



# Westvale Primary School

*"Striving for Excellence, Caring for All"*

## OUR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER—FRIDAY 6th July 2018

### Quidditch Fun

As part of our National sports week activities all the children in school enjoyed a fun day of Quidditch led by the Enrich Education team.

The winners were 'Gryffindor' but we were very proud of all the children trying a new sporting activity.  
Well done !



### Children's University Celebrations

We were very proud of the 67 children receiving their awards this year , the most ever at Hope University Campus in Childwall. The children looked fabulous in their cap and gown. Well done to all for your achievement attending extra-curricular clubs. Especially to Paul Davies, Jack Johnson and Terry Navin who accredited over 165 hours over the years. Photos will be available to buy very soon.

### SAFEGUARDING UPDATE-LOCKDOWN

The safety and security of our students and staff is a top priority at Westvale Primary.

One of the procedures all schools practice every year is a Lockdown Procedure.

During a Lockdown Procedure, classroom doors are secured and the children remain inside the room until instructed by the teacher to resume their activities. All exterior doors are locked and no one is permitted to enter or leave the building. Children are kept inside the school and classrooms when circumstances make it safer to stay in the classroom rather than evacuate, eg a stray dog on site, a leak of toxic waste, a disturbance in the community.

Just as we prepare our children to properly respond to a fire drill, they also need to be aware of the proper response during a lockdown drill. These drills should be treated with the same level of importance as fire drills. Please be assured that staff at our school will spend time discussing the importance of this procedure with the children prior to running a drill. We will also take time after the drill to remind them it was only a practice and there was no danger.

If the school were to have a real lockdown situation, we would contact you to advise you that it was taking place and not to come to or call school.

### 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** Y5&6 Football 3.20-4.20pm

**Tuesday** Y3/4 Drama 3.30-4.30pm

**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)

### KS1 Sports Day

Super sportsmanship was shown by the children who bore the heat to compete.

Well done KS1

#### KS2

KS2 enjoyed showing off their sporting skills during Sports day.

All teams had lots of fun and behaviour was magnificent.

Well done to Belgium for scoring the most points. Thanks to everyone for coming to support the children.

#### Foundation Unit

Foundation had a fantastic sports day. All the children enjoyed the different races and events. Super!

### Important Dates For Your D

#### Monday 9th July

Reports out to parent/carers

#### Wednesday 11th July

Parents afternoon

If appointment required

#### Monday 16th July

Reception Graduation at 2.30pm

#### Friday 20th July

Y6 Graduation Service 1.15pm

Prom 6-8pm

#### Summer Break

School will finish

Wednesday 25th July at 2pm

### Polite Reminder

As the temperature is set to remain high this week, can you please ensure your child has:

- ★ Sun cream applied before school
  - ★ Hat
  - ★ Sunglasses (optional)
- ★ Bottle of water which can be refilled in school

Thank you for your continued support. Keeping children safe in the sun.

ICE LOLLYS ON SALE ALL WEEK 30P

FAIRTRADE JUICE 50P

(profits raised will help to buy more playground resources)



### 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!

22/1/18-26/1/18

1st	4C	96.8%
2nd	6H/W	96.7%
3rd	1K	96.6%
4th	REC	95.3%
5th	2H	95%
6th	5B	94.6%
7th	3M	92.5%

**Whole School Attendance is 95.4%**

**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 to all our parent/carers who ensure their children are in school everyday and on time.**

### Celebration of Achievement

Every year Kirkby Collaborate of Schools choose 6 children from each school to receive this special award.

This could be for numerous achievements such as making outstanding progress, resilience, outstanding attendance and so on.

This year we were very proud to nominate;

- ★ Reception Bilal Al Laban Abou
  - ★ Y1 Evie Holt
  - ★ Y2 Martyn Kelly
- ★ Y3 Chahed Al Laban Abou
  - ★ Y4 Ella Pollard
- ★ Y6 Majed Al Laban Abou
  - ★ Y6 Caitlin Gladwinfield