



Wittersham Church of England Primary School

"On a voyage of discovery: together we learn, grow and achieve"

21st October 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

Samaritan's Purse is an international relief and development organisation that works through local churches to proclaim and demonstrate the love of God amongst communities in Africa, Eastern Europe and Central Asia. They are part of the global Samaritan's Purse family that has been providing spiritual and physical aid to people in need around the world since 1970. Wittersham School have had the pleasure of supporting this very worthwhile cause for many years and look forward to doing so again this Christmas

Our children have been discussing how they can help needy children around the world in a tangible way by sending them a shoe box filled with small gifts that will be given to a child regardless of their background or religion.

I wish you all a wonderful half term.
Claire Frost *Headteacher*

Dates for your Diary:

- Homewood School Children in Need 'Dance Dash'—
Friday 18th November
- Development Day—Friday 25th November**
- Christmas Lunch—Tuesday 20th December



Year 6 Sports Leader Training

Our Year 6 children were at the Towers School, Ashford yesterday, learning a range of skills in sports leadership which they will be able to utilise and develop with our infant children over the coming year.



LOST PROPERTY! We have a large bag of lost property in the school office. Please come and check this if you are missing any items. We will donate these to the WSA second hand sale if not claimed



SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS—YEAR 6

Don't forget to apply for your secondary school place—**DEADLINE IS 31st OCTOBER**

BRAISWICK PHOTOGRAPHIC—orders need to be returned to the school office by Tuesday 1st November

PARENT CONSULTATIONS—please return slips as soon as possible and by Tuesday 1st November latest

SAMARITAN'S PURSE CHRISTMAS CHILD GIFTS—please deliver to school by Thursday 10th November latest

PUPIL SUMMARY REPORTS—please return slips by Friday 4th November latest if you wish to receive these reports

Children in Need

On Sunday 9th October Wittersham School Staff carried out a Sponsored Walk in aid of Children in Need. A grand total of £225.00 was raised which will be donated on behalf of the school

Lunchtime Exemplary Behaviour Award:



KS1—Kitty
KS2—Lucy P.

This Week's Golden Christian Values Winners

Windmill—Barnaby and Florence
Smugglers—Lilly and Vinnie
Viking—Chloe E. and Phoebe
Oxney—Sunny and Isla H-F.
Rother—Gabriel and Kian

Thank you for all of the wonderful cake donations to the WSA Vikings Cake Sale—an amazing £166.27 was raised for their class funds!



Tidiest Cloakroom Award:

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Attendance cup last week went to: **WINDMILL** with 99.5% Attendance—**WELL DONE AGAIN WINDMILL CLASS!**



Toffee Apple Sale on Friday 4th Nov. We're holding this just in time for bonfire night to help raise funds for a Science Astrodome for the whole school to enjoy. More info next term.

A big thank you to everyone who donated and helped at the Vikings cake sale, we made £166.27 for class funds, so well done to all.
Miriam (WSA Chair)

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Our school Christian values:

"Respect, kindness, self-worth/perseverance, forgiveness and love"