

14th February 2025**Wrenbury Weekly...**

Well, somehow, we have reached the end of another busy half term. This term has seen so many exciting events and such a lot of great learning. We have seen many children achieve reading badges this term; bronze, silver and even gold! Well done to everyone who is working towards these badges, you are doing a great job. Our year 4, 5 and 6 children have enjoyed their swimming lessons and are making great progress every week. The KS2 children have attended a range of sporting competitions such as dodgeball and netball. Our upper key stage two children had a wonderful time at their residential, trying daring new activities and solving challenges. The Canal and River Trust have taught us all how to be safe near water. Base 3 have been on a host of visits to explore their topic focusing on the impact of trains on our modern world. Base 2 have become excellent scientists, delving into the world of plans. Our Base 1 and Little Wrens children have thoroughly enjoyed planting in the forest area and taking time to explore the world around them.



As well as all this, The Cheshire Wildlife Trust came and spoke with our Eco and School council to help us to create habitats in our newly developed forest area. This space has changed so much this half term; from an unused space to an area where our children can be found giggling, laughing and playing while enjoying time in their natural environment- this really is a joy to see. This week, Andy from. This really could not have been achieved without the help of Graham Heath Construction and the many helpers and volunteers who have supported us to make this such a wonderful place for our children. Thank you all.

To end the half term, Base 3 enjoyed their topic day and what a topic day it was! Wow Base 3- what fun you all had. Your assembly was fantastic – we learnt a great deal about train; we couldn't believe how fast the bullet trains went!

This week's awards...

We All Matter Stars:

- Little Wrens:** Summer, Darcey and Cyndi-Lou for showing kindness to Miss Gregory and filling her heart with love.
- Base 1:** Mabel- for always using her manners.
- Base 2:** Stanley - Always showing that you are ready.
- Base 3:** James- for giving sensible ideas in My Happy Mind to show how to relate to others well.
- Base 4:** Annie- for always helping others with their learning.
- Base 5:** Alannah -for helping everyone with being prepared for the day.

ACHIEVE Learning Awards:

- Little Wrens:** Rory, for showing such pride when sharing his learning journey.
- Base 1:** James and Wizzy-Joe for great tidying, showing value outside.
- Base 2:** Cleo - Showing value in your superb writing.
- Base 3:** Samson- for working so hard on his spelling practise in school with Mrs Davies.
- Base 4:** Claudia- for showing amazing value in her learning journey work
- Base 5:** Crystal-for valuing her handwriting and showing pride in everything she does.

Reading Awards:

This week Lumi and Hugo achieved their GOLD reading badge. As well as this, Isla, Esme, April and Sam all achieved their silver badge while PJ gained his bronze. Well done to everyone- keep up the good work.



Attendance:

Ensuring your child attends school every day is one of the most important ways you can support their success. Regular attendance helps children to stay on track with their lessons, build strong relationships with teachers and classmates, and develop good learning habits that set them up for a bright future. When children miss school, they risk falling behind, which can affect their confidence and progress. By making school attendance a priority, you're giving your child the best chance to thrive academically, socially, and emotionally. Your involvement in their education makes all the difference.

Attendance updates have been sent to parents via email this week. Please do take a look. We do set ourselves a high target of 97% attendance but recognise that achieving 95% is a great achievement. Please continue to work with us to support your child's attendance – every minute matters.

Welly Racks!

Our welly racks have started to be put to good use! It is lovely to see the children, with their wellies on, running and enjoying the school field. If you have any spare wellies that you would like to donate to school, they would be welcomed!

Sharing Afternoon:

What a fantastic afternoon we had in school on Thursday. It was lovely to see the children proudly sharing their books with parents, grandparents and siblings. It really was lovely to see so many families in school today – the hall and many classrooms were full! We had over 70 families in school sharing their books. Thank you for taking the time to come into school to enjoy this event- it means a lot to us all.



Assembly focus –

We finished our week looking at kindness. We learnt about St Valentine and the way he helped others. We realised that this was a very big act of kindness, something caring and selfless.

Then, we reflected on kindness in our school. We talked about the big acts of kindness such as people helping to create our forest area to those smaller acts of kindness; asking a friend how they are, holding the door for an adult, waiting for a friend at playtime. We talked about kindness not needing to be big or small – kindness, in all forms makes the world a better place.

Amazon wish lists

The children have updated a few things on their wish lists. If you would like to take a look, please follow the links below. Thank you.

LW5- https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2XYWEVLB5HAQ4?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_6jX2sfPRQRnqb

B1- https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2HOEU7NNEJ1TW?ref_=wl_share

B2- https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1ISB7YB11IEFW?ref_=wl_share

B3- https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/YOZSUG2YDFW?ref_=wl_share

B4- https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/OZUW71HM9Nl0?ref_=wl_share

B5- https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/ZWC4SW72CG01?ref_=wl_share

Key dates:

Please pop these in your diaries. More information will be sent via email from the school office.

Monday 24th February – Back to school

Tuesday 4th March – World Book Day – come in your pyjamas as we will be curling up and enjoying lots of wonderful books! (Please note date – not officiate date due to PE)

Friday 14th March – FOWS Spring Discso – more information to follow.

Tuesday 18th March – Dress down day – please bring chocolate or an easter egg for our easter bingo.

Friday 21st March – Base 1 Theme

Wednesday 26rd March -Year 3 Hope Journey Visit

Friday 28th March – Base 4 theme day

Friday 28th March – FOWS Easter bingo

Your Headteacher,

Mrs Charlesworth