

# NORTH WALKDEN PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

## 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Demi Olivia	Summer Amany	Shania Harrison	Nicholas Rayan	Michael Georgie	Ethan Vivian	Eva Ritvik	Bobby Libby

**Singing Show Case:** Today the whole school got together to watch each class perform a song they have been practising this half term. We had everything from The Gruffalo to Bruno Mars to The Backstreet Boys! It was thoroughly enjoyable to watch, well done everyone. Watch out X-Factor!

**Parents Coffee morning:** We hosted our half termly coffee morning today, it was lovely to see so many of our parents pop in for a brew and a chat. Please do watch out for further dates and come along if you can.

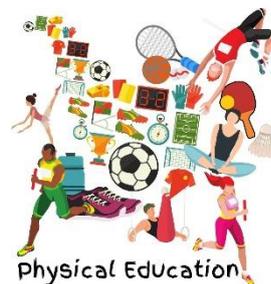
**PE Days:** PE days will remain the same next term as follows:

**Monday – Years 3 & 4**

**Tuesday – Years 1 & 2**

**Wednesday – Years 5 & 6**

**Friday - Reception**



Children should come to school in their PE Kits on these days. School PE kit is...

- White T-shirt, blue/black shorts and black pumps or trainers when outside.
- Blue/black tracksuit bottoms in colder weather - no named sportswear please. We do offer school tracksuits, these can be found on the touchline page or ordered from school.

**School Uniform:** Please can we remind parents that children must follow the school uniform policy every day. This includes PE and children should be wearing the advised sportswear. Please find full information on Uniform here <http://www.northwalkdenprimaryschool.co.uk/page/school-uniform/25102>

**Strike Action:** The next planned strike day is Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February. We are expecting to be fully open as normal on this day. However as advised previously union members can change their mind of their intention to strike at very short notice and therefore I may have to advise of closure at short notice. Again I would encourage to consider alternative child care options for this day just in case they are needed.

**After School Clubs:** Messages were sent out on Wednesday this week to confirm which children have a place on the clubs after half term. If you have not had a message on school spider then unfortunately your child does not have a place this time. For children on the waiting list we will let you know if a place becomes available.

**Breakfast and After School Club:** It is with regret that I am unable to confirm that the wrap around care will be commencing after Easter. Whilst there is moderate demand for the clubs unfortunately we are unable to find enough staff to manage the wrap around care. Staff have other commitments and childcare so cannot commit to working these additional hours at present. We are, however, considering the possibility of using an external company although this would mean increased costs to parents. Next term we will share further information about this and we will also continue to review the staffing options we have in school throughout the rest of the year. I can sadly confirm that we will not be in a position to provide wrap around care this academic year.

**Diary Dates:** These have been added for the rest of the year so please take a look below and make a note of the dates relevant to your child.

**Parents Evenings:** You have been emailed a letter advising of the upcoming parent's evenings on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2023. Bookings will open on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm. Please read through the letter for full details before making your booking.

**Year 6 arrived at school on time every day this week – fantastic! Let's see if other classes can do this after half term! Children should be in school by 8.45am if you arrive after this time you are late!**



**Well done to Reception, Year 1, Year 5 and Year 6 who achieved their class attendance target again of 96% - fantastic!**

**Punctuality and Attendance**

Please remember school starts at **8:45am** – Doors will be open from 8.35am. Children arriving after 8.55am must enter through the school office and be signed in.

**This week's attendance – Our School target and individual pupil target is 96%**

	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Whole School
Class attendance	91.9	<b>96.7</b>	<b>97.9</b>	94.0	87	94.5	<b>96.7</b>	<b>96.1</b>	94.4
Late arrivals	1	6	3	2	4	1	6	<b>0</b>	23

**School communication:** Please ensure you are logged into your school spider app so that you receive all the important messages we send out. If you need to download the app again, its 'School Spider' and then you can simply go onto the log in and click forgot password to reset your log in details.

**Contacting School:** If you wish to contact school then you can email us on [NorthWalkdenPrimary.PupilContact@salford.gov.uk](mailto:NorthWalkdenPrimary.PupilContact@salford.gov.uk) and we will respond the same day or call 0161 921 2921.

**DIARY DATES:** Whilst we aim not to change dates once set sometimes circumstances mean we have to, please always check the dates each week and update your plans accordingly. Any changes will be highlighted.

DATE	ACTIVITY/EVENT	TIME	CLASS
WC 27 <sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY	WORLD BOOK WEEK – Details to follow		ALL
MONDAY 27 <sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY	PARENTS CONDOVER MEETING	3.15PM	YEAR 6 PARENTS
TUESDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY	YEAR 2 SATS MEETING FOR PARENTS	3.15PM	YEAR 2 PARENTS
WEDNESDAY 1 <sup>ST</sup> MARCH	YEAR 6 SATS MEETING FOR PARENTS	3.15PM	YEAR 6 PARENTS
WEDNESDAY 1 <sup>ST</sup> MARCH	SCHOOL MEAL EVENT –WORLD BOOK DAY – all children are welcome to order a school meal on The Evolve Hub	11.30 – 1.00PM	ALL
THURSDAY 2 <sup>ND</sup> MARCH	WORLD BOOK DAY AUTHOR AND ILLUSTRATOR VISIT	9-3	ALL
WEDNESDAY 8 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	KEY STAGE 2 FAMILY TIME WORKSHOP	9-10AM	KEY STAGE 2 PARENTS WELCOME TO ATTEND
MONDAY 13 <sup>TH</sup> – 17 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	SCIENCE WEEK		ALL
TUESDAY 14 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	EYFS TRIP TO IMAGINE THAT	ALL DAY	EYFS
FRIDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	NON UNIFORM DAY FOR EASTER HAMPER ITEM	9-3	ALL
FRIDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	RED NOSE DAY – we are not asking for any donations – items can be bought here <a href="https://shop.comicrelief.com/">https://shop.comicrelief.com/</a> if you wish to.		ALL

MONDAY 20 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	PARENTS EVENING – PHONECALL OPTION	3.30-5.30	ALL
TUESDAY 21 <sup>ST</sup> MARCH	ANNE FRANK WORKSHOPS	ALL DAY	YEAR 5 & 6
WEDNESDAY 22 <sup>ND</sup> MARCH	YEAR 2 CLASS ASSEMBLY	9-9.30AM	YEAR 1 PARENTS WELCOME
WEDNESDAY 22 <sup>ND</sup> MARCH	PARENTS EVENING FACE TO FACE OPTION	3.30-6.30	ALL
THURSDAY 23 <sup>RD</sup> MARCH	YEAR 4 LAST SWIMMING LESSON		YEAR 4
MONDAY 27 <sup>TH</sup> - WEDNESDAY 29 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	YEAR 6 CONDOVER HALL		YEAR 6
TUESDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	YEAR 5 CHURCH - EASTER EXPERIENCE	1.30	YEAR 5
WEDNESDAY 29 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	EYFS EASTER WORKSHOP	9-10AM	EYFS PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	EYFS AND KEY STAGE 1 EASTER HAT COMPETITION – PLEASE SEND IN YOUR FABULOUS CREATIONS		EYFS , YEAR 1 AND 2
THURSDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	KEY STAGE 2 EASTER EGG DISPLAY COMPETITION – PLEASE SEND IN YOUR FABULOUS CREATIONS		YEAR 3, 4, 5 & 6
THURSDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	EASTER HAMPER RAFFLE DRAW – GOOD LUCK	2PM	ALL
THURSDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH	PARENTS COFFEE MORNING	9AM	ALL PARENTS WELCOME
FRIDAY 31 <sup>ST</sup> MARCH	YEAR 1 CLASS ASSEMBLY	9-9.30AM	YEAR 1 PARENTS WELCOME
FRIDAY 31 <sup>ST</sup> MARCH	SCHOOL FINISHES	2PM	ALL
<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>			
MONDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	SCHOOL RE OPENS	8.45AM	N-YEAR 6
MONDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	NEW SCHOOL MEAL MENU LAUNCH		ALL
THURSDAY 20 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	YEAR 2 FIRST SWIMMING LESSON	1-3	YEAR 2
WK BEGINNING 24 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	MOCK SATS WEEK	ALL WEEK	YEAR 6
THURSDAY 27 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	NURSERY PARENTS VISIT- MATHS	9AM	NURSERY PARENTS WELCOME
WEDNESDAY 3 <sup>RD</sup> MAY	RECEPTION CLASS ASSEMBLY	9AM	RECEPTION PARENTS WELCOME
FRIDAY 5 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	SCHOOL MEAL EVENT – KING CHARLES III CORONATION – all children are welcome to order a school meal on The Evolve Hub	11.30 – 1.00PM	ALL
FRIDAY 5 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	YEAR 5 WATER SPORTS LESSONS BEGIN AT SALFORD QUAYS	9-12	YEAR 5
MONDAY 8 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	BANK HOLIDAY – CORONATION – SCHOOL CLOSED		ALL
TUESDAY 9 <sup>TH</sup> – FRIDAY 12 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	KEY STAGE 2 SATS WEEK	MON- THURS	YEAR 6
TUESDAY 16 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	YEAR 1 CHURCH VISIT	1.30PM	YEAR 1
WEDNESDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	RESPECT PROGRAMME BEGINS	PM	YEAR 6

THURSDAY 18 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	SCHOOL MEAL EVENT – STEP INTO SPRING – all children are welcome to order a school meal on The Evolve Hub	11.30 – 1.00PM	ALL
WEDNESDAY 24 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	KEY STAGE 1 FAMILY TIME WORKSHOP	9-10AM	KEY STAGE 1 PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY 25 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	YEAR 2 LAST SWIMMING LESSON		YEAR 2
FRIDAY 26 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	COFFEE MORNING	9AM	ALL PARENTS WELCOME
FRIDAY 26 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	SCHOOL FINISHES FOR HALF TERM	3.15PM	ALL
<b>MAY HALF TERM</b>			
WEDNESDAY 7 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	SCHOOL RE-OPENS	8.45AM	ALL
WEEK BEGINNING 12 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	BIKEABILITY	ALL WEEK	YEAR 6
TUESDAY 13 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	YEAR 2 CHURCH VISIT	1.30PM	YEAR 2
THURSDAY 15 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	NURSERY PARENTS VISIT- LITERACY	9AM	NURSERY PARENTS WELCOME
<b>SATURDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>SUMMER FAIR</b>	<b>9 -1 PM</b>	<b>WHOLE SCHOOL</b>
MONDAY 26 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	NEW NURSERY PARENTS MEETING	5PM	
TUESDAY 27 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	NEW RECEPTION PARENTS MEETING	5PM	
WEDNESDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	KEY STAGE 2 FAMILY TIME WORKSHOP	9-10AM	KEY STAGE 2 PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY/ FRIDAY 29 <sup>TH</sup> AND 30 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	YEAR 6 SALFORD TRANSITION DAYS	ALL DAY	YEAR 6
FRIDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE	YEAR 5 LAST WATER SPORTS SESSION	9-12	YEAR 5
TUESDAY 4 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	YEAR 6 CHURCH VISIT	1.30PM	YEAR 6
THURSDAY 6 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	EYFS SPORTS DAY	1.30PM	EYFS
MONDAY 10 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	YEARS 6 LEAVERS PRODUCTION FOR SCHOOL	10AM	N- YEAR 6
TUESDAY 11 <sup>H</sup> JULY	YEAR 6 LEAVERS PRODUCTION FOR PARENTS	2PM	YEAR 6 PARENTS WELCOME
WEDNESDAY 12 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	YEAR 6 LEAVERS PRODUCTION	5.30PM	YEAR 6 PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY 13 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	KEY STAGE 1 SPORTS DAY	1.30PM	KEY STAGE 1 FAMILIES WELCOME
FRIDAY 14 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS	3.15PM	ALL
FRIDAY 14 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	KEY STAGE 2 SPORTS DAY	1.30PM	KEY STAGE 2 FAMILIES WELCOME
MONDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	MOVE UP MORNING	9.15- 10.15AM	RECEPTION TO YEAR 6
MONDAY 17 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	ICE CREAM VISIT	1-3PM	ALL
TUESDAY 18 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	KEY STAGE 1 BUMP AND BOUNCE	9-3	YEAR 1 & 2

TUESDAY 18 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	KEY STAGE 2 TALENT SHOW	1-3	YEARS 3 - 6
WEDNESDAY 19 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	KEY STAGE 2 WATER PLAY	1-3	KEY STAGE 2
WEDNESDAY 19 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	LEAVERS MEAL/EVENT	5-6.30PM	YEAR 6
THURSDAY 20 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	LEAVERS ASSEMBLY	9AM	YEAR 6
THURSDAY 20 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	SCHOOL CLOSES	2PM	N-YEAR 6

Kind regards, Mrs Warburton