







The sun has come out today for our last day which has meant our end of term has felt particularly special. We have been able to come together for a whole School Assembly with bubbles safely socially distanced of course! Thanks to Mrs Wolski and all the children who entertained and impressed us with some delightful musical performances. Pupils and staff all wholeheartedly joined in with a rousing rendition of "Spring Chicken." Thank you to the WPS Parents' Committee for their help in organising this year's Easter Egg Hunt which all the children enjoyed in the beautiful sunshine.

Congratulations to the raffle winners for the WPS Parents' Committee Easter Hamper Draw—Oliver P6, Elliot P4, Pippa P4, Pinelopi P2, Sophia KG and Grace P3.

The sense of family and community today has been truly uplifting—what a wonderful way to end term!







### **A Message from Mr Slater**

It has been lovely to have all our pupils back in School for the last few weeks of our Spring term. Thank you to all parents for the support you have given to your children in preparing them for their return. It has been a real delight to welcome the children back and to see how well they have progressed through our full online interactive timetable. To hear the live noises of a full vibrant school has been most rewarding but we can't believe that we are two thirds through the school year already!

To think we have only been physically in school for just over 3 weeks is staggering when we look back at all the activities that the children have been involved with, and to witness their achievements individually, as a class group, or as a whole school community is both impressive and uplifting.

We have loved sharing the Prep 6 exam successes with our oldest children, been awed by the fabulous costumes throughout the whole School for World Book Day, delighted by the Easter Bonnet Parade performed by our youngest children in Phase 1 (KG and Reception), and made extremely proud of all contributions to our Community Project, to mention just a few highlights.

We hope you enjoy reading our end of term newsletter: it is a pleasure to teach your children and we are extremely proud of each and every one for the contribution they all make to the life and success of this wonderful School.

All the staff wish all our families a restful and happy Easter break!

















# WPS World Book Day 2021



As part of our World Book Day celebrations, pupils discovered the identities of the mystery readers from our Masked Reader competition, so we wanted to take this opportunity to share the answers with our wider school community too!

If you would like to watch the full video 'reveal' for the Masked Reader, alongside a video montage of all the extreme reader entries and another celebrating all the fantastic Reading Challenge entries so far, please visit the Parent Area of our website,. Here you will find links to all of these videos online.

# Reading Challenge

A massive congratulations to the following pupils, who are the first in the School to achieve their Silver Award on the Reading Challenge:

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Silver Certificate

For completing 10 reading challenges Well done!

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**Bronze Certificate** 

Congratulations for completing 5 reading challenges

Well done!

P1: Betsy

P3: Jack

P5: Elise

Very well done to the following pupils who have all achieved their Bronze Award:

P1: Betsy

P2: Bertie

P3: Thomas, Olivia, Lyla and

Emily

P4: Pippa and Evalyn

P5: Sophia, Holly and Ruby

P6: Sulayman

The race is now on to see who will be the first pupils to achieve their Gold and Platinum awards!

MASKED READER	Did you guess correctly?	
	<b>Mystery Reader 1:</b> Mrs Milne	
	Mystery Reader 2: Mr Slater	
T	Mystery Reader 3: Mrs Buckley	
•••	Mystery Reader 4: Mrs Connolly	
	Mystery Reader 5: Mrs Anderson	
	<b>Mystery Reader 6:</b> Mrs Broome	
	Mystery Reader 7: Mrs Pierce	
and the second s	Mystery Reader 8: Miss Shaw	
	Mystery Reader 9: Mrs Savage	
	Mystery Reader 10: Mr Lalley	
	Mystery Reader 11: Miss Davies	
	Mystery Reader 12: Mrs Howe	
	Mystery Reader 13: Mrs Ricketts	



During the first lockdown, the world as we knew it changed: masks in shops became the norm, School Zooming became something we excelled at and Captain Sir Tom Moore became a hero and an inspiration to us all.

One thing though didn't change: our children at WPS continued to make us proud, to be the rainbows in the clouds; to be our silver linings. They used lockdown 1.0 as an opportunity to think about how we could help others: raising money for charities and thinking about how we could help people in our communities through our link with Cherished Care Services.

Please look out for photos on our social media pages for our Easter pictures, letters, poems and more, which all of our community people will be receiving. We are also delighted to say that we will be writing to two extra people as word has spread! #SpreadASmile



children celebrating their birthdays this week, during the Easter holidays or during the first week back in School

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oman	Rec	Agnes	KG
livia	P3	Liberty	P3
onhia	KG	Ariana	P6
	Darc	ie P5	

**Bronze Courtesy** All of P1; Mackenzie & Inaya in P2; Holly, James, Jack, Amelia, Flo & Thomas in P3.

# WPS Community Project





# Merit & Courtesy Badge Winners

Congratulations to all the children who have been awarded badges this term.

# **Bronze Merit**

All of P1; Kim, Molly, Inaya, Bertie, Shayan, Elliot, Mackenzie & Lexi in P2; Holly, James, Liberty, Olivia, Lyla-Skye, Amelia & Thomas in P3; Oscar & Emily in P4.

# Silver Merit

Flo & Thomas in P3.

### Silver Courtesy

Olivia, Liberty, Holly & Grace in P3.