



Wheatley Lane Methodist Primary School Newsletter 19/6/26



This half term the weekly message from Wheatley Lane Methodist Church will be written by Rev. Adrian.

Dear friends

If you have a son or daughter aged between 8 – 18 this week's letter is for you!

Every year the Methodist Church of Great Britain runs '3Generate', which is a national children and youth weekend in the Autumn.

'3Generate' this year is taking place at the NEC in Birmingham from Friday 2nd – Sunday 4th October. There is a promo video that you can watch here: https://youtu.be/O8_THIF3Hbs?si=Da1a5O1RY0k7W2ma

Just copy and paste into Google or Youtube.

I have all the details you need, so if you are interested and want to know more, please feel free to contact me directly:

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With best wishes,

Rev Adrian

Prayer

Dear God

Thank you for helping us through another week. Thank you for the energy, time and commitment people give for '3Generate', to inspire children and young people.

Thank you too for the energy, time and commitment you give to us as parents, grandparents, teachers, staff and volunteers too. We want to help all our children to learn and develop, and to love life.

Please help us remember that we can learn from them too.

Amen.

Music concert

Year 3 would love to perform for their families to showcase their wonderful ukulele skills. There will be a music concert on 9th July at 8:55am in the school hall. Our guitar and keyboard players will also be playing. Please come along and join us.



Site supervisor vacancy

Are you our next site supervisor? Do you know someone who would be perfect for the role?

Please find all the details below:

<https://mynewterm.com/jobs/150581/EDV-2026-WLMPS-22016>



What's been happening in school this week

It's been an amazing week with so many wonderful activities taking place. I've linked them to our 'Infinite Eight' which is our personal development programme for all of our children.

Y6 spent a daring two days at Whitehough where they took part in lots of new experiences such as the leap of faith, Jacob's ladder, low ropes and more! *Be inspired to aspire*

Y3 then followed in their footsteps and spent the day there on Thursday. *Be inspired to aspire*

On Wednesday we met our new Reception class at our Teddy Bear's picnic. We loved meeting them and we can't wait for them to officially join us in September. Thank you to Mrs Birro and Mrs Hargreaves for organising. *Be part of a top team*

Year 4 have raised a magnificent £309 for Edukid with their stall. We are so proud of you! *Walk a while in someone's shoes*

The Colour Run was amazing! The children loved it and looked wonderful! A huge thank you to our fantastic FWLS who organise these great events. The amount raised was £1846 - Wow! Thank you for your generosity. *Be part of a top team*

We are so lucky to have such wonderful staff at Wheatley Lane who go above and beyond for our children each day. Epworth Trust invited all staff to nominate someone as part of 'Thank a Colleague day'. We were visited by Mr Joseph from the Central Team on Wednesday who brought certificates for nominated staff, a card of thanks for everyone and a bag of goodies for the staff room. *Be part of a top team*



Diary Dates

25/6/26	Y5 worship	8:50am in the school hall
29/6/26	Sports Day	Infants 9:30am Juniors 1:30pm
2/7/26	Y1 worship	8:50am in the school hall
9/7/26	Music concert	8:55am in the school hall
14/7/26	Y5/6 play	The Hippodrome, Colne (evening)
16/7/26	Reception worship	8:50am in the school hall
21/7/26	Y6 leavers' service	2pm in church
22/7/26	Last day of term	2pm finish



Classes for next year

We are delighted to have two new staff joining us in September - Sally Brennan and Louise Hawkrigg. They are looking forward to meeting their new classes on June 30th for our moving up afternoon. Welcome to the Wheatley Lane team!

Rec - Ms Lyndsey Jennings and Mrs Laura Birro

Y1 - Miss Sally Brennan

Y2 - Mrs Louise Hawkrigg

Y3 - Mrs Catherine Riley

Y4 - Mrs Helen Hargreaves

Y5 - Mrs Salma Abbas

Y6 - Mr Dave Metcalfe and Mr Craig Latham



Sports News

The year 5 & year 6 netball teams both played on Monday evening. Both teams showed amazing teamwork and determination, they each won 2 games and lost two.

Really impressive talent on display - well done girls!



Epworth Worship Together

This week's worship is all about Refugee Week led by Rosehill. Scan the QR code to watch at home.



Explore further at home



You might like to explore this theme further at home with your family:

- Share a story about a time you felt new or unsure—what helped you feel welcome?
- Find out about a different country or culture and what life is like there
- Try learning a few words in another language, like "hello" or "welcome"
- Think of one way your family could show kindness in your community
- Watch and discuss the home video again with your family [Home | an Aardman and Save the Children short film](#)

Attendance Matters

Reception	98.3%
Year 1	96.3%
Year 2	96.2%
Year 3	95%
Year 4	98.3%
Year 5	96.7%
Year 6	98.7%

Weekly Winners



No school days missed	100%	Fantastic future
2 days absent	99%	10 learning hours lost
4 days absent	98%	20 learning hours lost
6 days absent	97%	30 learning hours lost
7.5 days absent	96%	37.5 learning hours lost
9.5 days absent	95%	47.5 learning hours lost
11 days absent	94%	55 learning hours lost
13 days absent	93%	65 learning hours lost
15 days / 3 weeks absent	92%	75 learning hours lost
17 days absent	91%	85 learning hours lost
19 days absent	90%	95 learning hours lost

Special Awards

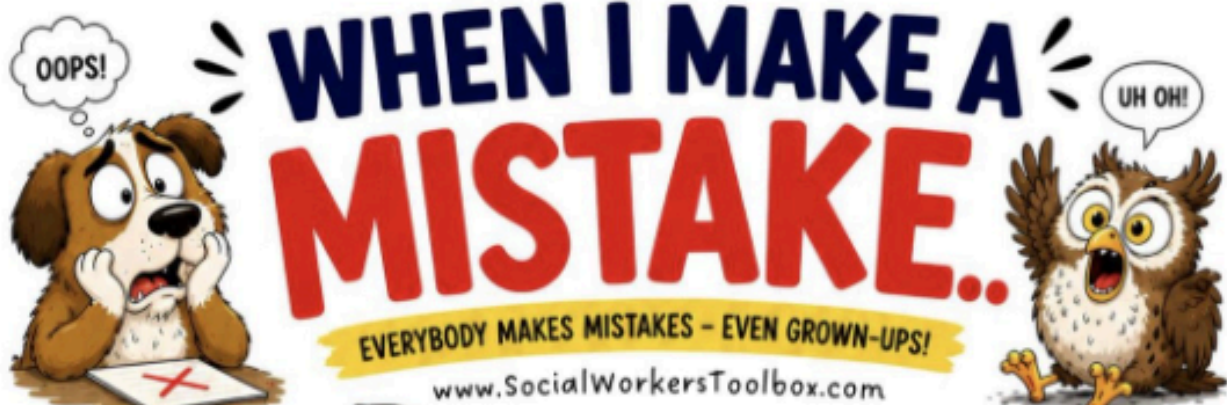
REC	Jack - Brilliant contributions in class discussions
Y1	George - Working incredibly hard on his writing all week
Y2	Ted - Showing resilience and working hard (even with a broken arm!)
Y3	Arthur - Setting a wonderful example to others
Y4	Thomas - outstanding effort and hard work has really paid off this week with some excellent work outcomes. Additionally, he has the best manners! Everyone - for fundraising for Edukid
Y5	Finlay - Always trying his best and being an excellent role model for others to follow
Y6	Isaac S - Always giving everything a go and being a great role model to all



Headteacher Award

Year 4 have made us so proud by thinking of others and wanting to make a difference. We will give them an extra playtime next week!

Wellbeing Matters



1 TRY AGAIN

Another try
is a new
opportunity!



5 TRY A DIFFERENT WAY

A new way
might work
better!



2 ASK FOR HELP

It's smart to
ask when you
need it.



6 TAKE A BREAK IF YOU NEED ONE

Step away, take a
breath and come
back with a
clearer mind.



3 LEARN FROM IT

Mistakes help
you learn
and grow.



7 NOTICE WHAT WENT WELL

Focus on the good
things too!



4 KEEP GOING

Don't stop now.
Keep going -
you've got this!



8 BE KIND TO YOURSELF

You're doing
your best, and
that's enough.



REMEMBER NOT TO...

GIVE UP



SAY
"I CAN'T
DO IT"



HIDE
MISTAKES



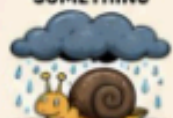
BLAME
OTHER
PEOPLE



CALL
YOURSELF
NAMES



THINK ONE
MISTAKE
MEANS YOU ARE
BAD AT
SOMETHING



★ MISTAKES ARE PROOF THAT YOU ARE **LEARNING!** ★