

The Westbury Whistler

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Respect

Care

Inspire

Diary Dates

- **Monday 20th Jan**
'Animal Man' visit to year 5
- **Wednesday 22nd Jan**
MINT afternoon
- **Tuesday 28th Jan**
WOW day
- **Thursday 30th Jan**
Year 5 cake sale
- **Friday 31st Jan** Maths Fun Day
- **Friday 14th Feb** Last day of term
- **Monday 24th Feb** First day of term
- **Wednesday 5th March** WOW day
- **Friday 7th March** World Book Day

Welcome Back!

Welcome back to a new year and a new term at WJS. We hope you had a fun and relaxing Christmas and are ready for the year ahead. All year groups are starting new and exciting topics this term which we know the children will enjoy.

Year Group Performances

We finished last term on a high with all year groups producing fantastic Christmas shows. The children and staff enjoyed themselves so thank you to all families and friends of WJS who attended and showed your support.

WJS Website

As well as our newsletters, you can also keep up to date with all the happenings at WJS via our website: www.westbury-jun.wilts.sch.uk

There is a calendar on the site which is updated regularly with key dates and information on what each year group is up to.

Morrisons 'Let's Grow' Vouchers

A big thank you to everyone who sent in the Morrisons 'Let's Grow' vouchers. We collected nearly 2,300 in total. A range of growing and cooking equipment is now on order and should arrive in school in spring 2014.

The AzteX-Factor

Last term, year 5 studied The Aztecs with the whole year group taking part in The AzteX-Factor! In groups, the children produced project books packed full of information and the top 3 books are now on display in Westbury Library along with some handmade artefacts, so do pop in and have a look!

School Association

The School Association are currently looking for new members to help with the organisation of various school events. If you are interested, please call in to the school office for more information.

Parent Evening Thank you to all those parents and carers who came into school this week. We find these meetings really useful to keep you up to date on your child's progress and to discuss any other issues that may arise.

Clubs

This term, the staff are providing a great selection of clubs both during and after school.

All clubs at WJS are free of charge but there are limited numbers so places are given on a 'first come, first served' basis.

Unless the club is at lunchtime, you will need to make arrangements for collecting your child or inform the staff member that you are happy for them to walk home alone.

There is a list of clubs on the back of this newsletter and all will commence the week beginning Monday 20th January.