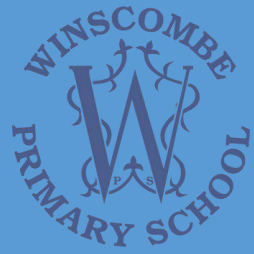


NEWSLETTER



ISSUE 3 - October 2023



EXECUTIVE HEADTEACHERS WELCOME

Dear families,

Its been another busy few weeks for us all here and we are delighted to have overcome our recent staffing challenges with the latest bout of Covid. Thank you for all your support and understanding during these last few weeks.

Following on from our last newsletter, our pupil voice groups have been chosen and each group have met this week. I had a very enjoyable school council meeting yesterday with our eager school councillors.

We have shown around a number of visitors to our school of late from the Wessex Learning Trust and beyond, including our newly appointed Primary Director and Deputy CEO of the Wessex Learning Trust, Mrs Libby Fiddock. Her feedback has been extremely positive and alongside the success of our statutory results last year, we are feeling extremely proud of our school and its achievements so far.

We look forward to seeing you at our Parents Evening sessions in a few weeks time and hope to see you all there. During your visit, we will be asking you to complete a small questionnaire to help us glean your feedback on our lovely school and how we can further enhance our provision for your children.

Thank you for your continued support and we wish you all a lovely weekend.

Mrs Lorna Richardson
Executive Headteacher

REMINDERS

The Welcome to my Class information booklets are now available to look at on the relevant Class page of the website.

DATA COLLECTION GREEN FORMS
Please note these should have all been signed and returned to school by today. If you have not done so could you please sign and return them on Monday next week. Thank you for your co-operation.

CALENDAR DATES

Nasal Flu immunisations – Tuesday 10th October

Poetry performances – Thursday 12th October
9.10 KS1 2.30 KS2

PTFA Halloween cake sale – 3.15pm Monday
16th October

PTFA meeting 8pm (changed from 9th)

Parent's Evening – 17th and 19th October

Inset day – 20th October (school closed to pupils)

Start of Term 2 – Monday 30th October

Open Day tours for prospective new parents
10.00am and 1.15pm – Thursday 2nd November

PTFA Fireworks Night – Friday 3rd November

Children in Need – Friday 17th November

Key Stage 1/EYFS Christmas Production Dress
rehearsals

Individual school photos – Monday 4th December

Christmas Jumper Day (optional) & Christmas
Dinner - 12th December

KS2 Carol service at St James Thursday - 14th
December am

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BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

If you are using either club you must complete a new parent /carer agreement for this academic year. Can we also remind parents that they must book in advance for these clubs via parentpay. They are limited to 30 places and once they are fully booked you will be unable to attain a place. Paying for Breakfast and After School club via vouchers

If you want to pay for these clubs by vouchers for the end of October/ beginning of November, you will need to do so prior to the 20th October. From the 20th October , up until the 2nd November it will not be possible to transfer the voucher funds into these clubs so you will need to make the payment and confirm the details by email prior to this date.

Thank You.

BREAKFAST CLUB IN JEOPARDY !!

Despite our extensive efforts we have been unable to recruit a member of staff for our Breakfast club. We are writing to inform you that as a result our Breakfast club is in jeopardy/ Whilst we are looking at many options to ensure its survival, please get in touch if you feel you can help.

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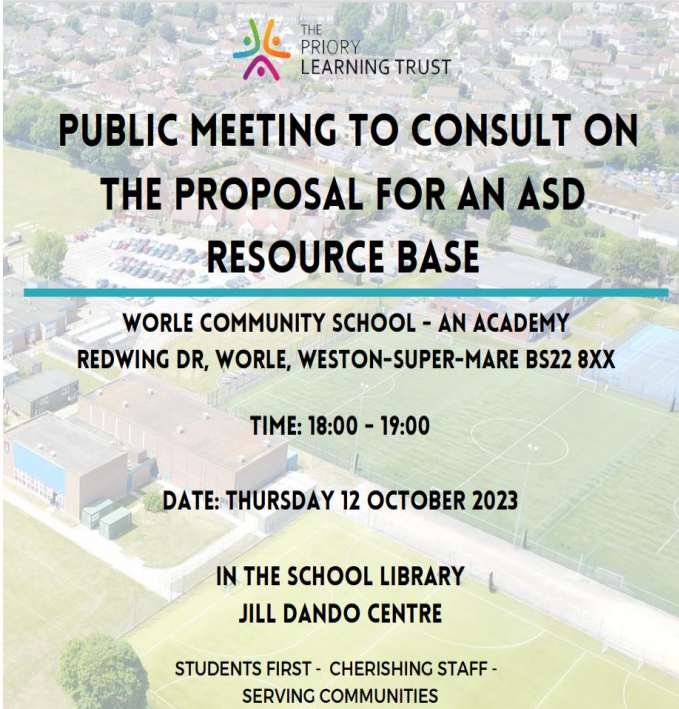
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 THE PRIORY LEARNING TRUST

**PUBLIC MEETING TO CONSULT ON
THE PROPOSAL FOR AN ASD
RESOURCE BASE**

**WORLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL - AN ACADEMY
REDWING DR, WORLE, WESTON-SUPER-MARE BS22 8XX**

TIME: 18:00 - 19:00

DATE: THURSDAY 12 OCTOBER 2023

**IN THE SCHOOL LIBRARY
JILL DANDO CENTRE**

**STUDENTS FIRST - CHERISHING STAFF -
SERVING COMMUNITIES**



During autumn 2023!
Switching to SUNDAYS: 2.30-4pm
@The Church Centre, Woodborough Rd, Winscombe
***October 8th 2.30-4pm**
***November 12th 2.30-4pm**

Bring Mum and/or Dad and come and join us for....

- Crafts, Games, Songs,
- Bible story told through drama
- Drinks and Snacks

More information?... <https://winsandchurches.org.uk/messy-church/>
Or find us on Facebook : search for Winsand Churches Messy Church

in December our special seasonal events will include:
****SATURDAY December 23rd @4pm CRIB SERVICE****



Churchill Baby & Toddler Group
Mondays 09.00-11.30 Term time
@Churchill Methodist BS25 5NG
2, 9, 16 & 30 October

Try us for FREE!

- Friendly group
- Lots of toys
- Yummy snacks
- Cuppa, cake & chat

INFO: Jacqueline
01934 844134

Churchill Methodist Church
churchillmethodistchurch.org.uk



Churchill Methodist Church
CREATE! Sunday
Sunday 15 October
4-6pm @Dolebury Warren

Fairy Houses & Funky Fungi
Fun for Families
Fungus Guide
Art & Activities
Storytime
Picnic Tea

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Winscombe Primary School PTFA

Fireworks Night

Friday 3rd November 2023

18.00 – 20.00

Venue: Winscombe Primary School
Gates open 18.00 ★ Fireworks @ 19.00

BAR ★ **HOT DOGS** ★ **DJ**

Refreshments ★ **Glow sticks**

★ Buy your tickets in advance now and save! ★

Early Bird Tickets Available (until 3.15pm on Wed 1st November)

/ at **£5** per person /

After this time and date, Tickets will be available on the gate only

/ at **£8** per person /

/ **Pre-school children (Free Entry)** /

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM - (Cash Only)

Winscombe Primary School and Sandford Primary
School (School Parents & Children only)

Farrons and Spar (General Public)



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Weston Athletic Club Junior Prom Races

There will be 9 Prom Races again this year. The dates are as follows:

Thurs 5th Oct, Thurs 19th Oct, Thurs 9th Nov, Thurs 21st Dec, Thurs 18th Jan, Thurs 15th Feb, Thurs 4th April, Thurs 18th April, Thurs 16th May

(Note no races in Sept or March, but 2 in October and April).

Where? – The Bay Café for race HQ, running the 1 mile on the Promenade.

6:30pm Primary Race - for Reception to Year 6

6:45pm (or as soon as the Primary race have finished) **Secondary Race - for Years 7 -11**

£10 for entry into all 9 races, or £2 a race. So if your young person is likely to do 5 or more races then it's cheaper to enter the series (and a lot easier for me!).

Entries are now open for the full series of 9 races, and for the first race in October.

<https://race-nation.co.uk/register/weston-ac> for entries.

The top one is Series entries for the Junior Prom mile for 2023-24 (even though it says 2022-3). Or single race entry below Prom mile Early October 2023.

Entries close on the Tuesday evening before race day (usually at about 8pm, but don't hold us to that).

Race numbers will be issued on the first race - **please hold on to your numbers.**

Please arrive early the first night so I can issue race numbers.

Prizes in each race for fastest male and female.

There will be **certificates** for those who complete 6 or more of the first 8 races (given out on the last race).

Fine details -

- Junior entrants must be at least 4 years old and in Reception class or above from 1st September and can participate until they leave Year 11 at 16 years old.

- Any entrant aged 4, 5 or 6 on race day, must run with a parent or guardian.

- There will be 2 races for juniors:-

Primary Race for children in Reception to Year 6.

Secondary Race for children/young people in Year 7 – Year 11.

- Competitors will be the responsibility of their parent/guardian until they cross the start line, when responsibility will transfer to Weston Athletic Club.

- Competitors will be returned to the responsibility of their parent/carer - for the secondary race, on exit from the pen at race end (unless specified otherwise), and – for primary race, on exchange of a wrist band issued to you before the race.

- Any photographs or videos used for Weston Athletic Club publicity featuring Junior entrants will not be used alongside entrants' names and no names will be disclosed to photographers.

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