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## Wetwang Weekly News

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Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2010



Hello Everyone

Spring is officially here! Once again we are beginning the last week of a term – it has hardly seemed two minutes since this one started after Christmas! It will be another busy week and we hope that you will join us in our Easter activities. These will start with the Easter Bingo on Tuesday night at 6pm. I enjoyed this last time, but won't be able to join you this year as I have a meeting in Hull that night. I hope that many of you will come along and have a great time. FOWs will be running the event and Mrs Chatterton is still collecting Easter Eggs for prizes. FOWs also need donations for the Tombola stall and buns and cakes for the refreshments please. We will also have Easter Egg prizes on Friday for the Sports themed Easter bonnet and egg competition, which is always a brilliant event. Entries will be displayed during the day, and the judging will take place at Celebration Assembly at the earlier time of 2.45. If you can make it to the Easter service in Church at 9.30am on Friday please feel free to pop into school before or immediately afterwards to see the entries – I was very conscious last year that with the amount of work put into them they deserved more viewing time! I look forward to seeing what your creativity and imagination comes up with this year. The Easter service is being organised by Mrs Allan and Mrs Atkin, and everyone will be welcome to join us in Church.

I hope that you have all enjoyed following the Sports Relief campaign on TV, I have been amazed by the endurance challenges taken on, particularly Eddie Izzard's 43 marathons! Charitable events always get such a good response and it makes me feel proud that we were able to contribute with our Wellie-walk, and thank you all for your support. If we can have sponsor money in this week it will mean we can get the proceeds sent off before the holiday, although we can send another payment through later if necessary. Thanks to Mrs McFetridge and Mrs Kay for organising this on the day. It will be Mrs McFetridge's last day with us on Friday and I am delighted that she has obtained another part-time post for next term. We have really appreciated her stint with us, and the school has benefited from her enthusiasm and skills. Word from Burton Agnes is that Ms B is doing really well, and it is good to hear that.

Mrs Kay will have mentioned the football on Friday, but for anyone who hasn't heard we came a very close second in the Waggonner's tournament, echoing the result of two years ago. If you remember, we brought the trophy home last year and I know the team were keen to hang on to it. Arrangements had to be changed at the last minute so it could go ahead and it worked well to host it here. We put up a strong performance and I was proud of the way the squad organised themselves with very little preparation. All through the matches we were playing fairly and with a good attitude, and it was a pleasure to see our first-time players out there on the pitch, alongside the children who have represented us before. It is always a shame when a close-fought tournament is decided on penalties, but such is life, and we did well to be runners-up. Thanks to all the family members who came out in support and I hope that the younger children enjoyed watching for a while. Y3 and Y4 enjoyed being reporters with the digital video cameras, too!

I would like to thank Mrs Allman and the YCWA for the pumpkin seeds again and hope that the children will enjoy growing them. I hope that we will get the school gardens planted up now that the weather has turned, and we will have some produce later in the year. Mrs Allman is keen for us to gather any recipes for using the pumpkins so that they can go into a booklet, and I can see that being a really good project to work on with the YCWA. It would be good to get some sunflowers on the go at home as well – I'm sure that we can run to a prize for the most impressive results. Children will be invited to enter a basket of veg grown in school into a class category at the Driffild

show, so if anyone would like to volunteer to help with the gardening from time to time please let us know.

Thank you for all the support this term, and I hope that you all have a restful holiday.

Anne O'Connor

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### **Tesco Vouchers**

We are now collecting Tesco Vouchers. They are in the shops until the 9<sup>th</sup> May. Please bring them in and place them in collection box in the school entrance. Thank you

### **Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers**

We are collecting the vouchers which are now available in stores. Please bring them in and place them in our collecting box on the bookshelf in the school entrance. Thank you

**Flora Cooking with School tokens** – are in stores until the end of March. You can either submit them via the internet or bring them to school and we'll do it for you. A collection box is in the entrance. Thank You Mrs Kay.

### **Change to the lunch menu**

Please note on Friday the 26<sup>th</sup> March Middleton School are having a staff training day and are unable to provide us with hot meals. Please send your child to school with a packed lunch that day.

### **Sport Relief Day – fundraiser 19<sup>th</sup> March**

We have raised £163 to date. Could any other monies be in by Friday please, so we can send it to Sport Relief. Thank You

### **Easter Competitions – Sport Theme**

There are 2 competitions this year, eggs and hats. The children have decided at School Council, that to link with Sport Relief, they would like a sports theme for entries this year. There will be 4 categories for each competition with prizes for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in each category.

The categories are;

Pre-school  
F2 and Ks1  
KS2

Adults

Please bring entries into school on the morning of 26<sup>th</sup> March 2010. Celebration assembly will begin at 2.45pm to include the prize giving.

### **Week commencing 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2010**

Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Mrs Kay & Mrs Allan out on a training course. Mrs Seller in Class1 Finance Workshop for KS2 Mrs O'Connor out PM on a course.
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Dentist advisory service in for the afternoon to see KS1 and KS2.
Thursday	PE with the PE Coaches. Please remember your kit. 3.30pm to 4.30pm Football Club
Friday	9.30 am Easter Church Service 11.30 School Council meeting PM Violins 2.45 Easter Celebration Assembly

### **Week Commencing 12<sup>th</sup> April 2010**

Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	No School Teacher Training Day
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Children back to school
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	AM Guitars PE Today with the sports coaches. Please remember your kit.
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup>	PE with the Sports Coaches 3.30pm to 4.30pm Football Club
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Pm Violins 3pm Celebration Assembly

### **Easter Church Service**

We will have our Easter Celebration at St Nicholas's Church at 9.30 on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March all welcome.

### **Swimming Lessons**

Swimming lessons will begin on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> April for all of the KS2 children.

### **Message from Class 1**

There will be no show and tell for the rest of this week.

Please could you provide a named plastic bag for your child as there will be things to take home.

### **Back to School**

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April