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# Wareside C of E School Newsletter

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## WELCOME TO THE SUMMER TERM!

It's been a great start to the term. A warm welcome to the new families who started school with us this week. We have a busy few weeks of learning ahead. The topics for this term are flight and the local area and the staff have planned some really exciting opportunities for the children. It also promises to be a busy term of activities so do keep an eye out on the newsletter for dates and reminders. School grounds are looking excellent – huge thanks to Ben Roberts for working tirelessly with Denis to get the school looking smart over the past few weeks.

It was lovely to see the new uniform already being worn this week. Looking very smart boys! If you have any questions about the new uniform which must be worn from September 2019 please don't hesitate to speak to Mrs Duffy or Mrs Micklethwaite.



## STAFF NEWS

### *Well done Mrs Duffy!!*

We would all like to say huge congratulations to Mrs Duffy! She recently completed the School Business Management training and passed all her exams. Studying alongside her role at school was challenging but she did it so brilliantly. I'm sure you will all join me in congratulating Mrs Duffy and also thanking her for all she does for our school. We are incredibly

lucky to have her as part of our team at Wareside.

We would also like to welcome Denis Smith to the Wareside team. Denis will be with us a few hours each week to maintain the school grounds and help to keep the school looking its best. Denis is also an ex pupil of Wareside and knows the school well!

## EARLY YEARS NEWS

Up, Up and Away!

In Early Years this week the children have visited the Travel Agent, booked flights, made passports, been through airport control, packed suitcases, been on a flight to Africa and carried a basket of 'fruit' on their heads as the Kenyan village girl does in *Handa's Surprise*. In the story the animals steal fruit from her basket which has helped us to create subtraction number sentences in Maths.

As well as sparking their imaginations the new topic is enabling the children to think about places they have been, how we are the same and different to people from other cultures and where their food comes from.





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## CLASS 1 NEWS

To introduce our 'Clear for Take Off' topic, Class One have been busy following instructions. First we made paper aeroplanes and then we made kites. We went out and flew them in the playground and wrote our own instructions: 'How to make a kite'.



**CONGRATULATIONS FOR THE WEEK!**

**EYFS – Jessica J**

**Class 1 – Daisy**

**Class 2 – Dulcie**

**Presentation – Jake**



To celebrate our 50<sup>th</sup> birthdays and nearly 40 years of friendship myself and 3 friends are taking part in Walk the Walk on May 11<sup>th</sup>. We will be walking through the night in our bras to raise awareness of Breast Cancer Research. If you would like to donate, please go to my just giving page. Many thanks, Mrs Barton.

<http://wtwalk.org/moonwalklondon2019/lindsay-1>

## EASYFUNDRAISING – FRIENDS

It's DOUBLE DONATION week, which means you can help raise TWICE as much for Wareside C of E school, Wareside when you go through #easyfundraising.

John Lewis and Partners, M&S, TUI, Carphone Warehouse, Etsy, Topshop, Apple, Lakeland, Secret Escapes and more are DOUBLING DONATIONS for our cause.

To find out more, visit:

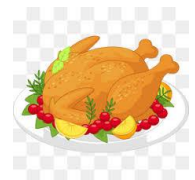
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## A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE PARISH COUNCIL

We'd like to say a huge thank you to the Wareside Parish Council for giving us funds of £700 to develop our outdoor learning areas. More about this to follow from FRIENDS – it looks to be an exciting project! We would also like to thank Mrs Bath for all her efforts in applying and succeeding in getting the funds. It's very much appreciated by the school community.

## SHARING LUNCH

The next Sharing Lunch, roast chicken, will be on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Please notify Mrs Duffy if you would like a place before paying £3.60, sorry HCL price increases, on-line at: [www.eduspot.co.uk](http://www.eduspot.co.uk)





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## THE FRIENDS OF WARESIDE CHURCH

Calling all Landlubbers and Old Salts alike ...  
We present for your entertainment and delectation, a light-hearted program of Shanties and Songs of the Sea given by the Motley Crew, a hugely talented 12 man shanty crew, who come all the way from Brightlingsea in Essex. Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm.

This time, the proceeds go to RNLI, a vital emergency service, hitherto under-appreciated in land-locked Hertfordshire. So whether you're into sandcastles, sailing or sea fishing, or you're worried about rising sea levels, please help us raise funds for this excellent charity.

Tickets are on sale at £8.00 each from [friendsofwareside@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofwareside@gmail.com) and include a glass of wine and light refreshments in the interval. See Facebook pages [Motley Crew](#) and [Friends of Wareside Church](#) for more details. Also, please note that this is a short concert (we expect to be finished by 9:30pm), but there are **\*\*no WC facilities\*\*** at the church.

And for afters, The Chequers is offering New England Fish or Corn Chowder served in a home-made sour dough cob for £5 a bowl. To book your meal telephone The Chequers on 01920 467010.

Finally ... If you have ideas for musicians/performers for future events, or if you'd like to get involved with The Friends, we would love to hear from you.

**Thank you,  
The Friends of Wareside Church  
Paul Goodman, Richard Hart, Steve Wood,  
Nicholas Buxton**



We are collecting stamps on behalf of the UK Air Ambulance.

The UK's Air Ambulance Services are charities which receive no government funding and rely entirely on charitable donations to continue flying and responding to life threatening medical emergencies.

Please bring your stamps into the school office.



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## REMINDERS AND DATES – FIRST HALF TERM

**Wednesday 01<sup>st</sup> May** – Year 1 Phonics Screening meeting 2.45pm

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April** – Swimming lessons begin Class 2 – please see letter for details / timings

**Friday 03<sup>rd</sup> May** – Cake sale 2.45pm (with Mrs Barton and School Council)

**Wednesday 08<sup>th</sup> May** – Maths morning for parents 9am whole school

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May** – 9am FRIENDS meeting / Y1/2 multiskills afternoon

**Week of 13<sup>th</sup> May** – Y2 and Y6 SATs week

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May** – Sharing Lunch, roast chicken

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May** – Class 1 and 2 trip RAF Hendon

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May** – Village rhyme time for babies and toddlers in the school hall run by the Family Centre – afternoon / leaflet to follow

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** – Y3/4 at tennis festival PM / Y5/6 at AGE UK event pm – letters to follow

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – 9am Class 1 Family Worship

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May** – end of half term 3pm

**Kanchana Vanhove**  
Headteacher



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## Bake Sale

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019  
2.45pm

Cupcakes: 50p  
Slice of Cake: £1

Any money raised will be given to  
Breast Cancer research.