



WRITTLE SCHOOLS UPDATE

FRIDAY 3RD JULY 2026

Dear Parents,

What week in the Writtle Schools as we hurtle towards the end of term. There has been so much going on this week and the children have done us all proud.

THE FOOTBALL FINALS

Team 2 and Diddlyboks from Upper School competed with each other. Both teams did amazingly in a very tight game. Early in the first half Bobby scored a penalty in the 2nd minute and Coen sliced another giving Team 2 a two goal lead. Stunning goals from Roman followed in the 3rd and 6th minute - some real talent there; We will see you on the Ipswich turf very soon. In the last minute of the game, Coen claimed the winning goal from a goal kick! The final score 3:2 to Team 2. Well done to all who played, it was an exciting match and one of the tightest we have seen here at Writtle for many many years.

In Lower School, Ballers FC took on Dino Nuggets. Another great game with goals from Alfie and Noah in the 6th and 8th minute resulting in a 2-0 win. A huge well done to all who competed and supported. A massive thank you to Mr Lambert for organising the whole tournament.

UPPER SCHOOL PRODUCTION

The Juniors has been full of acting and singing, as this week has seen Yr5 and 6 perform Grossbusters. What a show it was, packed full of jokes, singing and dancing, with acting worthy of an Oscar! It amazes us all how the children remember their lines, their cues and where to be on the stage at the right time. Three absolutely incredible performances that have thoroughly entertained us all. Thank you to the whole of the Upper School Team for their efforts bringing the show together and thank you to all the parents who have supported us in doing so.

YEAR 2 MINI GAMES

On Tuesday morning (30th June), our brilliant Year 2 children competed against local schools in the Chelmsford Mini Games. They had a great day trying out a wide range of activities including cheerleading, speed stacking, agility, running and even some fun, pretend horse racing! Our Year 2s represented themselves beautifully throughout the morning, showcasing great teamwork securing 4th place in our morning event and 17th out of the total 44 schools! Well done to everyone involved for making us so proud! We also have some individual successes to celebrate from Sharks class! A huge congratulations to Owen, who came 3rd in the boys' category, and Grace, who also won 3rd in the girls' category.

Finally, we will be showing highlights of the England match at some point during the school day on Monday should your child wish to see them. Let's hope the highlights are worth watching! Come on England!

Best wishes

NP Taylor

FRIENDS OF WRITTLE SCHOOLS UPDATE

Take advantage of our last clothing collection of the school year and make space in your cupboards for holiday and new term clothes! See the attached leaflet for details of what we can and can't accept for general clothing donations, and if you have any pre-loved Writtle school uniform in good condition, we'll happily accept this too - just pop it in a separate bag. Collection before school next Wednesday 8th July.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

TUE 7 JUL, 1.30pm: Lower School Performance
WED 8 JUL: Class Swap Morning in school (including new Reception starters)
WED 8 JUL: Clothing Collection for Friends of Writtle Schools
WED 8 JUL, 6pm: Lower School Performance
THU 9 JUL: Y1 Trip to Maldon Zoo
THU 9 JUL: Meet the Teacher (children moving up to their next class)

THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS

INFANTS - SUPERSTAR AWARDS!			
SQUIRRELS - Eden, Arabella		FOXES - Aria, Henry	
TURTLES - Charlie, Emily	PARROTS - Arthur, Cecelia	DOLPHINS - Fern, Frankie	SHARKS - Coby, Savannah
JUNIORS - MAKE THEIR DAY AWARDS			
Y3: Luca (LS), Alfie T (RT)		Y4: Archie T (KH), Jess(SW)	
Y5: Rowan (CL), Claudia (HA)		Y6: Dudley (SL), Betty (SH)	

LINKS TO IMPORTANT INFORMATION

CLUBS TIMETABLE	Infants	Juniors
SCHOOL LUNCH MENU - Please click here for the school menu, w/c 6th July is Week 1 <i>Please ensure snacks and packed lunches in school encourage healthy eating. Drinks bottles should contain plain, still water.</i>		
COMMUNITY NEWS - Please click here for local events, resources and charity updates.		