

Westhead Lathom St James'

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Dear Families,

What a lovely week in school although I think we've also experienced all of the seasons too! Everything from rain to wind to hail and even sunshine have greeted us this week, which has meant a few indoor breaks-something we're not used to at WLSJ as we like to be outside! Nevertheless, the children have been fabulous as always.

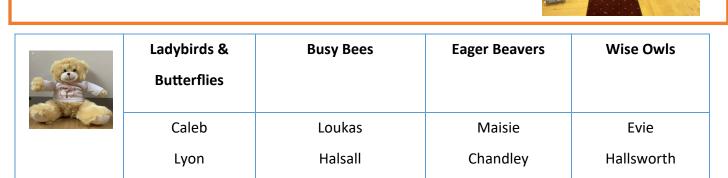
This week a thief visited school and stole all of the books from the Wise Owls classroom! The children were aghast when they came into school and have spent the week interviewing all the prime suspects in school. They're using all the evidence gathered to write their own mystery stories which I'm very much looking forward to reading, even though they keep trying to lay blame on me for the theft!

Ladybirds and Butterflies have been tidying their front garden and getting ready for spring with some planting. The children really enjoyed this session and their garden looks fabulous with a bit of colour added.

Next week is a very busy week ahead. Our youngest two classes go off to visit the farm on Monday and our Eager Beavers are away overnight on Thursday at Waddow Hall. There are lots of very excited children (and staff) and I'm sure we'll have lots of lovely photos to share with you.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Miss Clark



Reception	Busy Bees		Eager Beavers		Wise Owls	
Amber	Markus	Ethan	Oliver	Isaac	Alice	Esther
Karson	Bennett	Nolan	Newton	Kane	Williams	Keegan
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OUR BUSY SCHOOL WEEK

Our Early Years' class have made a fantastic job of planting some troughs to brighten up our front playground. The plants were very kindly offered to school at a discount by Paloma Forest Nurseries, Ormskirk, next to The Sandpiper.













Playground Leaders

Mrs Showering has been instrumental in initiating our new playground leaders scheme, The Great GLARMS (the initials of the children running it) This group will help with behaviour, fair play and friendship groups and activities in the playground and the field at lunchtime.











Where has Wise Owls' library disappeared to? They arrived to empty bookcases on Monday morning. After studying the clues they then began interviewing the staff as suspects. Miss Tither is expecting some very good pieces of creative writing!



CHURCH NEWS

St James' Church, Westhead



For pastoral support and zoom log-ins please contact—

Rev John Sephton on john-sephton1@yahoo.com

Community Praise on Zoom

The church is looking for additions to their music group:

Are you, or someone that you know, able to play the drums, or the piano? We are also looking for

Anyone wishing, either individually or in a small group, to join our singers on a Sunday morning please get in touch with Rev John on 07929512847

DIARY DATES

- Monday 20th March Pupil Progress meetings 3.45 p.m. Whole school
- Monday 27th March 1.30 p.m. Pupil Progress meetings EYFS only
- Thursday 30th March 1.30 p.m. Pupil Progress meetings—BB/EB/WO
- Friday 31st March Easter Service at school and Bake Off and raffle



P.T.A. EASTER EVENT

Following our Easter Service for all parents and families, on the school playground, on Friday March 31st 9.30 a.m. we would love you to stay afterwards and support the P.T.A.'s Easter Bake-Off.

Coffee, tea and cakes will be served at £1.00 per slice.

Please ensure all your bakes are nut free and they are labelled. Please bring your bake, individual cakes or full cakes that can be sliced up for sale, into school first thing for judging.

