

## OUR FRIDAY ROUND UP OF THE WEEK!

Autumn 1 Week 4 2025

**Gospel Value of the Half Term: Courage**

**British Value of the Half Term: Democracy**

**PSHE Whole School Theme: Relationships Families and Friendship and Online Safety, Media Literacy and Digital.**

**Some of the highlights of our past week:**

**Rainbow Fish Class:** In PE, they focused on hopping on both legs this week. It was tough but they kept on trying! They finished with a game of scarecrow tag, being careful to move in directions where there was space and changed their speed.

**Seahorse Class:** Have been learning about texture in Art. They looked at different materials and described their textures. They then used the drawing skills they have been learning to attempt to create a fur texture.

**Turtle Class:** Have been Scientists this week classifying different mini beasts and species they could observe in our Outdoor Adventures area.

**Dolphin Class:** Had a full day in the outdoors in the Autumn sunshine on Monday, as they did orienteering whilst solving 5 digit addition, learnt about Ancient Greece including their Gods, geographical knowledge, trading and timelines. Then in the afternoon they baked apples around the camp fire and built clay models of temples!

**Shark Class:** On Wednesday morning shark class led our school Worship all about courage and friendships. This week they are trying to be courageous friends, doing the right thing even when it's difficult. They had learnt a poem all about being a good friend and they performed it brilliantly. Thank you to parents and carers that joined us too.

### **GOSPEL HEROES:**

Congratulations to our Gospel Heroes of the past week.

Our focus has been: 'I can be fair to everyone - the Wesham Way!'

Congratulations to our Gospel Heroes. We enjoyed celebrating your character strengths in Church with our school family.

### **Spotlight on Online Safety:**

What is Online Safety?

Online-safety is the safe use of information systems and electronic communications, including the internet, mobile phones and games consoles. It is important that children and young people understand the benefits, risks and responsibilities of using information technology. On-line safety concerns safeguarding children and young people in the digital world. On-line safety emphasises

learning to understand and use new technologies in a positive way. On-line safety is less about restriction and more about education about the risks as well as the benefits so we can feel confident online. On-line safety is concerned with supporting children and young people to develop safer online behaviours both in and out of school.

Please visit our school website for further Safeguarding Advice.

<https://www.weshamcofe.lancs.sch.uk/pupil-voice/online-safety>

### **SECRETLY FAMOUS:**

Congratulations to our 'Secretly Famous' children this week. There were some inspiring nominations, and we hope you have seen their special video being played in our school hall. We look forward to seeing who will be FAMOUS next.

[https://www.facebook.com/secretlyfamousuk?locale=en\\_GB](https://www.facebook.com/secretlyfamousuk?locale=en_GB)

### **LINKS FOR LOCAL FAMILY HUBS:**

<https://lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/family-hubs/>

### **ATTENDANCE SUPPORT:**

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zjnby9q>

### **LATEST PTFA UPDATES:**

Thank you to everyone who joined our meeting after school. We will share our planned events with you very school for the academic year, so watch this space!

Volunteers ALWAYS wanted please EMAIL "friends@weshamptfa@yahoo.com" OR VIA CLASS DOJO TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE IF YOU CAN VOLUNTEER YOUR HELP FOR ANY EVENTS. THANK YOU!

The link below is also a great way for you to help our PTFA fundraising when you shop online!

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

Don't forget to follow us on Facebook and X (Twitter) to get further updates of fabulous learning taking place in our school.

We would LOVE as many of our school family and wider community to FOLLOW us as possible!

<https://twitter.com/MedlarWeshamCE>

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Finally, this week we have completed our Open Days and have had the joy of showing families around our school, children and staff of which we are so proud of. All the visitors remarked on how smart the children look in their school uniform and I want to extend a huge thank you for supporting us in this policy. Christ Church Kids had their first session last Sunday in our School

during the 9:30 am Sunday Service and they got off to a fabulous start with this new way for the children to Worship in our local community on a Sunday. Please do take the opportunity to bring your child along if you would like them to join in the fun too. (On every Sunday apart from the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month)

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Panther and all the staff.

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Is your child or do you know a child who is due to start primary school in September 2026

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/>

[Come and meet our school family!](#)

[We would love to show you and your child around.](#)

We are open every day to visitors if anyone would like to come and see our school in action or a tour after school please call 01772 682836 or email [head@weshamcofe.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:head@weshamcofe.lancs.sch.uk) to arrange an appointment and I would be more than happy to show you around and answer any questions you have.

[Our Christian Vision Mission Statement:](#)

[We are a loving, caring, distinctively Christian family, providing an excellent education in a safe, happy environment, where every individual is valued as a child of God.](#)