

Wardley CE Primary School 'With God's love we can do all things'

Newsletter

Summer Term 1

May

23.05.25 – School closes for the Whitsun Holiday June 02.06.25 – School closes INSET Day for Report Writing 03.06.25 – School Opens 03.06.25 – 5 Steps to Well-being Day 03.06.25 – Anxiety Workshop for parents 03.06.25 – Co-op Academy Swinton in to see pupils in Y6 transitioning to their high school in September. 04.06.25 – Y6 Athletics Trials after school 05.06.25 – Y5 Athletics Trials after school 11.06.25 – St Ambrose in to see pupils in Y6 transitioning to their high school in September. 11.06.25 – 4:30pm - Meeting for Y6 parents regarding the residential trip. 18.06.25 – Athletics Championships at Cleveley's Running Track for Y5 pupils 2 – 5pm 24.06.25 - Athletics Championships at Cleveley's Running Track for Y6 pupils 2 – 5pm 25.06.25 – Y4 out at The Lowry for their Ukulele performance 26.06.25 – Y6 Transition Day to high school 27.06.26 – Y6 Transition Day to high school 30.06.25 – Nursery parent drop in – 3:30pm

23.05.2025

This week has seen the lovely sunshine continue to shine meaning that the children have had plenty of fresh air.

Year 4 have completed their Archbishop's Young Leader Award which the school has participated in for the last 5 years. Miss Millington has done a wonderful job with the children and is super proud of the letters they have written to members of the church community. I got to see these letters and the presentation and handwriting of the children was absolutely beautiful!

Year 6 have been informed about their end of year production this year, which will be, 'Oliver – with a Twist!' An audition piece has been distributed and auditions for main roles will take place after the half term holiday. We cannot wait to see their talent!

Finally, our lovely Reception class have been making potions outside using their mathematical and capacity skills.

Girl's Football Team

A huge well done to our Year 5/6 Girl's Football team who played against The Deans on Thursday evening. Although they didn't manage a win, they played superbly as a team and progressive became more confident as the match went on. All of the girls did our school proud!

We also thank all of the parents involved who actively encourage their girls to play and take them to away matches.

A special thank you to Mr Houston and Mr Foster who give up their own time to train and support the girls for these matches. We all appreciate what you do.

Weekly Updates... Wardley Way Awards

This week saw three children achieving their silver awards. Well done to Freddie, Rafeef and Lucas in Y4, Anna & Rudi in Y1 and Amelia in Y2.

We also saw Freddie in Y5 Oscar S & Fallon in Y4, Percy, Omar & Rueben in Y1 receive their Bronze Awards. Well done everyone!

Reminders from the office ...

Dinner money on the first day back is £8.40

Other news

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Playground Equipment

The new playground equipment has been distributed by some of Senior Pupils this week and it has had plenty of use already! It has been lovely to see so many children enjoying playing with the skipping ropes, hula-hoops, footballs, netballs, chalks, stilts, tennis rackets and much more. We also have a giant snakes and ladder games which has seen small groups of children playing together beautifully.

Bike Shelter

Thank you so much for your co-operation regarding the use of bikes and scooters on school premises. I have seen so many children and parents calmly walking with them down the school pathways which has meant that we have much safer environment for everyone. I praised the children for their cooperation in this morning's collective worship.

Sex & Relationship Education

You should have received an email this week regarding next half term's SRE lessons which take place during PSHE classes. Each year group from Y1 - Y6 have their own specially designed curriculum that is age-appropriate to them. A clear outline of each lesson and its content was also emailed out this week. If you have any questions regarding these lessons, please be in touch and we can discuss them further.

Appointments with Mrs Walker (Acting Head) or Mrs Flannagan (Acting Deputy Head)

Due to the departure of Mr Foster at Easter, the school's Leadership team is currently down to just the two if us. As I am sure you can appreciate, this has increased our workload significantly but we are working hard to manage everything and to keep school in the excellent position it has always been in. If you would like to speak to either one of us about anything, can I politely request that you make an appointment via the school office and we will get back to you at our erliest convenience. Sadly, we are busy with lots of meetings and schedules which we cannot interrupt so if you simpply turn up to school and want to speak to us, we will probably be occupied and unable to see you at that exact moment.

Thank you for all of your continued support and encouragement this half term. It has been an extremely busy few weeks but we have crammed a lot into it. I hope that the children can get some well-deserved rest over the coming week so that they are ready and raring to go for the final half-term of the academic year.

Have a lovely half term holiday and see you back on Tuesday 3rd June. Take care & God Bless

K. Walker Mrs K. Walker Acting Head Teacher