# **Welbourn Church of England Primary School**



'Believe, Excite, Succeed, Together'



# Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022

# Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had a busy few weeks. We had a Local Authority adviser in school who has reviewed the quality of our education and leadership. She visited all the classrooms and looked at pupil work, she was impressed with how well behaved the children were and how routines were embedded.

## Parent Forum

We need your opinions and views! We would like to invite you to a meeting at 3.30pm on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October in the hall. To discuss the future of the school, vision and receive feedback. Your child will be invited to film club to support with childcare.

#### Food in School

The Government have issued new guidance on Food in Schools. This means that we have to adhere to the recommendations and ensure that all children are accessing healthy snacks and food during breakfast, lunch and after school clubs. We are reviewing our lunchtimes and helping children to eat their food properly with a knife and fork. We also politely remind you to only send healthy snacks or fruit for break times and consider the healthy packed lunch guidance as attached.

#### School Council

Our children elected their new School Council members recently. The children voted using a secret ballot and worked in campaign groups just like the real elections. The children are learning about democracy and justice as we have been teaching the children the importance of fairness, listening and having a voice.

# Road safety and parking

Our Junior Road Safety Officer led an assembly to the children about road safety including whilst being on bikes and wearing a helmet. They also talked about being safe inside the car and wearing a seatbelt. Please can you help our children to stay safe by not parking or dropping children off on the yellow zig zag lines outside school.

#### Macmillan Coffee Morning

Our School Council planned and served coffee, tea and cake this morning as part of the 'World's biggest coffee morning' for Macmillan cancer. Thank you to everyone who attended, we really appreciate your support. We have raised £300.00.

#### <u>Attendance</u>

We will not authorise any holidays or children leaving early to travel away for the weekend – the local authority will issue fines in these cases. Please also try to book dentist appointments etc outside of the school day if possible.

## Reminders

Please ensure that your child brings their reading folders, books and records in school every day. Finally, we hope that you have a great weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday at 8.45am.

Kind regards Mrs T Boulter

# **Dates for your diary**

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October Open Afternoon 2.00pm – everyone welcome

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October** Parents Evening – please book an appointment

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October Open Morning – everyone welcome

Parent Forum - 3.30pm

## Friday 14th October

Our school are hosting the very first Kyra Kids Council meeting with local schools from Kyra South

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October 11+ Results available for Y6 children

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October Last Day of term

10.30am Harvest Festival service at St Chad's Church – all welcome

Year 5/6 Football Qualifiers KS2 with local schools at Digby

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October Back to school/Inspiration day

Roots to Food cooking experience

Forest School with Mr Clarke

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November** Tempest Photography in for Individual/Siblings photos

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November Outdoor Classroom day with Mr Clarke

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November** Remembrance service at St Chad's church

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> Bikeability Training for Amethyst class

## Safeguarding

If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child, please call: 01522782111 or reported to a staff member in school.

# Here's a glimpse into our week...

Topaz Class enjoyed painted red boxes to send letters to King Charles, visiting St Chad's church whilst learning about sacred places in R.E. and using manipulatives in maths.



Emerald Class have enjoyed investigating sound in science and completing orienteering challenges in P.E.



Ameythst Class enjoyed orienteering in P.E with coach Haydyn and carrying out experiements in science by finding out what happens in our digestive systems.



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