Newsletter













Friday 3rd October 2025

Whole School Attendance

96.9%

Welcome to St Winefride's Catholic Primary School where we 'Learn, Laugh, Listen, Live and Love' in the presence of Jesus.'

'Let Your Light Shine.' Matthew 5:16





A message from Mrs Davies to all our families....

We started our week with a Mass of thanksgiving for the academic year ahead. Father Tom joined us at St Winefride's to celebrate Mass with us. It was lovely to come together and give thanks for our school and everyone who belongs to our school and parish community. Thank you to all parents and family members who joined us, as well as parishioners and governors. It was good to be together. The children participated in Mass positively and reverently. Well done to all of the children who read throughout Mass and thank you to everyone for the beautiful singing. God Bless you all. Thank you to Father Tom for taking the time to be with us and celebrate Mass with us; we are extremely grateful.

I am pleased to share that our new children, in Reception, have settled into school life extremely well. They are showing excellence through their commitment to their learning and curiosity to explore and learn new things; happiness in their play and in their connections to form strong relationships; respect shown to one another, their grown ups and our school environment; resilience to persevere when they find things challenging, which isn't always easy; compassion—showing love, care and kindness to those around them and to the whole school community and environment, and faith in all that they are and all that they can achieve with the love and support of those around them and the love of God. This can be seen in all of the year groups too, as our children journey through our wonderful school. I have shown some lovely families around our school this week, who have commented upon the positive and warm environment, and the excellent behaviour for learning, of our children. It is always a joy to show people around school and for them to see how hard working, polite and well mannered our children are.



Yesterday, our children from Years 5 and 6 took part in our second Neston cluster sporting event. The team played with great skill, sportsmanship, resilience and determination. They remained unbeaten all afternoon finishing in 1st place. It was an incredible afternoon enjoyed by all. Thank you children for working hard and sharing our core values with visitors and thank you to parents and carers for coming to support us—it really helped. Thank you to Miss Wright for planning all of the wonderful sporting events for the academic year and for organising our fixtures and teams yesterday.

I know that I shared this information last week but just another reminder that our website is packed with useful information — from class-specific updates to whole-school news, curriculum details, term dates, and more. We encourage all families to check it regularly to stay up to date. You will find all newsletters and important dates uploaded to the school website.

I wanted to shared with you all that, last Friday, we raised £151.30, which will be donated to MacMillan Support. Thank you to everyone for supporting this very worthy cause.



Finally, I am pleased to share that our uniform is now stocked at Cains of Heswall as well Thredit. Click the QR code which will take you directly to their site. If you require any further information, please contact the school office.

Please do continue to pray for our clerk to governors, Mrs Griffith-Parr. I know that Mrs Griffiths—Parr, and her family, continue to feel comfort from our love and prayers. **Mrs Davies**

Forest School session-

Thursday 2nd October 2025

Children in year One had a wonderful time in Forest School this week, linking their outdoor learning to their science topic on the human body. They began with energetic parachute games before exploring some of the bones and organs inside our



bodies. Using natural materials, the children created their own human body outlines on the forest floor. After toasting and enjoying marshmallows around the fire, they finished the session with a game of egg box bingo, using their senses to explore and discover the natural world around them. It was a fantastic session full of teamwork, creativity, and scientific discovery!

Thursday 9th October —Forest School Session for children in Year One.

Important Dates

Tuesday 7th October—Swimming for children in Year 6.

Wednesday 8th October at 9.15am—Harvest Celebration in the school hall—all welcome to attend. Donations are very much welcome. Children can bring donations on this day. The Food Bank will visit the following day to collect all donations.

Save the date...

Friday 10th October—Year 6 class SHINE Assembly—Parents welcome.

Friday 17th October—Reception class SHINE Assembly—Parents welcome.

Friday 23rd October—Year Three class SHINE Assembly—Parents Welcome.

Tuesday 21st October—Year 6 Residential to Bala.

Parents Evenings—Monday 16th and Thursday 19th October.

Appointments will be bookable on Spider—Mrs Roberts will notify you when the appointments are available for booking.