



WINNS WEEKLY

19.9.2025

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Have a good weekend!



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DATES FOR DIARIES W.B. 22.9.2025

Monday 22nd September World Car Free Day

Friday 26th September European Day of Languages

Please remember to subscribe to [our online calendar](#) so that you receive automatic updates into your own calendar.

MANAGING HEALTHY TECH BOUNDARIES WITH YOUR FAMILY: FREE EVENT FOR PARENTS FROM PAPAYATALKS

In an increasingly digital world, parents are being put in a difficult position – how to ensure your child stays connected with their friends while avoiding addiction to a device. Talks from Papaya are designed to empower parents with practical insights and expert guidance to support children's wellbeing in a digital world. Join us at The Winns on Tuesday September 30th at 7pm. www.papayatalks.com

Organised by our SFC Winns Parents Group - more information in the bulletin.

FREE BIKE MARKING EVENT

Following interest from some of our families at our own Tour de Winns event in the summer term, we are delighted to share that our local Safer Neighbourhood Team from the Met Police will be running a Free Bike Marking Event this month.



📍 Location: Forest Road, outside The William Morris Gallery

📅 Date: Saturday 27th September

🕒 Time: 11:00am – 1:00pm

Bike marking is a great way to deter theft and help recover bikes if they are ever lost or stolen. This is a free opportunity for families to get their bikes security-marked, so do pop along if you're able to. A huge thank you to our local Safer Neighbourhood Team for offering this support to our school community.



For more info please visit <https://www.bikeregister.com/>



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World Car Free Day

Monday 22 September is World Car Free Day, when towns and cities all around the world allow people to experience streets free of motor traffic.

Car Free Days have been celebrated around the world for the last two decades, and events have taken place to celebrate locally in Waltham Forest for more than 15 years.

To celebrate, join us in Lloyd Park on Sunday 28 September for our annual family cycling fun day - Tour de Waltham Forest!

Additionally, why not host a Car Free Day themed assembly, encouraging pupils to explore the benefits of travelling to school actively and sustainably?

Share your Hands Up Survey data with us:
schooltravelplans@walthamforest.gov.uk



SUNDAY 28 SEPTEMBER 2025



TOUR DE WALTHAM FOREST

#TDWF2025



Book your ride now!



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FRIENDS OF THE WINNS NEWS

AGM DATE

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



GET INVOLVED!

The FOTW AGM will be hosted at the school the evening of Monday 29th September (6:30pm). Everyone is welcome, so please come along to meet a group of parents dedicated to making the Winns even better for all the children. **Several of the committee are stepping down so we will be voting in new members, your vote and your volunteering matters!**

You can also hear about how the FOTW have used the funds raised this year and plans for what's next. We would love to hear your ideas and feedback and share volunteering opportunities. Snacks and drinks provided.

For more information about becoming part of the committee please contact fotwchair@gmail.com

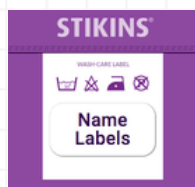
LIBRARY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Can you help out in the school library? FOTW need some new volunteers to help in the library, no experience necessary even hour a week would be helpful! Training provided.

Interested? Then contact fotwchair@gmail.com

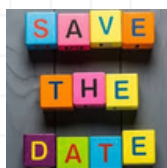


NEED LABELS FOR YOUR CHILD'S CLOTHES?



Then consider ordering from Stikins. As a member of **Stikins fundraising scheme** we receive a 30% donation every time you make a purchase. To order, visit <https://www.stikins.co.uk/> and quote the school's fundraising number - **25586** - when you check out.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



SEPTEMBER:

29th - AGM

OCTOBER:

Dates to be announced soon

NOVEMBER:

Dates to be announced soon

DECEMBER:

6th - Winter Fair

Our events are included in the Winns [online calendar](#) and you can receive automatic updates into your own calendar by subscribing.

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THE FRIENDS OF THE WINNS

WHO ARE FRIENDS OF THE WINNS?

We are you! If you are a parent of a child at The Winns Primary School then you're automatically a Friends of The Winns member. Run by a committee of parents, the Friends of the Winns is a collection of volunteers who run events throughout the year to raise much needed funds for our school. But most importantly, we have fun!

WHERE DOES THE FUNDRAISING GO?

All money raised goes to the school to give the children the best educational experience possible. In recent years, we have supported a number of projects including the Main School and Reception playground transformations, the installation of a teaching kitchen, School Library improvements, and the purchase of new AV equipment.

Also, 10% of all money raised by Friends of the Winns goes to the Family Support Fund. This is managed by the school and offers support to those families that need it most.

WANT TO VOLUNTEER WITH FOTW?

The Friends of the Winns is a charitable organisation that is run completely by parent volunteers. You can volunteer at anytime and can give us as much time as you can (even an hour helps). You don't need to hold an official FOTW role or be voted in to be a volunteer!

We are also on the look out for people to help in a number of ways, whether that is with the Library Team, the Pre-loved Team on at one of our many events. Interested? Then please email fotwchair@gmail.com or join the FOTW Whatsapp group: <https://tinyurl.com/dk7jc2ef>

WE ♥ VOLUNTEERS!



OTHER WAYS TO SUPPORT

SIGN UP TO EASYFUNDRAISING!

Easyfundraising is a simple way for you to support the school. Over 7,500 brands will donate to Friends of the Winns for free every time you use the app or browser extension to shop. **It costs you nothing extra!**

Sign up here: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsofthewinns>

ONLINE DONATIONS - You can set up a regular payment or make a one off donation through the Charities Aid Foundation. All the details can be found here:

<https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/26249#!/DonationDetails>

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