



## Newsletter May 2019

We have had a very busy and productive half term! Well done to all our children in Year 2 and Year 6 who have completed SATs this half-term. We provided all Year 6 with breakfast each morning during SATs last week and amazingly they managed to eat their way through 28 boxes of cereal, 21 loaves of bread, 36 pints of milk (1 of soya milk) , 10 jars of jam/spreads, 8 tubs of butter and 10 litres of squash!

Year 1 Phonics Screening will be taking place from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June and I am sure all our year 1 children will all try their best at sounding out those regular and nonsense words.

### **Sporting News**

Congratulations to our Year 6 swimmers (Leo, Tom, Tom, Eddie, Michael, Charlie, Ava, Emi, Mia, Alice, Gabriella and Harriet) who qualified for the Doncaster Swimming Finals. The Doncaster Finals was a fantastic competition with 72 of the best swimmers in Doncaster competing in races supported by Active Fusion, with both foundation and elite levels of races. They then went on to win this event, meaning that they reached the South Yorkshire Swimming Finals which was held this week. Our team were amazing and they won the tournament making them the South Yorkshire Swimming Champions.

Our Year 5/6 football squad (Finley, Lily-Ann, Georgia, Thomas, Leo, Tom, Leo, Finlay, and Tom) have also competed to Golden Boot Football Tournament for the fourth year. This year the standard of competition was extremely high with increased levels of talent and energy from all the attending schools. The winner was to be decided in the final game, with both Hill Top Primary and ourselves, who were both unbeaten, and the game finished 0-0 meaning both teams finished level on points. Unfortunately, the trophy was awarded to Hill Top due to their superior goal difference.

For the first time, we entered our Year 2 athletics team into the Doncaster Quadkids athletics competition. The children took part in 5 activities, which enabled pupils to demonstrate their running, jumping and throwing skills, as well as develop their speed and agility. All children showed exceptional determination to succeed and try different events including taking part in the long jump. A successful morning was had with the children developing new skills in a competitive environment.

Thank you again to all the parents who were able to support the children by attending these sporting events.

We are currently in the process of holding heats for our competitive sporting events, ready to host the finals during our sports days on 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> June, after the half term holidays. All our children are competing in these heats and we wish them all good luck!

## Attendance

Attendance for the year so far is 97% (FS2 - Year 6) which means we are on track to meet our target. Good attendance is celebrated each week in school and at the end of each term. Thank you to everyone who makes sure their child is in school every day and on time - your support is valued.

The table below shows the weekly average attendance figures for each class for the last half-term.

Class	Average Attendance	Number of Late Marks
F2 KW	89.6%	0
F2 MS	95.9%	0
Y1 AS	95.2%	3
Y1 EW	98.5%	4
Y2 AS	99.5%	2
Y2 VL	98.1%	3
Y3 JC	98.5%	6
Y3 AR	98.9%	4
Y4 JT	96.9%	4
Y4 CB	97.5%	1
Y5 EN/KN	96.3%	8
Y5 HR	96.5%	2
Y6 KG	99.9%	1
Y6 ES/NB	98.1%	3

I have attached a copy of the school holiday pattern for the next academic year to this newsletter, to make planning breaks in the school holidays easier. **Please note** that there are 4 training days to be added, once these have been agreed by the Local Authority.

## Health & Safety

### *Sunscreen*

As we go into the last half of the Summer Term, please encourage your child to bring a hat and wear a high factor sunscreen before coming to school in the morning. If you wish your child to re-apply sunscreen, they must bring it to school in a plastic bag and the bottle must be labelled with their name and class. Children are responsible for looking after and applying their own sunscreen.

### *E safety*

As in my previous newsletter, please encourage your child to keep themselves safe online.

For further information, please see:

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

### *Hot Drinks*

With sports day in mind, please remember that hot drinks are **not allowed** on the school site or premises for safety reasons, unless in a lidded safety cup.

### *School Grounds*

Recently, there have been several incidents where children have been observed trampling on the garden areas and climbing over the wall at the front of school. Please help us by supervising children, instilling respect for the school grounds and supporting the standards of behaviour we expect during the school day.

### **Staffing**

Since the last newsletter we have welcomed Mrs Smith to the Foundation Stage staffing team, whilst Mrs Sharp is absent. Thank you to all of you who have welcomed her as she has taken up her post.

### **Contact Details**

To support us in being able to contact you in an emergency and remain GDPR compliant, please inform the school office of any change in address and/or contact numbers asap.

### **Dinner money**

Just a reminder that the cost of pupil school meals from 29<sup>th</sup> April 2019 were increased £2.40 per day which is £12.00 per week (as advised in letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019).

As we finish for half-term, the children are really looking forward to our Sports Days on Wednesday and Thursday. Please remember to send the children with a bottle of water, a sun hat and ensure they have been applied with sunscreen - let's hope the sun will keep shining!



Enjoy the half-term holiday - school re-opens Tuesday 3rd June 2019



## Warmsworth Primary School

### Holiday Dates 2019 - 2020

	School Closes	School Re-Opens
Start of School Year		Tues. 2 <sup>nd</sup> September
Autumn Half Term	Fri. 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Mon. 4 <sup>th</sup> November
Christmas	Fri. 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Mon. 6 <sup>th</sup> January
Spring Half Term	Fri. 14 <sup>th</sup> February	Mon. 24 <sup>th</sup> February
Easter	Fri. 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Mon. 20 <sup>th</sup> April
May Day	Mon. 4 <sup>th</sup> May	Tues. 5 <sup>th</sup> May
Summer Half Term	Fri. 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Mon. 1 <sup>st</sup> June
Summer	Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> July	

4 Teacher Training Days To Be Set



# Diary Dates

Tuesday	4 June	8:50am	All Years	School Opens
Tuesday	4 June	9:00am-3:30pm	Y4	Partake Theatre
Tuesday	4 June	10:00am-12:30pm	Y5	Swimming Gala
Wednesday	5 June	9:00am-12:00noon	Y2	Theatre Company
Wednesday	5 June	9:00am-11:00am	F1A/F2MS	Sports Day
Wednesday	5 June	1:30pm-3:30pm	F1PM/F2CE	Sports Day
Thursday	6 June	9:15am-11:30am	Y1/2/3	Sports Day
Thursday	6 June	1:30pm-3:30pm	Y4/5/6	Sports Day
Friday	7 June	9:00am-10:20am	Y5	Parent Maths Session
Friday	7 June	9:00am-3:00pm	F2	Tropical Butterfly House
Mon-Fri	10-14 June	All day	Y1	Phonics Screening
Monday	10 June	2:45-3:30pm	Y4	Enterprise Event
Tuesday	11 June	9:30-12:30pm	Y5	Rounders
Wednesday	12 June	9:00am-3:00pm	Y5/6	Cricket
Tuesday	18 June	9:00am-10:00am	All Years	Family Learning Gardening
Tuesday	18 June	9:00am-10:00am	F1	New Parent Meeting
Tuesday	18 June	2:30pm-3:30pm	All Years	Family Learning Gardening
Tuesday	18 June	4:30pm-5:30pm	F1	New Parent Meeting
Wednesday	19 June	9:00am-10:00am	F2	New Parent Meeting
Wednesday	19 June	4:30pm-5:30pm	F2	New Parent Meeting
Thursday	20 June	9:00am-3:30pm	Y3/4	Cricket
Thursday	20 June	9:00am-10:00am	All Years	Family Learning Gardening
Thursday	20 June	2:30pm-3:30pm	All Years	Family Learning Gardening
Friday	21 June	TBC	Y6	STWA to deliver subject taster session in school
Monday	24 June	TBC	Y5	Opportunity to "do" Science at STWA
Tuesday	25 June	TBC	Y5	Opportunity to "do" Science at STWA
Tuesday	25 June	10:15am-11:00am	F1AM	AM Nursery class visit (New pupils)
Tuesday	25 June	1:15pm-2:00pm	F1PM	PM Nursery class visit (New pupils)
Wednesday	26 June	TBC	Y5	Opportunity to "do" Science at STWA
Wednesday	26 June	9:00am-10:00am	Y1	Parent Maths Session
Wednesday	26 June	10:15am-11:00am	F1AM	AM Nursery class visit (New pupils)
Wednesday	26 June	1:15pm-2:00pm	F1PM	PM Nursery class visit (New pupils)
Wednesday	26 June	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Y3	Parent Maths Session
Thursday	27 June	9:00am - 10:00am	F2	Parent Workshop
Thursday	27 June	9:00am-3:00pm	Y5/6	Cricket
Friday	28 June	All day	Y5/6	Transition Day at STWA
Monday	1 July	9:00am-10:20am	Y4	Parent Maths Session
Monday	1 July	1:15pm-2:45pm	Y4/5	Maths challenge at STWA
Tuesday	2 July	2:30pm-3:30pm	Y2	Parent Maths Session
Tuesday	2 July	9:00am-3:00pm	Y5/6	Cricket
Wednesday	3 July	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Guitar Players	Guitar Concert
Thursday	4 July	2:30pm-3:30pm	Y3	Enterprise Event
Friday	5 July	11:00am-11:45am	F1AM	Enterprise Event
Friday	5 July	2:45pm-3:30pm	F1PM	Enterprise Event
Tuesday	9 July	2:45pm-3:30pm	Y2	Enterprise Event
Tuesday	9 July	All day	Y4	South Yorkshire Football Finals
Wednesday	10 July	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Musicians	General Music Concert
Thursday	11 July	11:50am-12:30pm	Current F1PM/New F2	New F2 School Dinner
Thursday	11 July	2:45pm-3:15pm	Y1	Enterprise Event
Thursday	11 July	All day	Y6	Induction Day at STWA

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Friday	12 July	All day	Y6	Induction Day at STWA
Friday	12 July	9:00am-2:00pm	Y5/6	Rounders
Friday	12 July	11:50am-12:30pm	Current F1AM	New F2 School Dinner
Friday	12 July	2:15pm-3:15pm	All Years	Class Swap & Reports Out
Monday	15 July	6:00pm-7:00pm	Y6	Welcome Evening STWA
Tuesday	16 July	All day	Y5	Magic Maths Session at STWA
Thursday	18 July	5:30pm-6:30pm	Y6	Leavers Celebration
Friday	19 July	3:30pm	All Years	School Closes

## Training days for 2018-2019

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019

Please note: More information regarding uniform, school visits, events in school, lunch menus etc. can be found on the school website - [www.warmsworth.doncaster.sch.uk](http://www.warmsworth.doncaster.sch.uk)