



# Whitecote Newsletter

**WHITECOTE COMMUNITY GROUP**

## POSTER COMPETITION!

We need you to design a poster to recruit members of our Whitecote Community Group PTA.

Your poster should be done over the school holidays and returned by Tuesday 4th June.

**MAKE IT CLEAR, COLOURFUL & EYE CATCHING!**

and add the below statement (or your own version of it):

▶ We need volunteers to work on events and activities in and around school.

We hope to raise funds for school trips, year six leavers hoodies and events such as Discos and Fairs.

We are also raising funds for a School Minibus.

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*Winner will be announced on Friday 7th June and receives a £10 Amazon voucher*

## INC WINNERS

**Nurture – I will try to understand how others are feeling and why.**

**R Apple** – Aleyha F-B – Aleyha you have developed a greater understanding of emotions this year and have shown this in class with your peers. You are always the first to check on someone if they are upset and help them if they are hurt. What a kind friend. Well done!

**R Pear** – Alfie G – You have been working more cooperatively with your friends, listening to their ideas and being a kind friend. Well done Alfie!

**1 LAVENDER** – Eva G – You have been noticing when your peers have not been happy and gone to help them.

**1 ROSE** – Darcy P – You have been trying hard to understand how your friends are feeling in different situations.

**2 WILLOW** – Ollie W – You have been understanding how your friends have been feeling and helping them to feel better.

**2 HAZEL** – Tyler-Jay S – You are a kind and caring member of our class and this has been noticed by children and adults in 2 Hazel.

**3 SPRUCE** – Vladislav V – You are always trying to help your classmates and support other children in any way you can.

**3 YEW** – Hollie C – You have been kind and thoughtful to others when they have needed your help. Well done Hollie!

**4 ASH** – Angel-Mae G – You are a kind member of the class who supports your friends when they are in need.

**4 BEECH** – Havana D – You noticed that Mrs Stead needed help with tidying, and you helped her.

**5 CHESTNUT** – Ruby T – You do a great job at understanding how your friends are feeling at all times and helping them. Well done, keep it up!

**5 ELM** – Lucas E – You are great at understanding how others are feeling in 5 Elm!

**6 CEDAR** – Anita Maya T – You are always always the greatest friend and most understanding person. Thankyou

**6 OAK** – Amelia H – You showed kindness and concern when your saw people her hurt, ill or upset.

## MAY 2024

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2, 9, 16 & 23. Year 2 - Stay and Read	13 - 17 - Year 6 SATs
3, 10, 17 & 24. Year 1 - Stay and Read	13 - 17 - Year 5 - Lineham Farm Residential
6. SCHOOL CLOSED FOR MAY DAY	14 & 16. Nursery - Stay and Play
7 & 8. Little Doves - Stay and Play	23. Reception & KS1 - Whitecote Wonders
8. Reception - Stay and Play	24. BEST OF BRITISH DAY
8. Nursery - Leeds Story Bus	24. KS2 - Whitecote Wonders
10. Year 5 - Cooking Poutine	24. SCHOOL BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM

# Play Equipment

We would like to remind all parents, guardians and children that the climbing equipment should not be used before or after school as children are not supervised in this time and it is a health and safety risk. If children are seen on the equipment during these times they will not be allowed on the equipment during play times.



# Whitecote: Building The Future

- New External Doors
- Outdoor Library
- New Housing for the Guinea Pigs
- Develop Little Doves Outdoor Play Area
- Develop Nursery Courtyard

<b>Whitecote Primary</b> <b>Week 1</b> W/C 19/02/24 - 11/03/24 15/04/24 - 06/05/24 - 03/06/24 - 24/06/24 - 15/07/24	<b>Tuesday</b> Savoury Minced Beef Mashed Potatoes Quorn Vegetarian Roast (v) Jacket Wedges Cheese Bap Jacket Wedges (v) Carrot Cake with Fresh Fruit Wedges	 <b>Wednesday</b> Chicken Biryani Super Five Vegetable Pasta Bake (v) Jacket Potato Tuna Mayonnaise Rainbow Shortbread with Fresh Fruit Wedges	<b>FRIDAY</b> Battered Fish Chips Veggie Nugget Wrap (ve) Chips Jacket Potato with Cheesy Coleslaw (v) Custard Cream Cupcake
<b>MONDAY</b> Margherita Pizza (v) Jacket Wedges Veggieballs in Onion Gravy (ve) Jacket Wedges Jacket Potato BBQ Beans (v) Ice Cream with Strawberry Sauce	<b>AVAILABLE DAILY</b> <b>YOGHURTS AND Fresh Fruit</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b> Roast Gammon Yorkshire Pudding Mashed and Roast Potatoes Vegetarian Sausage (v) Yorkshire Pudding Mashed and Roast Potatoes Hot Roast Filled Bap Roast Potatoes Fun Fruit Thursday	Seasonal local produce USED WHEREVER POSSIBLE Please note, whilst we make every effort to prevent cross contamination in our kitchens, we cannot guarantee that any food item is free from any specific allergen. We produce our food, fresh every day in kitchens where allergens are handled by our staff and where utensils and equipment are used for multiple menu items.

Year 1 have been making some delicious fruit kebabs recently! They loved putting the fruit in a certain order, be that colour, taste, and favourite.



# 'PINK IT UP' DAY

## Whitecote Primary School

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24<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is with great sadness that I write to you to inform you that once again a member of our Whitecote family's child has a potentially fatal illness.

Mr Saville-Gill's son has been diagnosed with Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome. This is a rare immunodeficiency disorder which, if left untreated, would mean he would have a life expectancy of 15-20 years. He will now have to undergo a gruelling round of treatment including chemotherapy and a bone marrow transplant.

Here at Whitecote we want to support the family and the charity working with them as much as we can. Therefore, on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June we will be holding a fundraising day for the family, alongside supporting the 'Candlelighters' charity.

On this day, children are asked to come to school and 'pink it up' by wearing pink and making a donation. We will be holding a bun sale after school and would welcome donations on the morning of the 19<sup>th</sup> of cakes and buns via your child's class.

We will also be holding a raffle with many prizes donated from local businesses including pamper sets, Costa vouchers and MonsterKidz passes. If you would like some tickets for the raffle, £1 a strip, please send money in a named and sealed envelope to your child's class teacher - the tickets will be returned to you. Equally, if you are able to donate a prize for the raffle please contact Mrs Lockwood, all help will be gratefully received.

Alongside the raffle and bun sale, which will be held in the hall straight after school, we will also be having a bottle tombola. We would welcome donations of bottles into school on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June so that we can raise as much money as possible for these two worthy causes.

Many thanks for your continued support, and I am sure you will join in sending our best wishes and love to Mr Saville-Gill and his family!