





# Jeans for Genes

A big 'Thank You' to all the children and staff for participating in the Jeans for Genes Day held on Friday,  $18^{th}$  September. By wearing denim and entering our accessory competition, your combined donations have raised the fantastic sum of £159.21 for the Jeans for Genes Charity which will benefit greatly from your support.





# Happy Birthday WPS 106 Years old!

On 23rd September 1909 Miss Mead & Miss Barber opened their new enterprise Wilmslow Preparatory School, a private academic establishment whose intention was to provide children with a sound, well rounded education that would prepare them for life and this is still our ethos 106 years later!

The School first opened above a butcher's shop on Grove Street with three pupils, two boys and 1 girl! Such was the popularity of Wilmslow Preparatory School that, within three years, it had outgrown the modest room above the butcher's shop and moved to a house in neighbouring Grove Avenue, a charming tree-lined road.

The School continued to grow and so Miss Mead and Miss Barber acquired the field across the road

from the house, where they had a new purpose built school constructed in 1925. This is the building we still occupy today and, as the school has continued to grow and flourish, additional buildings housing more classrooms including a specialist art room, science room, music room, Modern Foreign Languages and Drama room, ICT suite and, of course, our fabulous Sports Hall built in 2007, providing outstanding all-weather sporting facilities for our wide and varied sport provision and programme of extra curricular activities, have been added.

It has become a tradition at WPS to celebrate the School Birthday every year, with each class making a special birthday card and everyone enjoying a slice of birthday cake!



# Friday 25th September 2015

## What's On Next Week

#### Monday 28th

12.35pm Violin/Recorders Group 4.00– 5.00pm Orchestra F3—F6

#### **Tuesday 29th**

12.35pm Rec—Form 2 Puzzle Club 12.35pm Form 3—6 Spanish Club 2.30—3.00pm KG Stretch n Grow 3.30—4.15pm Form 1 & 2 Library Club 4.00—5.00pm Form 3 & 4 Zumba 4.00—5.00pm Form 5 & 6 Sports Club

#### Wednesday 30th

10.35am Form 3—6 Library Club 12.35pm Chamber Choir 12.45pm Form 1 & 2 Spanish Club 2.30—3.00 pm KG Ballet 3.30—4.00pm Rec—F2 Ballet 4.00—4.30pm Rec—F2 Street Dance

#### Thursday 1st

8.00am F3—6 Fencing Club 2.30—3.00pm KG Football 4.00—5.00pm Form 3 & 4 Sports Club 4.00—5.00pm Form 6 Maths Club

#### Friday 2nd

12.35pm School Council 3.30—4.15pm Rec-Form 2 Football 4.15—5.00pm Form 3—6 Football



Many Happy Returns to the following children who have celebrated their Birthday this week:

WPS! Hallie F5



### Stars of the Week

Well done to our Stars of the Week for all their effort and hard work!



#### Netball WPS v AESG 8-0

On Wednesday we played our first netball match against Alderley Edge School for Girls.

In the first quarter Grace scored 3 goals and in the second quarter Charlotte also scored a goal. In the third quarter Neve scored another 3 great goals and Holly shot an amazing goal in the final quarter.

Grace was voted player of the match.

Thank you to Mrs Broome and Mrs Ricketts for umpiring and taking us to the match.

What a fantastic start to the season.

