



SOUTH WILFORD Endowed C of E Primary School

Spark the flame, light up the world.

13th March 2026



Next week, we will be taking part in Big Walk and Wheel, the UK's largest inter-school cycling, walking, wheeling and scooting challenge. The challenge runs from 16 – 27 March 2026 and we're encouraging children to walk, cycle, scoot or wheel to school on as many days as possible during the event.

Big Walk and Wheel is a great way to build physical activity in children's daily routine which is important for their physical health and mental wellbeing. Active school runs also help to reduce congestion and air pollution outside the school gate. [A 2021 YouGov study](#) showed nearly half of UK children worry about air pollution near their school. And that children thought active travel was the best away to bring down these pollution levels. Leaving the car at home will also help to alleviate some of the parking congestion!

Plus, there are some great prizes to be won every day if we get enough children taking part!

Walk Wheel Cycle Trust has developed a handy [Parent/ Caregiver](#) page on the challenge website. It is packed with advice to help you have a hassle-free journey to school.

For more information about the event go to www.bigwalkandwheel.org.uk.

PTA Raffle

A reminder to return your raffle ticket stubs (with your name and telephone number on all tickets) and correct money in an envelope by Wednesday 18th March. The draw will take place week Friday 20th March.

Thankyou!

Moderns now has an External Defibrillator, available to the club & local community 24/7. It is located on the Clubhouse external wall facing the Tram Stop. The defibrillator has been registered on the national defibrillator network so will be available to 999 call handlers and can be seen on the Defibfinder.uk website. If you need access to the locked cabinet, the keypad code can be obtained from Moderns Team Managers, Coaches or Medics. Alternatively call 999, give them the location of the cabinet (i.e. Moderns RFC, Main Road, Wilford) and they will give you the code. Thanks go out to all those amazing people who made this possible by supporting Moderns fund raising activities for this very worthy cause. It's been a real team effort. Moderns 'Junior & Colts' volunteers manned stalls, organised cake sales, and sold raffle tickets. Parents donated items to sell. South Wilford Primary School donated the proceeds from their cake sale, volunteers installed/cabled the Defib cabinet and hundreds of people supported these activities by donating their cash.

We hope it will never be needed but it brings peace of mind know it's there should it be required.



Easter Church Services

We hope you're able to join us in Church on Thursday 26th March for our Easter Services. Timings are as follows:

Nursery and EYFS: 9.30am – 10.15am

Year 2 and Year 3: 10.30 – 11.15am

Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6: 11.30am – 12.15pm

Please let your child's class teacher know if you are able to support with the walk down to church.

 Diary dates	
Date	Event
17 th March	Y4 Kingswood Parents Meeting
18 th March	Parents Evening
19 th March	Parents Evening
19 th March	NCMP (R and Y6)
20 th March	Down Syndrome Day
23 rd March	EYFS to White Post Farm
24 th & 25 th March	Y4 Spring Show
25 th March	Nursery Open Evening 5pm
26 th March	Easter Church Services
27 th March	Break for Easter
13 th April	First Day Summer 1
16 th and 23 rd April	New to Nursery Open Sessions** contact office for more information
20 th April – 22 nd April	Year 4 to Kingswood



Comic Relief - Friday 20th March

Take Yourself Funny for Money!
Funniest joke Competition.

Send your child in with a joke to tell in their class. 'The Funniest' joke from each class will be chosen to be shared in assembly to compete for the 'Funniest Joke' in School.

If you wish to make a donation then please follow the link. [Just Giving is fundraising for Comic Relief](#)