



# **WYKHAM WEEKLY—ISSUE 3:**

## **18th October 2021**



### **Editorial—Mr Bent**

Welcome to the third issue of the Wykham Weekly, and I hope you are all well and gearing up to get ready for Halloween and the final week of term. This last week has been a busy one, with vaccinations, school photos and the fair in town, but we now move into the final week of term. Let's remain focused and ensure that we do our best!

This week's newspaper articles are again brought to you by Daisy, Michelle and Chloe, with some information about different things that are happening at school. Alongside this, we also have the match reports from last week's sports matches that the school took part in, courtesy of Mr Pratt, and a plea from Ms Smith, as well as me telling you about the final project for Y7 ATL, which took place on Friday morning.

### **Plea:**

Ms Smith would appreciate it if you had any spare newspapers or magazines that you could drop off at the art rooms.

### **Events on Campus:**

#### **Wykham and Futures students get their school photos!**

On Monday 11th October, everyone got their school photos! You missed out a lesson to go to the sports hall and get your photograph done!! When you get home your parents can scan the QR code on the sheet you got given and you can get a printed photo of yourself, you can hang it up as a frame at home!

#### **Banbury Fair**

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the fair was in town! There were many different rides such as carousels, Miami Fever, the Fun House etc.

#### **Michelle**

#### **New Fingerprint System**

A new fingerprint system is being implemented in the Buttery and Cafeteria. This will mean that, once the new system is in place, there will be no more need for cash. Once there is money on your account, you will not need to worry about finding change. This will hopefully make the lunch queues shorter.

#### **Chloe**

### **Strange News on Newsround**

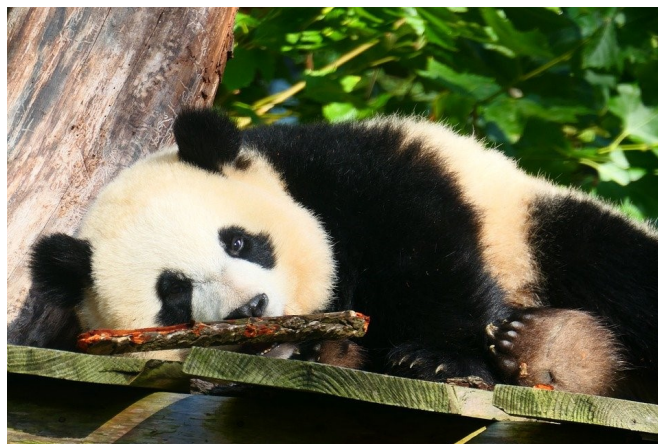
Sometimes getting inspiration for a newspaper involves using whatever brain power you have to think of something. On Newsround's strange news today, it talks about a clever street dog who loves to travel via public transport, a cameraman whose camera was destroyed by a crocodile, and the great pumpkin competition of massive and strangely formed pumpkins!

#### **Tim Peake believes in aliens!**

On yesterday's show, Tim Peake was speaking about how he believes in other life in the universe. He also mentioned the amount of years until it will be possible for you to travel to the moon for your holiday.

#### **Giant Panda species increase!**

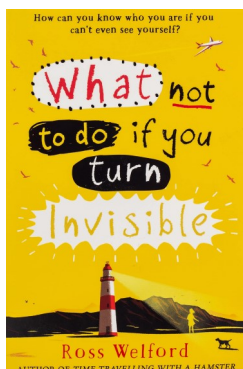
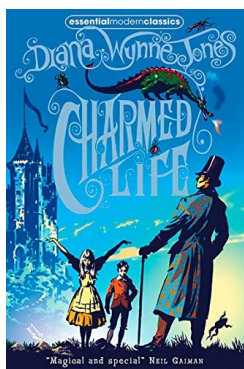
The giant panda has been an endangered species for a while now. However, it's good news as their species increases again!



### Book Reviews:

This week's book review includes the books..

Charmed Life by Diana Wynne Jones



What Not to Do When You Turn Invisible by Ross Welford

**Daisy**

### Film Reviews:

Recently, the film 'Free Guy' was added to Disney+ to watch! Overall, this was a solid film about life in a video game and featured many clips of famous streamers and Youtubers such as JackSepticeye, Ninja, DanTDM, LazarBeam and more! **Daisy**



Name of movie: Luca

Date released: June 13 2021

It's a great film to watch with your family or friends. Its also very interesting! I recommend watching it at home. **Michelle**



### From your teachers:

#### Sports Results:

It has been a positive week for our sports team with around 120 pupils from across the campus representing the school. Year 9, 10 and 11 girls were in action against NOA at home. The Year 9 and 10 girls won their contest with the Year 11's falling just short.

Also on Tuesday we had the Year 7 and 8 Girl's football also against NOA. Year 8 continued their unbeaten start to the year by comprehensively getting the better of NOA. Our Year 7's battled bravely and never stopped running as they lost out.



On the boys side of things Year 10 eased to a big win against Gosford on Thursday meaning they have now won two on the bounce. Year 8 and Year 9 both got wins against NOA with Year 8 narrowly losing out to Warriner on Wednesday. Year 7 continued their rugby development with hard fought matches against NOA and BGN. All the boys have shown real grit and determination to leave us in no doubt their first win is just over the horizon.



Finally the Year 11 boys completed all their Maths homework on time to ensure they could field a team on Wednesday afternoon. Unfortunately it wasn't to be as they were undone by a very strong Bicester school. It was brilliant however to see the team consisting of both Futures and WP students. **Mr Pratt**

#### Manga Club

A new Manga club in the library on Wednesday Lunchtimes - all years welcome. It will be a chance for students to draw and discuss their favourite manga, play games, create displays and have their say on what Manga the library buys next. **Mrs Michell**