

# WOODCROFT WEEKLY

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## New on the website

Lots to look out for on the website. Recent additions include:

- **Sporting Success for Woodcroft**

## Forthcoming Events

Check out our online diary for a full termly schedule.

### March

Starting Monday 4th March

### The Big Read Week!

5/3 M&M Theatre: Y1 to Y6

5/3 Football v

Goldbeaters

6/3 Y5 Trip to Unicorn Theatre

7/3 World Book Day

7/3 Dance Team perform in Oxford at the Great Big Dance Off

8/3 Mad Hatter Day

Starting Monday 11th March

### British Science Week

14/3 Barnet Dance Fest

15/3 Red Nose Day

We want you to come to school dressed in as much RED as you can manage!

## Twitter

Follow us on Twitter:  
@WPS\_Success

## PSHE Theme

In school we are thinking about

**AMAVEN Wellness**



## Year 3 Class Assembly

Well done Year 3 who took to the stage on Friday 15th February to present an outstanding assembly to friends and family. Encompassing all aspects of their curriculum they covered animal adaptations, Ancient Egypt, dinosaurs and Roald Dahl's BFG through performances of drama, dance and music.

## Wellness Kickstart Day

On Monday 25th February Woodcroft took part in a wellness day as part of the Amaven Healthy Schools Programme. We started with an active assembly for Y1 to Y5 and then one class from each year group enjoyed an active learning lesson with wellbeing coach Harry! <https://www.amaven.co.uk/about>



## Football Victory

Well done to the boys who secured their first victory of the season against Barnfield on the Friday before half term. Despite being without a number of first team regulars, those that stepped in seized the opportunity. We had a player of the match display from debutant Ryan (5R) and stand out performances from Limfred and Said who were only drafted into the team 30 minutes before kick off due to absences.



## Nursery Places for September 2019

### 30 Hours FREE Childcare is available at Woodcroft Nursery

**Childcare Choices** If you haven't booked your child's place in our Nursery for September 2019. Don't panic, a few places still remain! Speak with Ms Jessop in the school office. Children born between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016 are eligible for a place. Woodcroft offers the **FREE** flexible 15 hours provision for all children, with the option to pay for extra sessions as required. Parents can also apply for the Government **30 hours free childcare** offer. Find out more at ... [www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk).

## Girls Football - Undefeated in Borough Finals

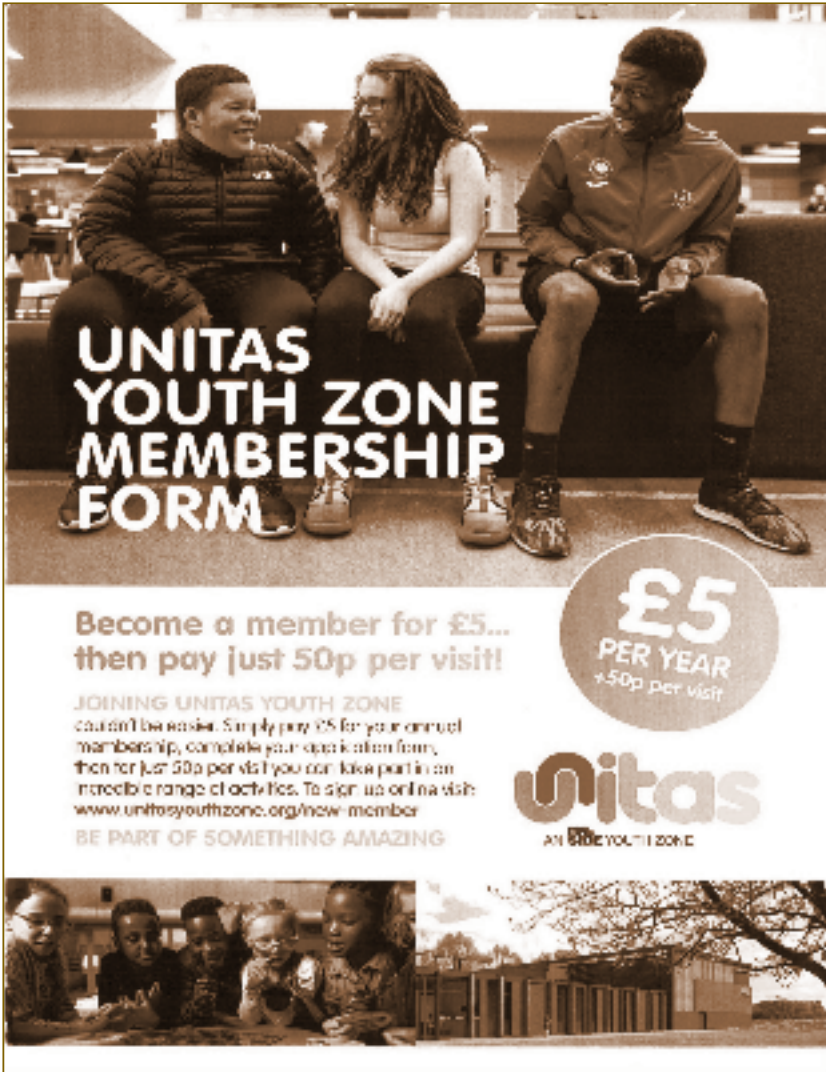
The Girls team were undefeated in last week's Barnet Borough Finals. Unfortunately, their three draws left them an agonising 1 point short in the group to progress through to the semi-final play offs. The team can be very proud of their achievements during this season.



## Barnet Youth Zone - Community Engagement Visit

Barnet Youth Zone, named by young people as 'Unitas', will be a purpose-built facility for young people aged 8 – 19. We are fortunate that it's been constructed nearby on Montrose Playing Fields. When finished, the centre will offer 25 daily activities for a fantastic 50p entrance fee.

Woodcroft was visited on Monday by Unitas staff and we heard about all of the exciting plans for climbing walls, a rooftop football pitch, dance studios, cooking clubs, homework support, games rooms and much, much more. Children will need to register as a member for £5.00 per year using the online form at <https://www.unitasyouthzone.org/> or by completing one of the leaflets available from the school foyer. Year groups have been invited to visit the Youth Zone in the summer for taster sessions with their classes. We can't wait to try out the facilities!



**UNITAS  
YOUTH ZONE  
MEMBERSHIP  
FORM**

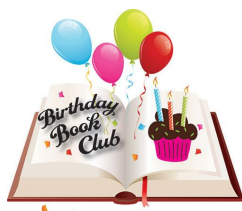
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**£5  
PER YEAR  
+50p per visit**

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**BE PART OF SOMETHING AMAZING**

**unitas**  
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## The Birthday Book Club

Thank you to the pupils who have had recent birthdays and joined our Birthday Book Club by donating a special book for the class and library.

**We all wish a very happy birthday to ...  
David RB age 5, Valentina 2L age 7**



**Whole School  
Attendance**

**95.4%**

BELOW TARGET 96%

## Weekly Class Attendance Champions

Week Beginning 11th February 2019

**KS1 Class of the week: 2S 98.2% Wow - equal first place!**

**KS2 Class of the week: 3V 98.2% The same two as last week!**

