

Author **Tony Irvin** showing us the jaws of a lion!

# News cycle

*Soon to be...*

Upcoming events for Woodbridge Primary

13th - 18th March  
The Travelling Book Fair

17th March  
FOWPS Table Top Sale

20th March  
Derbyshire info-meeting for parents

21st March  
Y5 class assembly at 9am . Y5 parents are very welcome to join us!

22nd March  
FOWPS Easter Disco

25th March  
Choral concert at Farlingaye

26th March  
WPS Spring Fayre

For more see '[Soon to be...](#)' on the website

## The HEADLINE



We have had an exciting couple of weeks that has included a talk by children's author, Tony Irvin and visits from local artists who have been working with the children to create wonderful things for our forthcoming Spring Fayre. Y4 performed

magnificently at Snape Maltings and we still have a lot more to pack in, in the two weeks left to us of this term. There is more choral music, this time at Farlingaye, and of course our Spring Fayre that the children and staff have been working so hard towards. All this and we have launched our [new website](#) - where you can find all these stories and more...

*M. Kumar*

### Our stars this cycle!

F2: **Billy** for fine motor skills and trying hard. And **Richard** for being a such a confident Knight!

Y1: **Samanta** and **Shelby** for settling so well into their new class. **Holly** and **Joshua** for great work making their flower pots. **Harry** and **Lucas** for making excellent progress in phonics and reading.

Y2: **Oliver** for his attitude to learning and working hard and **Leo** for improvements in concentration and for being a star in Gym Trail.

Y3: **Sarah** for superb use of intonation when reading and **Chloe** for superb effort in writing across all subjects.

Y4: **Jamie-Lee** for commitment and confidence during our Snape Maltings performance and **Jack** for working hard and making a particularly good effort with his times tables.

Y5: **Max** for showing commitment in all areas of his learning and **Olivia**, **Gemma** and **Lauren** for consistently showing an outstanding effort towards their homework.

Y6: **Sam** for rediscovery of work ethic leading to excellent written and oral contributions and **Luca** for enthusiastically decoding Victorian sources, thinking, considering questions carefully and making links between sources of learning.



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# KIDS circle

Last weeks answer...

Neither. A yolk is yellow.

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## Logically Thinking...

A train leaves from London to Edinburgh and an hour later a train leaves from Edinburgh to London. The two trains are going at exactly the same speed.

*Which train will be nearer to London when they meet?*

## Recommended Reading...

Jessica in Y6 recommends...



*The Hunger Games* is a science fiction novel, told from the viewpoint of

16-year-old Katniss, and set in a future where in the annual games a girl and a boy have to battle to the death.

*"This is a really good book full of action and adventure!"*

## & another thing...

**Did you know...** That until about 10,000 years ago, the lion was the most widespread large land mammal after humans? They were found in most of Africa, across Eurasia from western Europe to India, and in the Americas from the Yukon to Peru. Ancient images of lions can be found in the Lascaux caves in France.

If you would like to recommend a book to your school mates you can e-mail your recommendation to [comms@woodbridgeprimary.suffolk.sch.uk](mailto:comms@woodbridgeprimary.suffolk.sch.uk) Don't forget to include your first name and what class you are in (and remember to ask Mum or Dad before you use the computer!)

## Lions and Elephants

Author Tony Irvin visited the school on Thursday 7th March...

*We heard a bit of his story 'The Ant-Lion' and we all saw a lion's skull! Everybody was looking at a necklace but for me the most exciting bit was the Ostrich egg. It was really shiny and it wasn't even polished!*

by Chloe (Y3)

*Tony Irvin went to Africa for two years and loved it so much he stayed for 20! He had lots of adventures. He also brought in an elephant's tooth!*

by Joshua (Y3)

## Saxons and Ghostbusters

Y3's assembly on 7th March was about Anglo Saxons...

*Our assembly was about the Anglo Saxons. Some parts were funny and some were serious. My favourite bit was when the ghost busters came on.*

by Ellie (Y3)

*In my class assembly and I was an Anglo Saxon. I thought it went much better than all the practices. Did you know that when the Saxons were around there were no windows to let the smoke out?*

by Millie in Y3

by Millie (Y3)

## Amazing Snape

On Tuesday 5th of March Y4 went to the world famous Celebration of Schools Music at Snape Maltings, founded by Benjamin Britten. Y4 sang 4 songs and performed their bird song composition.

*When we arrived at Snape Maltings we were shown to our dressing room and then we had our first look at the stage. After we had practiced we took our lunch out side. The day went well and time flew by and all too soon it was time for the performance. It went really well and we were very pleased with ourselves.*

## Student Council Report

The Student Council have been busy these past few weeks, we have: -

- a) been organising the walk for Comic Relief
- b) discussing and making suggestions for improving playtimes, to include Speed Stacks, Lego, chess and skipping!
- c) Launching a poster competition for Safer Parking, as we are concerned about the number of people parking on the yellow and white lines. The closing date for the poster competition is 22nd March. Please give your entry to your class teacher.

## In the next News Cycle...

Who is red and funny?

