



# WISE UP

6 March 2026

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**WE ARE A PEANUT and NUT AWARE SCHOOL.**

**Nuts and peanuts or any products containing nuts or peanuts are NOT allowed in our school.**

## Heads Up

Mothers' Day Lunch for our Year 6 children is on Wednesday 18 March

## Thought of the Week

*"Don't count the days, make the days count."*

*Muhammad Ali, Boxer*



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Christian Value of the Half Term:

Forgiveness

Forgive us for doing wrong, as we forgive others (Matthew 6:12)

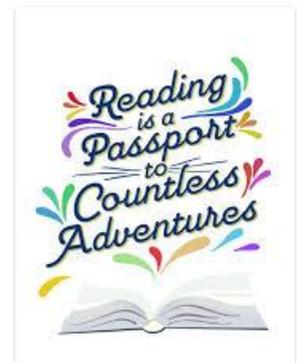
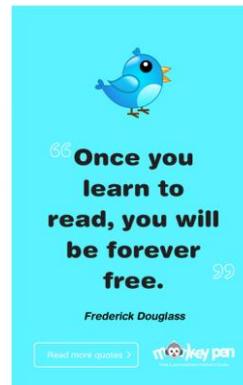
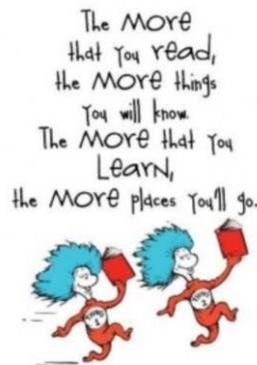
"Without forgiveness there is no future.... If you can forgive, then you can move on and even help the person you are forgiving to become a better person" - Desmond Tutu

### We work as a Team

Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their labour. If either of them falls down one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no-one to help them up. Ecclesiastes 4:9,10

### World Book Day 2026

The children of Hambleton all looked fantastic dressed as their 'word' for World Book Day 2026. A BIG thank you goes to all our parents and carers for supporting this special event.



### Year 4 Drax Power Station Science Visit

Hawk Owls visited Drax Power Station last week as part of their Electricity Science unit. We saw the cooling towers up close, learnt about biomass and renewable energy sources and even touched the big biomass dome! We had a tour in the Turbine Hall and saw the Control Room that controls the whole power station. We made circuits, played 'Biomass Bingo' and learnt all about the different jobs there are in the power station. They were great ambassadors for our school and learnt a lot about electricity generation. Did you know that the temperature in the boiler could reach 1400°C? WOW!



### **Mothers' Day Lunch**

Just a reminder about our Mothers' Day Lunch for our Year 6 Mums, Grandmothers and female carers coming up on Wednesday 18 March. We look forward to seeing lots of you there to enjoy a hot school dinner with your child.

### **Reports**

All reports were sent home last Friday with your child. Please check their bags if you haven't already!

### **Cake Sale**

It was Snowy Owls Cake Sale after school last Friday. Again a huge thank you for all the contributions, homemade and shop bought, it was very generous of you. Hope you all enjoyed a treat walking home! Our next Cake Sale will be on Friday 27 March by Hawk Owls.

### **School Crossing Patrol**

We are very lucky to have a fantastic School Crossing Patrol in place helping our children get safely across the main road. However, we would like to remind the parents of our younger children who walk to school together, that it is the parents responsibility to ensure that your child is walking safely on the pavements with you close by as it is a very busy road on a morning and evening.

### **Project:WILD Conservation/Animal Handling Days (Science)**

We have been lucky enough to have had Mrs Farmery organise a Biologist from Project:WILD CIC to come into school for 2 whole days this week! She brought a variety of animals into school that the children have had an opportunity to handle, touch and learn about in depth. We got to meet snakes, scorpions, tarantulas and insects and learnt about defence mechanisms, adaptations, habitats and conservation of these species. Some lovely feedback from one child in KS2 said that one thing he had learnt from the sessions was 'not to be afraid of animals' - he faced his fears and held the snake! Activities like these are such a memorable experience in school and really do help to inspire the next generation of scientists. If your child/children told you all about the session (or after you have heard all about it!) Project:WILD would be extremely appreciative if you could give just 2 minutes to leave feedback from the link below as this really helps with any future funding.

*Dear Parent/Guardian,*

*[Project: WILD C.I.C.](#) recently came to your child's school to deliver our "[Schools Go WILD!](#)" programme, introducing children to both exotic and local wildlife with educational sessions linked to the curriculum to inspire interest in the great outdoors!*

As part of our funding requirements (that make these sessions free to yourself and the schools), we are looking at how much of what we teach gets shared at home, capturing the “ripple-effect” of these sessions.

To that end, we would be most grateful if you could take a few mins to fill in the short questionnaire in the link below. It should take no longer than 2 minutes!

<https://forms.office.com/e/GkWbFWn1Ca?origin=IprLink>

Please answer honestly to help us develop our projects for future.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at [admin@projectwildcic.com](mailto:admin@projectwildcic.com).

Thank you **very** much for your time!

Best,

Carrie Boreham

Project Administrator, Project: WILD C.I.C.



### **Water Bottles**

All water bottles should be brought into school every day and should contain **WATER ONLY** please. Juice should not be sent to drink.

### Wise Owls Awards

Congratulations to all the Wise Owl Winners for the last two weeks:

Friday 27 February	Friday 6 March
Little Owls: Niall	Little Owls: Laura & Ella
Elf Owls: Imogen & Mollie	Elf Owls: Henry & Bonnie
Barn Owls: Leo & Oscar	Barn Owls: Louie & Chloe
Tawny Owls: Seren & Flynn	Tawny Owls: Dylan & Isabella
Hawk Owls: Chelsea	Hawk Owls: Amelie
Snowy Owls: Vinnie & Evie	Snowy Owls: Ambrose
Eagle Owls: Theo & Lewis	Eagle Owls: Emily & Martha



### Our Christian Vision

We are:

Creative

Resilient

Truthful

Compassionate

Respectful

Teamwork