



NEWSLETTER

28TH JANUARY 2022

Messy Church



Messy Church is back at St Nicholas Church, Wickham on Thursday 10th February!

Messy Church is for primary-aged children and their grown-ups and starts at 3.30pm.

After fun worship with Revd Ruth, there are all kinds of crafts, biscuits to ice and Bible stories to share. It finishes at about 5.00pm after a cheesy pasta and cake tea.

Friends of Wickham CE Primary School (FOWPS)



After a 'break' of almost two years, we are looking to re-establish our Parent Teacher Association, Friends of Wickham Church of England Primary School. In the past, FOWPS have raised significant amounts of money which has been used to purchase equipment, resources and hold events for the children. Please see the attached letter for details of what is involved and how you can register your interest. We look forward to holding some events later this year.

Parents Coffee Mornings

Ruth Proost, our Home School Link Worker and Emotional Literacy Support Assistant will be holding monthly coffee mornings for parents to pop along to seek support for themselves and their children. The focus of these sessions will be around supporting parents in strategies for managing their child/children's behaviour and wellbeing as well as offering support to them and other family members. Please feel welcome to come along for a chat, a cup of coffee (other beverages will be available!) and biscuits. The first session will be on Tuesday 8th February from 9.00am - 10:30 am.



Parents Evening

We have scheduled our next parents evening for the 16th and 17th February and had hoped to be able to meet with parents in person. However, in light of the high number of Covid-19 cases in our community, we have taken to decision to continue with the remote/online appointments. Details of how to book will be sent to parents next week. Hopefully we will be able to meet with parents in person in the summer term

Safeguarding Reminder

We would like to remind you that, in line with safeguarding procedures, visitors to the school must sign in at the school office and collect a visitor badge. If you are collecting from an after-school club or bus club, please wait at the allocated collection points:

Bus club:	External classroom door for classroom closest to the astro turf
Karate and Street Dance:	Hall doors accessed from the courtyard
Key Stage 1&2 Sports Clubs:	KS2 Playground
Art Club:	Water Voles Classroom
RAIN Project Club:	Butterflies Classroom

Class teachers will be present at the external doors to their classrooms first thing in the morning, and after school, should you need to speak with them. Please do not use these doors to enter the school building. Thank you for working with us to keep our school a safe environment.

Start of Day:

Please note that the classroom doors do not open until 8.45am in the morning and the register is taken at the start of the school day at 8.55am. We ask that children are not on site unsupervised before 8.40am. We also ask that children do not play on the trim trail and play equipment at the start of the day. Many thanks for your cooperation.

Dates for your Diary:

8 th February	Parents Coffee Morning
10 th February	Messy Church
16 th and 17 th February	Parents Evenings
21 st – 25 th February	Half term
23rd - 25th May 2022	Year 4 Residential Trip to Stubbington