



Wilden VA Church of England Primary School

Newsletter 2: October 2022

DIARY DATES FOR NOVEMBER

Tuesday 1st: Children back to school

Friday 11th: Remembrance Day Service

Monday 14th: School Photos and Odd Sock day

Wednesday 16th: KS2 SATs Info Evening

Thursday 17th: PTA Bingo night

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A MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

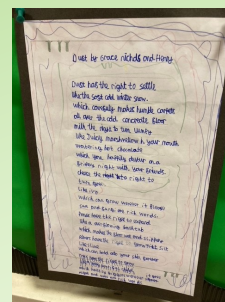
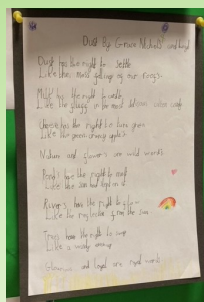
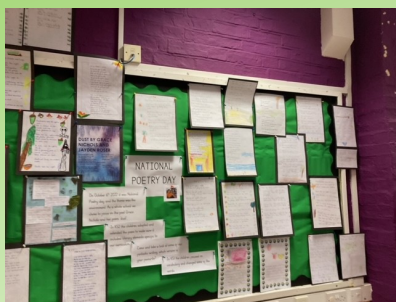
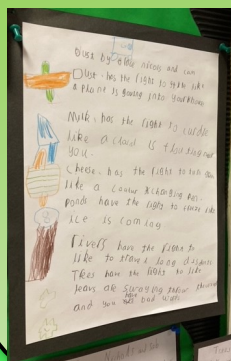
As we prepare for half-term, I'm able to reflect back on how busy this academic year has been so far. We've managed to fit in a Harvest Festival service, a parent forum, parents evening and parent visits into school. I'd like to take the opportunity to thank those parents who were able to visit the school and hope that it gave you a brief flavour of life in school.

As always, the second half of the Autumn Term is even busier as we prepare for Christmas. Please keep a close-eye on the calendar for upcoming events. I wish you all a fantastic half-term break. We look forward to welcoming you back on Tuesday 1st November.

NATIONAL POETRY DAY

On October 6th 2022, it was National Poetry Day and the theme was the environment. As a whole school, we chose to focus on the poet Grace Nichols and her poem 'Dust'. In KS2, the children adapted and extended the poem to make sure it included literary elements specific to our curriculum. In KS1, the children focused on vocabulary and changed some of the words. Come and take a look at some of our fantastic writing which is on display in the hall.

Which version is your favourite?



ROCK HEROES

(can answer questions in 1 second or less)

Reggie, Henry,
Winter, Aiden

ROCK LEGENDS

(can answer questions in 2 second or less)

Darcie, Evelyn,
Jackson

ROCK STARS

(can answer questions in 3 second or less)

Nathan, Felicity,
Cameron, Seb

TIN

Ella

IRON

Isla, Hayden, Jamie



SCHOOL PHOTOS / ODD SOCK DAY

The photographer will be in school on
Monday 14th November
to take individual photos of all the children.
It is only a "head and shoulders" photo so no one will know
that they're wearing odd socks as well!!!!



XMAS CARDS

Too early to talk about Christmas??!! Your children have
designed their own Christmas cards at school. You can or-
der these cards online and they will be delivered to school
at the end of November. The card designs need to be back
at school by

Monday 7th November.

You can also turn their cards designs into
wrapping paper, gift tags, mugs and
spiral bound notebooks



PARENTS IN SCHOOL DAY

On Wednesday 12th October we opened the school doors to welcome parents into the classrooms. Thank to all those who were
able to come. Your children loved having you in their classrooms for an hour and I hope you enjoyed it!!!



FOREST SCHOOL

It has been a really successful month for the Otters in Forest School. We have been learning about safe tool use and the children
have had a go at using the bill hook and craft knife to cut fire wood and mastered using the fire strikers to start a fire. We also
made the most of the different weather conditions we have experienced this October. The Hedgehogs and Squirrels class had the
opportunity to fly a kite on a windy day, (before it got stuck in a tree!). The Otters made water filters to collect and filter the rain
water in the heavy rain we have experienced this week.





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OPEN DAYS

3RD & 4TH NOVEMBER 2022

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ONLY 5 MILES FROM THE CENTRE OF BEDFORD AND 9 MILES FROM ST NEOTS



FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER

Remembrance Day Service
10.45am at the Church

**WE WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME
FRIENDS AND FAMILY TO JOIN US AT
THE CHURCH FOR OUR SERVICE**



SCHOOL UNIFORM EXPECTATIONS

SCHOOL UNIFORM

- Grey/black skirt or trousers (no jeans or leggings)
- Sly blue polo shirt
- Royal blue sweatshirt/cardigan
- Plain black school shoes (no trainers)
- Shoulder length hair tied up
- No jewellery except stud earrings

PE UNIFORM

- Black/blue/grey shorts or leggings
- PE polo shirt
- Royal blue hoodie
- Plain trainers
- No jewellery - stud earrings to be removed

Thank you for your cooperation in making sure that all children are wearing the correct school uniform.

**Wishing you all a relaxing half term break.
See you back at school on TUESDAY 1ST NOVEMBER**