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Our week

What a week! Considering the heat at school, we couldn't be more proud of how the children have coped, especially with the changes put in place each day to try and ensure everyone has been as comfortable as possible. Thank you everyone for your support yesterday - having walked around the building before leaving later in the afternoon, we definitely made the right call.

Our Year 6s 'right of passage' attendance at the Royal Norfolk Show were absolutely amazing! No one moaned about the heat and they threw themselves into everything whilst being incredible ambassadors of the school.

Congratulations to our Y5/6 cricketers who had a successful win against Robert Kett on Tuesday. They loved playing up on the College campus!

Key Stage 2 were treated to a fantastic assembly by our Underwood Hall boarders on Tuesday, sharing videos and stories about the life of a boarder.



An unbelievable coincidence occurred this week with some enormous eggs being spotted under the bridge in our forest glade, coinciding with National Writing Day on Wednesday! We have a scientist coming in on Monday to investigate further but the children have recorded amazing insights, hypothesising that they might belong to creatures ranging from rattle snakes, to lizards to even dragons!

Thank you to whoever dropped in some old suitcases for OPAL! Please keep any unwanted loose parts coming - see p.1

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OCCASSIONAL BOARDING IN UNDERWOOD HALL

NOW ONLY £75 PER NIGHT

(£30 ADMIN FEE ON YOUR FIRST BOOKING ONLY)

We are now offering 'flexi-boarding' to day pupils in Years 5 or Year 6 allowing them the opportunity to board on a flexible basis. The cost of flexi-boarding is £75 per night and will include the cost of dinner, breakfast, accommodation and all activities in Underwood Hall.



If you wish to book for your child to flexi board then please click on the link below. Alternatively you can email the school office or Mr. Timmins who will then be in touch with you with further information which will include drop off / collection arrangements, afternoon and evening schedules, and instructions on how payment is to be made.



Please note that there is an annual limit of 45 nights' accommodation per pupil per academic year. If you would like to enquire further about flexi-boarding then please do not hesitate to email Mr Timmins at j.timmins@wymcolprep.org.



[Occasional Boarding Booking Form](#)

THE FOWCP PRESENT THE...

SUMMER RAFFLE

2 Adult tickets for
Classic Ibiza at
Blickling Hall

**£75
cash**

Entry to Norwich
Castle (for up to
five people)

Day pass for two
adults and two
children at **Express
Fitness, Park Farm**

**Thursford
Collection**
entry for two x 2

Mid Norfolk Railway
Family Day Rover
Ticket (2 adults and up
to 3 children)

**Giggly Goat
Gallery**
£20 voucher

Park Farm
**Afternoon Tea
for Two**

**Thetford Garden
Centre**
£10 voucher

£10 CoOp Voucher

Jarrolds
£10 voucher

Dotty Pottery
£15 Voucher

**Daisy's Goat
Shed**
Hamper

**Hamper from
Norfolk and Better
Farm, PLUS £20
voucher**

Reflexology
Voucher for £50

**Box of
Chocolates**

TICKET
PRICE
£1

**CONTACT HATTIE CLARKE ON
CLASSLIST IF YOU NEED
MORE BOOKS TO SELL!**



BUY TODAY. WIN TOMORROW.

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Reception Rabbits & Robins

This week, we have gone off topic and have been learning all about things that grow in eggs. On Wednesday, some very strange eggs were discovered under the bridge in our Forest School area! The children were very excited to investigate where they may have come from and what could be inside them. This mystery has inspired us hugely for National Writing Week, where the children have enjoyed using their imagination and developing their writing ideas. In PSHE, we have been talking about the fun and fears of moving into Year One. The children are very excited to find out which class they will be in and to have their practice days in a couple of weeks. In Maths, we have continued learning about shapes whilst also revisiting lots of core skills from across the year, including number bonds. The children have coped brilliantly with the warm weather this week and have enjoyed lots of water-themed activities to help us stay cool.



Year 1 Otters & Seals

Year 1 have done brilliantly this week, enjoying many different activities across the curriculum. We were all intrigued by the mysterious eggs which appeared on site and had a variety of different ideas about where they came from. These included, the Easter Bunny, a giant tortoise, an escaped crocodile or a magical bird. We've worked hard on our comprehension skills in English, learning to read a text and answer some questions about it. We've become good detectives at re-reading the text to find (rather than guess!) the answers. In DT we made some beautiful sunshine pop ups, quite nicely linked to this week's weather! In RE we have been learning about the Judaism and specifically Shabbat. This week we were so lucky to taste some challah bread as part of our learning!



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Year 2 Badgers & Foxes

This week, we wrote letters to NASA to conclude our observations on the tomato seeds they sent us, considering how suitable they would be for growing in space. We were very thoughtful in sharing our ideas and findings. We also worked incredibly hard in our quizzes and showed great determination. Despite the hot weather, the children have impressed us with their excellent focus and positive attitudes towards their learning. We are extremely proud of the effort everyone has put in and how well they have persevered throughout the week.



Year 3 Dragonflies & Bumblebees

Year 3 have had a fantastic week! In Computing, we loved using our laptops to code and move our sprites around a maze. We had great fun searching for eggs in the Forest School area, which inspired some magical descriptive writing about what might hatch from them. We also braved the hot weather for exciting, water-filled PE sessions with hoses and water balloons. Despite the heat, everyone worked incredibly hard on their quizzes and showed great resilience and determination. We are so proud of all the fantastic learning and enthusiasm shown this week and are looking forward to another exciting week ahead.



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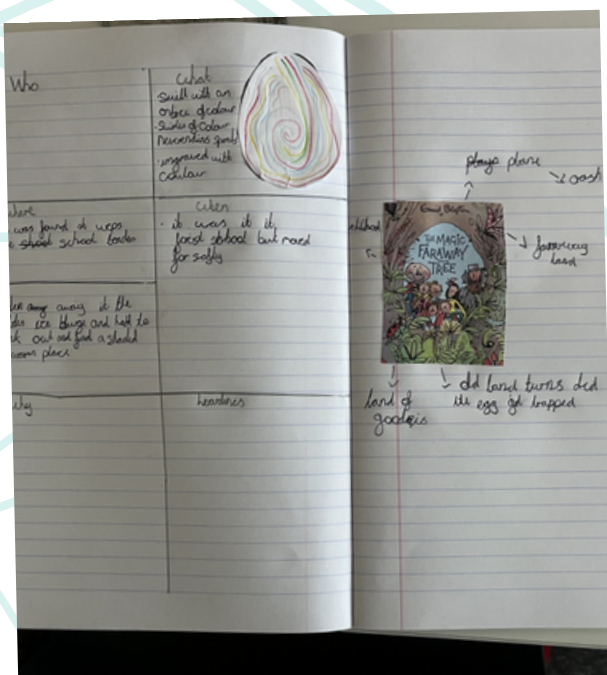
Year 4 Eagles & Owls

Year 4 have worked incredibly hard on starting their quizzes this week and we are so proud of their determination and perseverance in showcasing all that they have learnt in Year 4! After completing our quizzes in the mornings this week, we have been getting creative in our afternoon lessons. In Science, we created some food chain art as part of our recap and revise unit on living things. In Maths, we continued our unit on shapes focusing on quadrilaterals and polygons. In Art, we practiced creating our ancient shapes using pens and pencils compared to our chalk from last week.



Year 5 Kings, Emperors & Royals

Year 5 have worked extremely hard on their quizzes this week. We are beyond proud of their hard work and perseverance particularly battling this heat too! On Wednesday we had a special delivery... eggs! They were found in our forest school area- we have been investigating and writing a newspaper report all about our findings. In Humanities we have been looking at the chemical symbols of green house gases and making them with sweets! In Science we have completed another experiment looking at what happens when meteors strike the moon's surface.



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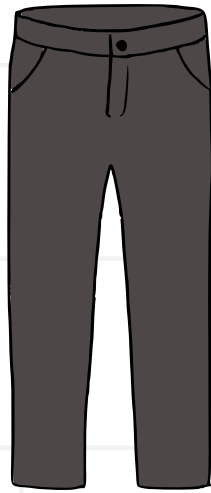
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Year 6 Lions & Jaguars

This week, Year 6 has been packed with so many exciting, special events unique to Year 6 pupils and it has truly felt as though we've kick started the WCPS Leaver's Programme with a bang! The real highlight of the week was our visits to the Royal Norfolk Show which is a real right of passage for our oldest children in the school. Each class were truly outstanding and a real credit to the school - polite, mature and just a real joy to take with us! The day consisted of collecting lots of freebies, enjoying the rides and petting lots of farm animals as well as singing beautifully at the Wymondham College tent. Back at school, the children also took part in an important First Aid course delivered brilliantly by the College nurses from the Med Centre. Massive thank you to them for providing the children with such important life skills!





SECOND HAND UNIFORM REQUEST

What we need:

- Jade sweatshirt with logo
- Navy book bags with logo
- Navy blazers with logo
- Navy school tie with logo

All in good condition please!

Unfortunately we can't sell:

- Grey uniform items
- Gingham dresses
- Socks
- Tights
- Coats

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Friends of Wymondham College Prep School

CONGRATS!

🎉 Congratulations to Charlotte Wickers in Seals for winning the Year 4 Quiz! 🏆

Please collect your prize from Reception on Monday. Well done, Charlotte!



📢 We'd love you to join us at our next committee meeting on **Monday 6 July at 7:45pm!**

Whether you're already involved or just curious to find out more, everyone is welcome. It's a great opportunity to hear what we're working on, share ideas, and see how you can get involved.

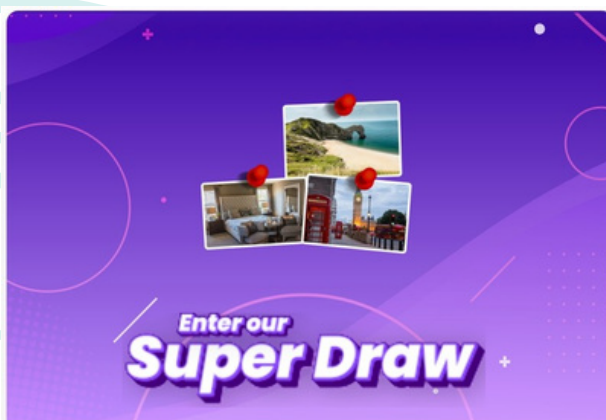
If you'd like more information about the meeting, please send Alex Altona a message on Classlist or email

Alex.altona@fowcp.onmicrosoft.com

We hope to see you there!

Your tea towels are on their way!

We will be sending a message out on Classlist soon with collection dates, as soon as we have received the delivery!



Win a £1,000 Last-Minute Getaway

You will receive one entry into this draw for each weekly ticket that you have. Buy more tickets for more entries

[Buy tickets](#)

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NEXT WEEK WILL BE WEEK: B

Woodland Wonder Next Week

Monday	AM Session: Jaguars PM Session: Foxes
Tuesday	AM Session: Lions PM Session: Badgers

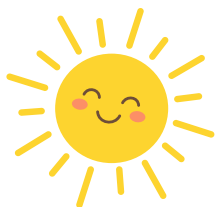


A polite reminder not to let your children play in the Forest School area before or after school.

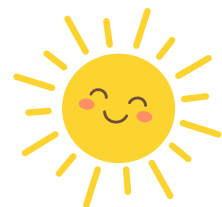
**WCPS
ATTENDANCE
THIS WEEK**

94.6%

**(FRIDAYS DATA IS
NOT INCLUDED IN
THIS)**



Have a nice weekend



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Forthcoming Events

JUNE/JULY

Monday 29th June

- 2026 admissions Reception parents  information evening 6:00pm - 7:00pm
- Percussion & Drums ECA end of term mini performance 3:45pm 

Wednesday 1st July

Autumn Term ECA sign up window opens 6:00pm

Friday 3rd July

Summer Term ECA's finish - Please ensure from Monday 6th July onwards that your children are collected at 3:15pm or booked into Premier Education.

Monday 6th July

Whole School transition Day. Y6 transition day at WC for those attending in September

Tuesday 7th July

- Y6 transition day at WC for those attending in September
- Festival of Friends Bluey trip for Y3/4/5 

Please note dates are subject to change without notice



Signifies Parent invited event



Signifies child invited event



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JULY

Wednesday 8th July

- ECA sign up for parents closes 6:00pm
- Prize Giving End of Year Assembly 2:00pm - Invitations have been sent to families for those being celebrated today. ★
- Y5/6 Production 6:00pm ★

Thursday 9th July

- Autumn Term ECA allocations published to families
- WCPS Summer Concert 3:30pm - 4:30pm ★
- Y5/6 Production 6:00pm ★

Friday 10th July

- School Reports published to families
- Phonics & SATS results published to families
- Y6 Leaver's Formal dinner & Disco 6:00pm - 8:30pm
- Y6 Prep Challenge pupils to Whitlingham ●

Monday 13th July

Y6 Leavers Colour Run 1:45pm

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JULY

Tuesday 14th July
(Reserve date; Wednesday
15th July)

- WCPS Sports Day 9:00am - 3:00pm ★
- Boarders Summer Formal 5:00pm
- Reception end of year celebration 2:30pm in classes at end of Sports Day ★

Friday 17th July

- Last day of academic year
- Y6 Leavers Assembly - Y6 parents invited ★
- Prep cup winners non-uniform day & treats - Winners will be announced Thursday 16th July and comms will follow

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 3 rd September	First day of academic year
Friday 11 th September	Y1/2 Meet the Teacher 3:15pm - Straight into classrooms at pickup ★
Wednesday 16 th September	YR Meet the Teacher 1:15pm - straight into classrooms at pickup ★
Friday 18 th September	• Y3/4 Meet the Teacher 3:15pm - Straight into classrooms at pickup ★ • Flu Vaccinations - Further information to follow
Monday 21 st September	• Autumn Term ECAs begin • Y1-6 Individual & Sibling photos take place (no siblings in YR will have their photo today)

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Friday 25 th September	• Y5/6 Meet the Teacher 2:15pm ★ • Boarding - Meet my boarding community 3:30pm in Underwood Hall ★ • EXEAT weekend - No ECAs tonight
Wednesday 30 th September	YR & Sibling individual photos - all siblings of those in reception will have their photos today
Wednesday 16 th December	Christmas Decoration Day & WCPS Christingle - Please note this is a provisional date and date is subject to change without notice. ★

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