



Welbourn Church of England Primary School

'Believe, Excite, Succeed, Together'

Friday 9th July 2021



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a week! The children were VERY excited about England getting through to the final of the Euros. We know that lots of children will want to watch the final on Sunday and this may mean children are late to bed. It has been 55 years since England have been in a major final so we want all families to enjoy the match and feel proud as they listen to the National Anthem and see us hopefully make history! As a one off, we will allow your child to come into school at 10.30am on Monday rather than be tired or absent. However, breakfast club and school will be open at the usual time.

Cases are rising significantly in schools and within the area so please be extra vigilant and if you are in doubt, keep your child off school and book a test. The new variant is extremely contagious. We made the difficult decision to close Amethyst Class bubble on Thursday as a precautionary measure until we could seek guidance from the Health Protection team. Unfortunately, since isolating, I have tested positive for Covid19 so I am currently working from home, but can be contactable via email or the school mobile. We also have a further 2 staff members isolating due to track and trace so, as you can imagine, we are doing our best to stay open. We have lots of exciting opportunities planned for the final weeks of term including: Roots to Food cooking experience, sports afternoon, a CPR lifesaving workshop for Amethyst and more! The FOWS have booked an exciting performance on the last day of term to enjoy, including class parties.

Unfortunately, this has meant that we have had to review our risk assessment and adapt our plans for sports day. We will no longer be able to invite parents into school on Monday afternoon. We are extremely sad that the children will not be able to be cheered on by their parents but we will take lots of photographs and create a film to share with you. The Friends of School have planned for the children to enjoy an ice-cream at 3.30pm on Monday as a treat after their sporting activities.

We would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the FOWS for all of their support and fundraising efforts. Please find attached a poster to advertise the raffle. There are many great prizes to be won!

Each Well-being Wednesday, we continue to focus on staying safe, well-being and our school values this week we have been learning how to stay safe near water and deal with our worries. Please encourage your child to continue to talk, use the worry box in school or use the virtual worry platform on Survey monkey on TEAMS.

Please use the school mobile or closure account to report any cases during the weekend or outside of the school operating hours.

Kind regards

Mrs T Boulter

Dates for your diary

12.7.21 Children can come into school up to 10.30am.

12.7.21 Sports afternoon

3.30pm Ice-cream van

13.7.21 Roots to Food cooking experience day

16.7.21 Amethyst dress rehearsal 2.00pm

Reports go out

19.7.21 Move up morning 8.45 – 10.00am

Welbourn has talent show in school

Amethyst play performance to parents 4.30pm (please note date change)

20.7.21 Year 6 treat – more details to follow

CPR/First Aid workshop for Amethyst

21.7.21 Year 6 leavers service at 10.30pm

Year 6 farewell 3.00pm

Last day of term – pm party and entertainment planned by FOWS

Safeguarding

We are committed to Safeguarding young children. Our updated Safeguarding and Child Protection policy is on our school website. (TAB Parents/ policies) If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child, please call: 01522782111.

Let's take a look at our learning this week ...

Topaz Class enjoyed making a mangrove forest and taking part in role play activities.



Emerald Class enjoyed dissecting flowers in science practising for sports day with Alex



Amethyst Class enjoyed learning about different forms of fossils and creating them, making backdrops and props for the play with Rosie. Year 6 took part in the Church School festival



You can view more photographs on our Twitter pages, Instagram and new Facebook page!

Let's take a look at our clubs ...

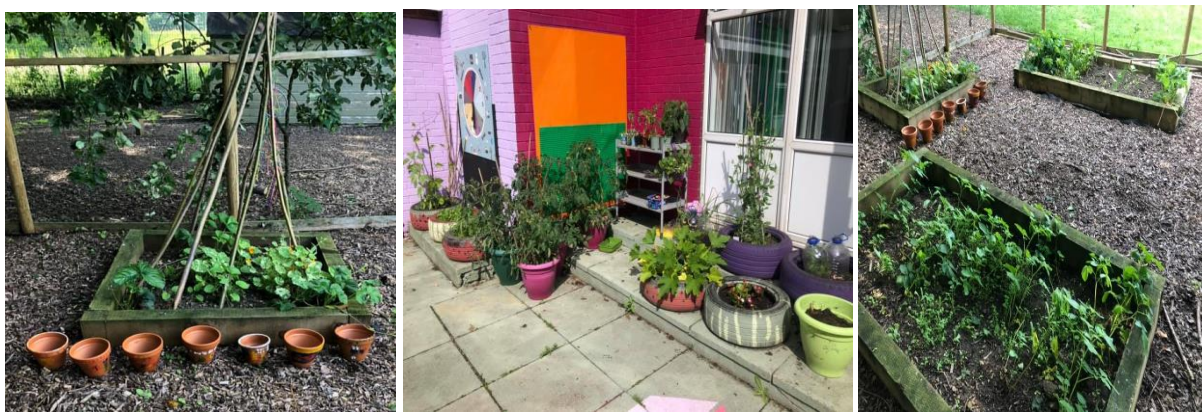
Art and craft club with Miss Gadsby, including sewing and sand art.



Forest school club with Mr Clarke, including zip wire, problem solving and making fires



Look at our decorated pots and all of the things we've grown in gardening club with Mrs Dame



There will be an updated club list sent out next week for September 2021.

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