

*Dear Parents/Carers*

# WHIXALL SCHOOL NEWS

We demonstrate our Values of **respect, caring, supportiveness, tolerance, perseverance, forgiveness, and trust**, at Whixall C.E. Primary School in all that we strive to do each day.

## Parent Consultations

It was so lovely to see all of our families this week for parent consultations and to share your children's work with you. Thank you for your continued support.

## PE

- Monday – Bumblebee Class (Nursery), Dragonfly Class (Reception)  
Robin (Year 3)
- Tuesday – Skylark Class (Year 1), Mayfly Class (Years 1 and 2),  
Peregrine (Years 5 and 6)
- Wednesday – Robin Class (Year 3), Red Kite (Year 4)
- Thursday – Skylark Class (Year 1), Mayfly Class (Years 1 and 2),  
Peregrine (Years 5 and 6)
- Friday – Bumblebee Class (Nursery), Dragonfly Class (Reception) Red  
Kite Class (Year 4)

**Children need to come to school dressed in their PE kits please.  
Please note that swimming has now finished for Robin and Peregrine Classes.  
Swimming will take place for all other classes in the Summer Term.**

## Dates

Tuesday 3rd March	Mastering Number workshops for Year 1 families 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Wednesday 4th March	Mastering Number workshops for Year 1 families 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day – see separate note Multiplication workshop for Year 4 at 2 p.m.
Friday 6th March	Mastering Number workshops for Year 1 families 9 a.m.
Wednesday 11th March	Robin and Red Kite Class visit.
Saturday 21st March	Clive Cross Country
Sunday 22nd March	Quiz Night at the Dicken Arms, Loppington

## If you are concerned about someone's safety

In an emergency dial 999, but for other calls to the police please ring 101.  
To report a safeguarding concern by phone ring our **First Point of Contact team** on 0345 678 9044 Monday to Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and Friday 9am to 4pm. If you have urgent adult safeguarding concerns outside of these hours, please phone the **Emergency Social Work Duty Team** on 0345 678 9040.

### Items in school

Could we please request that the children do not bring pencil cases and their own items of stationary into school please.

We would also appreciate it if the children only wear a watch and earring studs to school if they wish to.

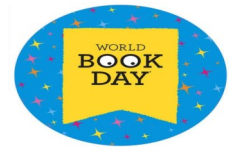
We really appreciate everyone's support.

### Quiz Night

Our grateful thanks to the Dicken Arms for allowing us to raise funds through one of their Quiz Nights. Please find a flyer attached.

If you are able to donate a raffle prize for the event, then we would be very grateful. Please send any donated prizes into the school office. Many thanks for your support.

### World Book Day



We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March.

Children are very welcome to wear something that they would feel comfortable reading in—such as pyjamas etc.

If possible, we would also like the children to bring into school their favourite book (**please label with your child's name**).

Please also find attached a flyer for a 'Book Bake off' competition if you would like to take part.

As part of World Book Day, we will also be doing a book swap. If your child has up to two books that they would like to bring into school on 5th March to swap, then they would be most welcome to.

### Easy Fundraising

During these uncertain times we are looking for different ways to raise funds for school. We have registered for the Easy Fundraising scheme and would really appreciate your support with this. The scheme is very easy and free to use—if you buy any items on-line then please register with the easy fundraising website:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk>

Once registered with the site when you buy on line, please log in and see if the retailer you are purchasing from is registered with easy fundraising—if they are then log into the retailer's website via easy fundraising identifying Whixall School as your chosen beneficiary and make your purchase—a percentage of the purchase price will be donated to school.

Please support us with this if you can, as it is a very easy way to raise funds for our school and does not cost you anything.

Thank you to everyone who has already registered.

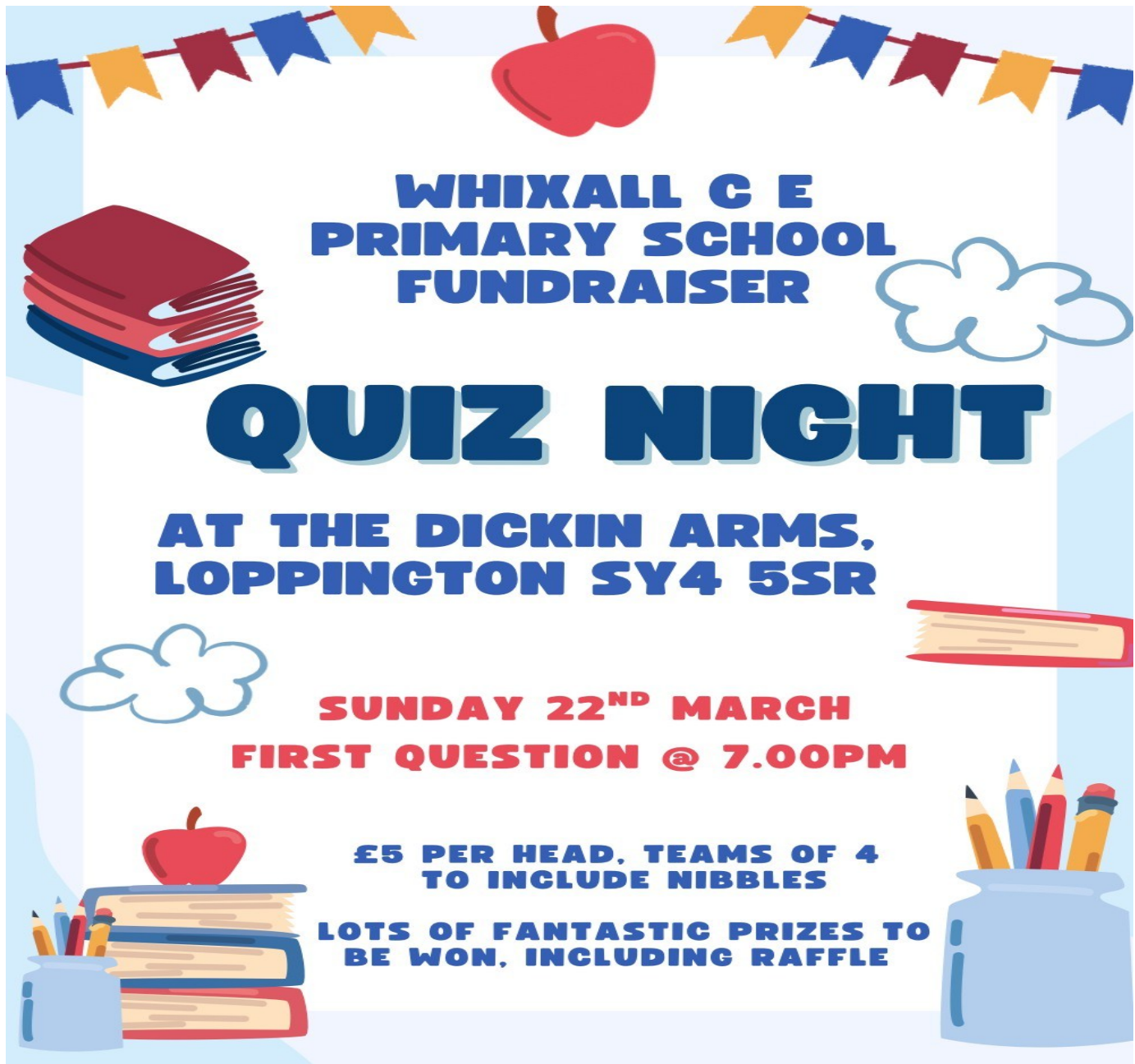
We have recently received a donation from Easy Fundraising for £60—thank you so much.

Comic Relief - Red Nose Day 2026 on Friday 20th March

Non-uniform - **come to school wearing something red**

A voluntary donation of your choice if you are able, to support incredible projects which help children to be happier, families stronger, women safer, communities prouder, and millions of lives fairer.





A colorful poster for a Quiz Night fundraiser. At the top, there are colorful bunting flags and a red apple. The text is in bold, blue and red fonts. On the left, there is an illustration of a stack of books. On the right, there is a white cloud and a red book. At the bottom, there are two blue jars filled with colored pencils and a stack of books with a red apple on top.

**WHIXALL C E  
PRIMARY SCHOOL  
FUNDRAISER**

**QUIZ NIGHT**

**AT THE DICKIN ARMS,  
LOPPINGTON SY4 5SR**

**SUNDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> MARCH  
FIRST QUESTION @ 7.00PM**

**£5 PER HEAD. TEAMS OF 4  
TO INCLUDE NIBBLES**

**LOTS OF FANTASTIC PRIZES TO  
BE WON, INCLUDING RAFFLE**

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR  
**JUNIOR BAKE OFF**

Aged between 9-15 and love to bake?  
We'd love to hear from you!

[WWW.APPLYFORJUNIORBAKEOFF.CO.UK](http://WWW.APPLYFORJUNIORBAKEOFF.CO.UK)



An illustration of a baking scene. In the foreground, there is a yellow stand mixer, a white bowl with a whisk, a pink container with various kitchen tools, a red kitchen scale, and a wooden bowl with batter. In the background, there is a yellow tent, a green tree, and a blue sky with white clouds. A string of yellow bunting hangs across the top.

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE 15TH MARCH 2026**


**junior parkrun**

**Free, weekly, 2k for 4-14 year olds**  
walk, skip, run, volunteer, spectate - it's up to you!

We are looking for a group of volunteers to help bring junior parkrun to  
**Jubilee Park, Whitchurch**

**Interested in being involved?**

We'd love to hear from you, send an email to:  
[sally.mcdonald@parkrun.com](mailto:sally.mcdonald@parkrun.com)



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