

# WHITLEY MEMORIAL C of E AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL



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*'Let your light shine' – Matthew 5:16*  
**Our Current Core Value: Service**

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Dear Whitley Family,

Welcome back after the Easter break. It is so lovely to see everyone back and the sun is shining. I hope that you were able to make full use of the lovely weather in the holidays. The lovely weather has also been great for all the outdoor sports activities that have been taking part this week. There has been lots of exciting work going on, which I am sure that you will be able to see soon on our Facebook page.

Speaking of Easter, we have lots of Easter eggs left that the Whitley Friends are going to put into a raffle so don't give up chocolate just yet!

Before we know it, it will be time for the Queen's Jubilee. We are planning lots of exciting events in school which I will tell you about very soon. Just as a little taster; we will be holding a decorated crown competition.

## Bank Holiday- School Closed

Please remember that **school will be closed** on Monday (02/05/2022) as this is a bank-holiday.

## Artist in Residence

Year 1 were so lucky this week to work with a famous author and illustrator. Liz Million helped the children to design dragons for their new topic. Please have a look at the photos on Facebook.

## Jubilee Beacon Trail

On our Facebook page there is a flyer for the Queen's Jubilee Beacon Trail in Bedlington. I had a look at it and it seems really good. Please give it a try and let us know how you get on.

## Bikes and Scooters

There have been a few near misses in school with children who are riding their bikes, scooters, and other wheeled vehicles around the yard. Please make sure that children get off their bikes etc. at the gate and push them in.

## Parking and Congestion

It has been brought to our attention that there are ongoing parking problems outside the school car park entrance, on the zig-zag road markings and in that immediate area.

I am sure that you will agree that the safety of the children is of paramount importance and I would ask you to drive and park responsibly at all times.

Have a lovely weekend.



Mrs Gray

