crucial Crew. The purpose of the visit was to develop their knowledge and understanding of personal safety and the event certainly succeeded in its goal. The children participated in workshops led by British Transport Police, Community Police Officers, The Youth Justice Team and bank representatives who taught them about the dangers of online fraud. This was an extremely informative event and one that was very beneficial to our Y6 children in preparing them for the future.

**Weekly Updates… Sporting Success** Our football team played against St Marys RC this week. The game was played with great team spirit. Seth scored his first goal for Wardley, Ben got a hattrick and Finlay was voted the player of the match by his team mates. The final score was a 6 – 1 victory to Wardley. Well done to all the boys who represented the school so well. We would also like to say a big thank you to Mr Houston and Mr Foster who give up their time to organise the matches and coach the team.

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| **Spring Term Parents’ Evenings**The spring term parent evening appointments give you a great opportunity to talk to your child’s teacher and look at the children’s work. Our spring term parents’ evenings will be held in school and are set to run over two Monday evenings - 24th March and 31st March. Each parent evening slot will be ten minutes long. The parent evening times can be booked through our online system, simply log on and choose which of the available slots you would like to attend.  |
| **Reminders from the office …..*** It will be week 3 on the dinner menu next week
* Dinner money next week is £10.50 please pay on Monday morning
* We have raised £91 so far for RND, there’s still time to donate via School Spider if you haven’t already done so.
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| **Our Christian values and thoughtful time …..****Easter Celebrations & Cards**The junior classes (Y3 – Y6) will all be attending an Easter Service led by Father Jeremy and our Y6 senior pupils at All Saints Church on Tuesday 1st April at 10am. Parents and carers are welcome to attend.As part of these Easter celebrations, we are also inviting all the children to make an Easter card at home, and bring it into school on Monday 31st March. These cards will then be collected by Father Jeremy to distribute to members of the local community. The Easter cards should have the message along the lines of ‘Wishing You A Happy Easter from Wardley CE Primary School’ inside.**Lent**This half-term in our collective worship we continued to explore the theme of Lent by giving the children the opportunity to think and reflect upon the communities that they are part of. This week we looked at the importance of school and thought about how we might make it an even more supportive and encouraging place. **Home Worship Books**We had lots of children bringing in their home worship books to share in school this week. It was lovely to see so many children bringing their books to share with everyone. There were thoughts on lots of different subjects including the Christian value of peace that we have been looking at in our collective worship last half-term. This week, Sammy was given to Rosebud in Y3 for her fantastic work on friendship – well done!  |