



# Friday NewsFlash

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019

## Latest News...

This is our last Newsflash of the Summer term and what a lot we have to celebrate...so much in fact that we are spreading onto two pages this week!

### Sporting Superstars

It has been an amazing couple of weeks for school sport at Welford.

#### PDET Going for Gold Sports Day – 12<sup>th</sup> July

A team of 15 children from years 2, 3 and 4 participated in this event against 14 other PDET Schools at Spratton Hall School. They rotated around 12 different events including long jump, shot putt, tri-golf and hill climb accumulating as many points as possible.

All of the children demonstrated excellent teamwork, passion and determination even when the heavens opened and soaked them.

At the end of the day WSES were crowned overall winners of the event with a special mention going to Susie who won the trophy for top scoring girl of the whole event.



#### Daventry Girls' Football Tournament – 16<sup>th</sup> July

A team of 9 girls from years 5 and 6 took part in a 'World Cup' style tournament at Daventry Sports Park to celebrate the opening of their new 4G pitches. Our girls were amazing from start to finish and we did not concede a single goal thanks to our super goalie Nevaeh. The girls should be extremely proud of themselves as they showed super teamwork and respect towards the opposition.



They found themselves in the final against Brixworth, and through sheer determination and hard work in very hot conditions they managed to beat the opposition 1-0 to claim the top spot. Well done girls – a fantastic achievement!

If you would like to follow our sporting events we now have a school sport Twitter account. Find us at @SportWsses

## Dates for your diary...

### 19<sup>th</sup> July

Robins' class assembly 2.30pm

### 24<sup>th</sup> July

Leavers' performance 10.30am (year 6 parents only)

Leavers' service 1.30pm in church (all welcome)

TERM 6 ENDS

### 4<sup>th</sup> September

School opens to pupils TERM 1

## A BIG THANK YOU!

As we come to the end of another busy school year, may we take this opportunity to say THANK YOU to all parents, carers and families who have supported the work of our school over the year. This could be by volunteering to help with cooking, reading or welly walking, accompanying us on trips, or simply by listening to your child read, helping with homework, making sure they come to school ready to learn with all that they need, and ensuring that their attendance is as good as it can be.

We know we are not perfect and we do not always get it right, but we truly do try our hardest to provide the very best education that we can at WSES, in all senses of the word. Our oldest pupils achieved excellent results in their SATs tests, and should be extremely proud. However, we are equally proud that we have developed and nurtured this year some superb sportsmen and women, fantastic artists, actors, musicians and many, many pupils who demonstrate our Christian values every day by being polite, helpful, kind and thoughtful towards others. In church next week all classes will share their highlights of the year, and there have been far too many to mention. There really is never a dull moment at WSES!

**We wish you a happy, fun and sunshine filled summer and look forward to seeing you again in September.**

## Wagtails Museum

During our 'Toy Story' topic, Wagtails have been learning about toys from the past, and to end the topic they opened their class museum to families on Tuesday afternoon. They had displays of old and new toys, some beautiful artwork, leaflets and labels telling visitors what was in the museum, games and activities to try and some of the children even had very special jobs such as Curator and Museum Guide. It was wonderful to see the results of all their hard work and the children were excellent guides, explaining really articulately what they have been learning.

Well done Wagtails!



## Year 6 at Boost

Our fantastic year 6s had a super time at Boost Trampoline Park for their end of year 6 celebration on Thursday evening, accompanied by Mrs Pye, Mrs Sida, Mrs Sandells and Miss O'Connor.



It was a pleasure to spend the evening with such a lovely bunch of young people – what a great way to celebrate the end of their time at WSES. They will be greatly missed next year but we wish them all the very best on the next stage of their learning adventure.

## Kind Words...

Following on from this, we received a lovely email from one of the DACT volunteer drivers, who has transported children to various events by minibus this year:

*"I have to say that on every trip I have driven for your school it has been an absolute pleasure. The children lift my spirit on every occasion. They are always fun to travel with, always well-behaved and most of all in an age when young folk do not always get good press, show me that with kids like yours our future is in good hands. You must be proud."*

We certainly are!

## School Association

On behalf of the School Association I would like to thank all pupils, parents and families for their involvement with events we have organised this year. It has been a great year and we are especially pleased to have funded the set of iPads. A huge thank you from me also to all of the members of the Association and anyone who helps out baking cakes and at events. Your time and support is greatly appreciated. Have a good summer and hope to see you at events next year. Don't forget the AGM will be in September for anyone who wishes to join in or contribute ideas.

Bob Finch  
Chair

## Lost Property

There is an enormous amount of lost property in the undercover area outside Woodpeckers' classroom. Please take a look to see if you can reclaim anything – everything left at the end of term will be donated to charity. Thank you.

Don't forget to check our website regularly at [www.wsses.com](http://www.wsses.com). New content is added regularly, and you can find diary dates, information about uniform, snack, the Cool Milk scheme, school dinners and pupil premium, as well as resources, news and photos on the class pages. You can also follow us on Twitter @SportWsses