



The 4 Bees Newsletter

'Life in all its Fullness': Believing ~ Being Our Best ~ Being Creative ~ Belonging



Wow Moments in Wagtails!!

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Wagtail Class had an unforgettable visit today when Garg from Garg's Animal Encounters joined us with a fascinating collection of animals from around the world, organised to enrich the children's learning in their science topic on animals and their geography work on countries around the world. The children were captivated (and incredibly brave!) as they experienced a giant millipede with up to 300 legs crawling gently over their hands, and stroked a Madagascan hissing cockroach with its twitching tentacles. They then met a small royal python, called Prince William, and some were even brave enough to hold him around their necks! There was great excitement when Garg brought out a sugar glider from Australia – he leapt from the children's arms into Garg's hands! The class also met a wonderful range of animals including Lilo the chinchilla, Coco the skunk, Bingo the bearded dragon, Ash the melanistic barn owl and Dumbo the tenrec. It was lovely to watch the children (and adults!) gaze in wonder and awe at all the different creatures – a definite 'wow' moment for Wagtail Class!!

Bee Kind Winners

Reception— Ella

Year 1— Ollie

Year 2— Lily

Year 3— Aiban

Year 4— Olivia

Year 5— Finlay

Year 6— Isla

Headteacher's Awards

Reception Alex

Year 1 Ava

Year 2 India

Year 3 Lily

Year 4 Amelia

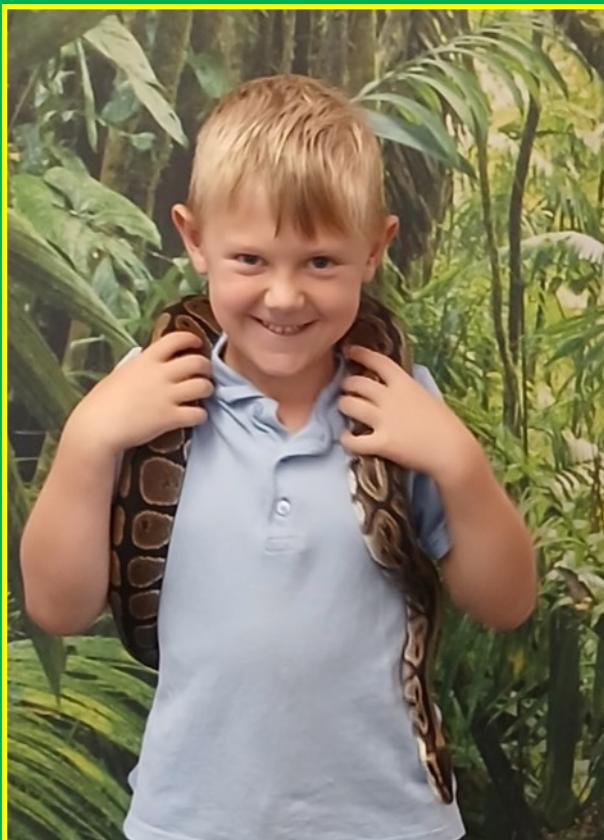
Year 5 Emily

Year 6 Nicole

Come and join us!

You are warmly invited to join us at our Celebration Worship tomorrow at 9.05am. Please come and join us for a drink beforehand at 8.45am.

Mrs Vessey



**Magnificent Magpies!!**

The joy of OPAL never stops when we see the children playing so happily on the playground. Year 5 have amazed us recently with their amazing water structures—definitely all destined for some sort of engineering career!



Harry snoozing in the sun...!

Diary Dates— Summer Term

Quidditch Day—today!

Puffins Trip to Gibberd Garden—Friday 3rd July

Year 6 Rounders —Friday 3rd July

Year 5 Residential Slideshow—3.15-3.30pm Magpie Class, Friday 3rd July

Sports Day and Social—Friday 10th July (doors open for parents 12pm), bar opens 3.30pm-5.30pm

KS2 Production—Monday 13th July 2.00pm Dress Rehearsal

Tuesday 14th July 6.30pm, Wednesday 15th July 6.30pm

Year 6 Leavers' Church Service—11am at St Mary's Church, Thursday 16th July

Weekly**Scores on the Doors**

Earth 75

Air 65

Water 49

Fire 27

Well done to **Earth** who are our Housepoint Winners this week!

Year 6 Residential

We are pleased to say Kestrel Class had an amazing time on their Residential Trip. Their teachers said how proud of them they all were with the way they represented our school in terms of their manners. They were also in awe of their positivity and courage in tackling new challenges. Don't miss news of the upcoming slideshow!