



Westvale Primary School

"Striving for Excellence, Caring for All"

OUR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER—FRIDAY 27th April 2018

Summer Term 2018

I would like to welcome everyone back to our busy Summer Term with lots of fun and exciting challenges ahead before our children move on to a new class or new secondary school in September.

We begin the new term with some very sad news. We heard this week that our dear school crossing patrol Bob has passed away after more than 10 years dedicated service at Westvale.

We will remember Bob for his friendly, happy nature with a smile and kind word for all, as well as keeping our children safe on the crossing every day, in all weathers.

We are all thinking about Bob's family at this very sad time.

Mrs. Afflick

Y6 KS2 SATs Week

Y6 have been working hard in preparation for their tests.

Booster classes are available daily from 8am with Mrs Haywood or Miss Wilson. Lunchtime classes are also running.

Monday 14th May -Grammar, punctuation and spellings.

Tuesday 15th— Reading.

Wednesday 16th-Maths paper 1 and 2.

Thursday 17th— Maths paper 3.
We wish them all good luck.



Y1 Windmill Farm Trip

The children had a lovely day out on Friday 20th April, starting off with an exciting train ride around the farm. The children fed 3 day old lambs, had lots of fun learning about farm life and playing in the adventure playground!



Y3 Roman Fun in Chester

The day began with a march around Chester with our very own Roman soldier.

The children learnt how to create a protective cover using their shields.

We then went to the Amphitheatre to learn lots of interesting facts and watched 2 Gladiators fight.

In the museum we discovered how the Romans lived, medicines they used and what they ate. Everyone was surprised to hear that honey-roasted mice were a treat to eat! Even though it rained throughout the day, we still managed to have lots of fun!



HAVE YOUR SAY! PARENTS'/CARERS' COMMENTS SLIP

Remember, you can complete the parent survey on line at Parent view, you just need an e-mail address.

NAME; _____

CHILD'S NAME _____

CLASS _____

What's on at Westvale

Monday - Drama Y5/6 3.30-4.30pm
Tuesday - Y1 Reading Club (Dinner Time)
Tuesday -Y5&6 Football 3.20-4.20pm
Wednesday Y5/6 Circuit Training 3.20-4.15pm
Thursday – Y3/4 Multi-Sports
Thursday - Y3/4-Football-3.20-4.20pm
Thursday - Badminton
Y5/6 (lunchtime)



Important Dates For Your Diary

Friday 20th April

Y1 Windmill Farm Trip

Tuesday 24th April

Y3 Roman Trip in Chester

Monday 7th May

Bank Holiday Monday (school closed)

Monday 14th May

Y6 SATs week

Thursday 17th May

Summer Party Box £1

Friday 18th May

Royal Wedding Celebration
(wear red, white and blue £1)

Friday 25th May

School closes for Whit Break
(normal time)

Wednesday 6th June

Children to return to school.

Care In Our Community

Is your child frightened to play out?

Is your property being damaged?

If you are concerned about children being disruptive or causing damage in our community

PLEASE telephone

MERSEYSIDE POLICE 709 6010– 101

If you are concerned about young children being out on the streets without adult supervision you can telephone

CONFIDENTIALLY;

Children's Social Care Duty Team

0151 443 2600

PARENT/CARERS, INCASE OF AN EMERGENCY OR SICKNESS CAN YOU PLEASE ENSURE SCHOOL HAS YOUR UP TO DATE CONTACT NUMBERS. THANK YOU.



Y5

Y5 have been going to Kirkby High School this term for Science lessons and are really enjoying trying new experiments.



Nursery/Reception

Parent Workshop

Tuesday 7th May, Sharon Lee from Family Learning will be running a workshop 9-10am 2-3pm.

This will be looking at supporting your child with their learning, getting into good routines and how they develop.

Leaflets will be sent out nearer the date.

How well is your child's class doing?
You could make more of a difference by making sure you have your child in school everyday and on time!

23/4/18-27/4/18

1st	2H	97.9%
2nd	4K	97.2%
3rd	5B	96.9%
4th	3M	95.6%
5th	REC	93.3%
6th	1K	92.1%
7th	6H/W	90%

Remember every day counts!

Whole School Attendance 95%

Attendance is monitored very closely!

If your child is going to be absent, please contact Mrs Melvin at the school office on 477 8470 before 10am.

Thank you

Punctuality Concerns

I am sure that you will appreciate that when children arrive late to school, it not only disrupts their pattern of learning but also disrupts those pupils who attend punctually.

If you are experiencing any difficulties which may be preventing your child from attending punctually then please contact Mrs Melvin. Thank you.