



School Newsletter 11

July 2017

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Dear parents, carers and families

We are nearly at the end of our 2016/2017 academic year and the children are preparing for their moves into new classes and school. As always, we are sad to see our Year 2 children preparing to leave us along with those other children who are moving onto new schools. We would like to wish them all the best in their new schools. We break up on 21st July and hopefully we will be enjoying events in the sunshine this month. Please ensure that children have suitable protection, for time spent outside at school, on sunny days.

Please regularly visit our website at www.waterthorpeinfantschool.co.uk to find out about events in school. The 'News Update' tab is changed weekly. We have just opened a Twitter account and plan to be Tweeting lots of photos so please keep an eye on our website for new 'tweets' or sign up to Twitter and follow us @waterthorpeNI. Your comments, as always, are welcomed and I would be happy to see you at any time if you want to catch me in the playground or call in at the office to make an appointment. If you do have any concerns or worries please have a word with your child's teacher first as I know that they will do their best to help and to put your mind at rest.

Helen Stokes (Headteacher).

Senior leadership team



Mrs Helen Stokes
Headteacher



Mrs Caryn Moffatt
Foundation Stage
Leader



Mrs Shelly Appleby
Key Stage 1 Leader



Mrs Michelle Taylor
Special Needs
Co-ordinator

This is the **School** version of the July Newsletter.
F2: Red Base, Y1: Blue Base & Y2: Yellow and Green Base

To help you in seeing which items, you may need to take action on, a list is below:

Items for action

Actions:

- Please let us have any feedback about our new plans for sharing information and the newsletters
- Please ensure that we have a current email and mobile phone number (if you are not receiving texts and emails please call at the school office to check these contact details have been changed on Parentmail.)
- Please sign up for Nursery consultation day to be held on 10th July (no children in Nursery on 10th July)
- Try **not** to bring the car to school on Fridays for our Car Free Days or park away from the school to help us have a car free road on Fridays
- Please park considerately outside school and try to park away from the school where possible
- If your child has a place on the 'Learn to Ride' sessions on 13th July, please remember to send their bike (with stabilisers removed) and helmet on the day
- Parents/families of children in Yellow and Green Base: Please join us for the Y2 Leaver's and Awards Assembly on 19th July at 9:15a.m.
- Parents/families of children in Red and Blue Base: Please join us for the Attendance and Awards Assembly on 20th July at 9:15a.m
- Please help your Y2 child choose a fancy-dress costume for our party on 20th July
- Please let the classteacher know if you would like to volunteer to help at the Y2 party and please send some party food to share on the day
- Please note, we will celebrate summer holiday birthdays for Y2 only in the assembly on 21st July
- Please allow your child to bring in a toy or game on the last day of term (21st July). Please ensure that it is not valuable and that it is clearly marked with their name
- Please visit the library and register your child to take part in the Summer Reading Challenge. The launch will be held in libraries on Saturday 15th July. For more information, Challenge go to either of the following websites:
<https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>
www.readingagency.org.uk/summerreadingchallenge
- Please check lost property at any time. (Ask at the office for directions to where it is.)
 - Please ensure that your child is in school on 14th July for class-swap day and is taken to their new classroom in the morning
- Please donate any spare clothes and PE kits to the school office
- Please send your child with a sunhat or cap on sunny days and apply long-lasting sunscreen before school to exposed body parts
- Please ensure that any sandals strap on securely
- If your child would like to attend an after-school club and they will be in Blue, Green or Yellow Base in September, please ensure that you have completed an application (available from the office)
- If you are interested in the cleaning post or relief cleaning/Lunchtime Supervision, please call at the office for a job description and application form

Newsletter Next Year

We recognise that our Newsletter each month is very long. This is mainly because we always have so many exciting events happening to share with you. We would like to try something different next year though and hope that this will help you to get the information you need without feeling overloaded with information!

We plan to send you, by email, a weekly update of events for the following week (a bit like the ones on the classroom doors). You will also receive a half termly newsletter with a diary, to show the events coming up, plus any other information we feel you would find useful. Letters will continue to be sent out by email and as a hard copy if there is a form for you to fill in and return. It is important that we have a current mobile number and your email addresses for Parentmail so that you get the weekly information and we can get in touch if there is something we need to share. The weekly update will continue to go on doors and the parent-run Facebook page.

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- Please ensure that we have a current email and mobile phone number (if you are not receiving texts and emails please call at the school office to check these contact details have been changed on Parentmail.)

EVENTS COMING UP:

- 10th July Nursery Consultation Day (Nursery closed to children)
- 13th July 'Great-Parking' Day
- 13th July Learn to Ride your Bike Day
- 14th July Class-Swap Day Friday
- 19th July 9:15a.m. Y2 Leaver's Assembly & Y2 Awards
- 20th July 9:15a.m. Attendance and Awards Assembly (We will email or text you, before the assembly, to let you know if your child will be receiving an award.)
- 20th July 1p.m. Y2 Fancy Dress party (Helpers welcome from 1:15p.m.)
- 21st July 9:15a.m. Final Birthday Assembly (Note: Holiday birthdays will be for Y2 only, we will do Holiday birthdays for F2 & Y1 in September)
- 21st July Toy Day. (Children may bring toys and games to school for the last day. Please also send a bag to take their things home in.)

Nursery Parent Individual Consultations 10th July

Our Nursery consultation day will be on Monday 10th July. The first appointment is at 8a.m. and the last at 3p.m. A sign-up list will be in Nursery from next week. This is an opportunity for you to discuss how your child is doing in Nursery and how you can support them with their 'next steps'.

Nursery will be closed to children on this day.

- Please sign up for Nursery consultation day to be held on 10th July (no children in Nursery on 10th July)

Car Free Days on Fridays:



This half term our school is taking part in the Sheffield NHS Car Free Days campaign. We have chosen Fridays each week as our Car Free Day. This will run for the rest of the summer term.

The campaign aims to reduce congestion and pollution around schools and to promote active journeys to school to help all children to be physically active and ready to start their day refreshed and ready to learn. Children will earn a certificate for participating in this campaign on Fridays.

- Try **not** to bring the car to school on Fridays for our Car Free Days or park away from the school to help us have a car free road on Fridays

School Council work on celebrating people with 'great-car-parking' Thursday 13th July



On 13th July, a small group of children will be outside school just before the end of the school day. They will be putting leaflets on car windscreens to let you know whether they feel you have been considerate in your parking. The children are very dedicated in making improvements so please support their cause through your parking near school.

- Please park considerately outside school and try to park away from the school where possible

Learn to Ride Your Bike Lessons Thursday 13th July

We have planned a 'Learn to ride' day with Paula from SUSTRANS on 13th July. A letter for this event was sent out with the last newsletter. Places for this have now all been allocated.



- If your child has a place on the 'learn to ride' sessions on 13th July, please remember to send their bike (with stabilisers removed) and helmet on the day

Class Swap Day 14th July

On 14th July children will spend the full day in their new class. Please take your child to their new base door in the morning and collect them from there at the end of the day. Children will have already visited their new classroom so should know where the toilets and cloakrooms are and what to do when they arrive. Please collect children from their new classroom at the end of the day.

Children moving to Emmanuel should be taken to their new classroom door in Emmanuel playground. This is the first door as you enter the gate into the Junior playground from Waterthorpe playground. (opposite the new wooden building.) If your child is moving to a new school, this may be a good day for them to visit or they can stay at Waterthorpe and help us 'induct' the new classes.

Children will be able to order dinners as usual, for free, in Emmanuel and can bring sandwiches if they wish. Please note that children moving into the Juniors will have to pay for school meals in September. In Emmanuel this is done using the online payment system in place.

- Please ensure that your child is in school on 14th July for class-swap day and is taken to their new classroom in the morning

Y2 Leaver's Assembly & Y2 Awards ~ Wednesday 19th July 9:15a.m.



On Wednesday 19th July at 9:15a.m. our Y2 children will be presenting their Leaver's Assembly for parents and families. At this assembly, we will also be presenting any awards for Y2 children (To save families having to come in again for the assembly on 20th). All children who have been in the School Council and those who have been Y2 Monitors, or regular Playtime buddies, will receive an award. We also have some other awards and we will notify parents by text if your child is going to receive one of these. We hope that every child will have someone, from their family, at the assembly to share in their celebrations.

- Parents/families of children in Yellow and Green Base: Please join us for the Y2 Leaver's and Awards Assembly on 19th July at 9:15a.m.

Attendance and Awards Assembly for Red and Blue Base 20th July 9:15a.m.



We would like to invite all families of children in Red and Blue Base to our Attendance and Awards Assembly on Thursday 20th July at 9:15a.m. At this assembly, we will be presenting awards for children who have done excellent work in our School Council. We will also be presenting awards for good attendance and for other areas where we feel children have excelled. (We will text you and let you know if your child will be receiving an award before the assembly.)

- Parents/families of children in Red and Blue Base: Please join us for the Attendance and Awards Assembly on 20th July at 9:15a.m

Y2 Fancy Dress party 20th July 1p.m.

On Thursday 20th July our Y2 children are having a fancy dress party to celebrate their time at Waterthorpe. The party will start at 1p.m. but children may wear their party clothes to school in the morning. We ask parents to provide some party food (enough cakes, crisps or other savouries for 4 children). Helpers are welcome from 1:15p.m. to help set up the hall for the party meal and to stay and help when the children come into the hall from their classes at around 2p.m.



- Please help your Y2 child choose a fancy-dress costume for our party on 20th July
- Please let the classteacher know if you would like to volunteer to help at the party and please send some party food to share on the day

Final Birthday Assembly 21st July 9:15a.m.



At our final birthday assembly of the year, we will be celebrating the birthdays of anyone who has had a birthday since the previous Friday. At this assembly, we will also celebrate holiday birthdays for Y2 as we will do F2 & Y1 holiday birthdays in September. Children may also bring any certificates/awards, they have gained outside school, to this assembly.

- Please note, we will celebrate summer holiday birthdays for Y2 only in the assembly on 21st July

Last Day of School 21st July

**Get excited for
NEW CLASSES!**

Children may bring a toy or game to school for the last day. Please ensure that it is not valuable and that it is clearly marked with their name. We are not able to take responsibility for any toys that get lost or damaged, as can happen, so please encourage your child to carefully consider what they bring in. Please do not let children bring in guns, swords or other weapon-like toys. Please also send a bag to take their things home in.

- Please allow your child to bring in a toy or game on the last day of term (21st July). Please ensure that it is not valuable and that it is clearly marked with their name

Summer Holiday Library Reading Challenge



Sheffield Libraries are running their reading Challenge over the holidays with a theme of 'Animal Agents'. To join the challenge children will need to register at their local library (Crystal Peaks) where they will be given a collector folder to start them off. As they read over the summer they have to use their 'wits and powers of observation' to sift through the clues and solve the mystery. Following the challenge, we usually have certificates sent to school, to give to children who have completed it, in September/October.

- Please visit the library and register your child to take part in the Summer Reading Challenge. The launch will be held in libraries on Saturday 15th July. For more information, Challenge go to either of the following websites:

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www.readingagency.org.uk/summerreadingchallenge

Lost Property

Lost property will be put out in the yard, towards the end of term, for you to look through. Anything left at the end of term will be placed in the clothing bin.



- Please check lost property at any time. (Ask at the office for directions to where it is.)

Request for spare clothes

Please donate any children's uniform, PE kits, trousers, pants, socks and tights that your children have outgrown. We still need to replenish our stock of spare clothes. Thank you.



- Please donate any spare clothes and PE kits to the school office

Sunny Days

Please apply sun screen/cream to your child on sunny days. As the application of cream in school is difficult to manage we would prefer you to use the sun screen/cream that only needs applying once a day as this can be done in the morning before school. If absolutely necessary, we are able to help your child apply cream but this must be brought to the office and labelled clearly with your child's name and class.



Please can children also bring a sunhat or cap to wear when playing out in the sunshine. (Please write your child's name inside the hat/cap.)

Now that the 'sandal season' is here please ensure that children have sandals that strap on their feet securely. We do not permit slip-ons or crocs as children can easily have accidents in these when running around.

- Please send your child with a sunhat or cap on sunny days and apply long-lasting suncream before school to exposed body parts
- Please ensure that any sandals strap on securely

Club News



Clubs will run until the second to last week of this term. Please note that there are no clubs in the last week.

A letter has been sent out for our Red and Blue Base parents to book clubs for next year. If your child would like to attend a club, please collect a letter from the office as places are limited. We are running the following clubs in the autumn term starting Monday 11th September:

Monday	Drama
Tuesday	Sports and Games
Thursday	Dance (until October half term) Film Club (from October half term)
Friday	Karate

Well done to our '100 hours' children, Maisie Hartley, Finlay Michie and Fayth Bellamy, who received their Children's University Gold Awards this week.



- If your child would like to attend an after-school club and they will be in Blue, Green or Yellow Base in September, please ensure that you have completed an application (available from the office)

Cleaning vacancy and Relief Cleaner/Lunchtime Supervisor

From September we have a vacancy for a cleaner in school. This post is for 10 hours per week which would be 2 hours per day 3:30p.m. to 5:30p.m. Monday to Friday term-time plus 10 hours per week in school holidays which may be grouped together i.e. all holidays hours put together over several days. If anyone is interested in this post please complete an application form, available from the school office, and return it to school. Interviews will take place at the beginning of the new term.

We are also looking for relief staff for cleaning and lunchtime supervision. For these posts you would need to be available to fill in if we had staff absence. If you are interested in either of these posts please call at the office for a job description and application form.

- If you are interested in the cleaning post or relief cleaning/Lunchtime Supervision, please call at the office for a job description and application form

Items for information:

Term Dates and Holidays

Term dates and holidays are attached for 2017~2018. These are also available on our website.

Diary of events for next Year

A list of events for next year is attached. We are currently working on a different diary format which we hope will help you see quickly which events are relevant to your child. This was the idea of one of our parents, Stephanie Bluff, and she is helping to put it together for us.

Please note dates may change so do check the most recent diaries and newsletters sent you throughout the year.

Twitter



We now have a school Twitter account! Photos and videos of activities are already being tweeted. Take a look at our video of Y2H Irish dancing. Our 'Twitter handle' is @waterthorpeNI. If you don't currently have a Twitter Account you can sign up to one on your phone or tablet through the App store or by visiting Twitter.com. Just follow us to get live feed as photos are added. The Twitter Feed is being put on our website homepage so please visit <http://www.waterthorpeinfantschool.co.uk/>

To see the latest news and photos.

Results of tests and Assessments

At Parent's Evening the teachers shared the end of year outcomes for your child. Results of individual tests and Assessments were given to parents (Red Base: Foundation Stage Profile results, Blue Base: Phonics test results, Yellow and Green Base: End of Key Stage One results and Phonics test results (where this had not been passed in Y1). If you did not attend parent's evening, and haven't had your child's results, please ask the classteacher to send them to you.

SAFE GUARDING ISSUE: PARENTS - BE AWARE.

Snapchat has had a huge update. It now shows where any of the user's (your child's) friends are at any time. It uses GPS to precisely pinpoint on a map where the users are, even changing to a car when they move quickly. Your child and other users are depicted by a Bitmoji.

Once you get onto the Snap Map it'll show you where your Snapchat friends are and what they are doing there if they share a picture. The update also allows you to upload Snaps to the "Our Story" so that anyone can see your picture.

We have had information that the "Ghost Mode", to keep it private, may not be available so please check settings if you or your children use Snapchat.

It may sound like innocent fun but if your children have their location shared then people can potentially track them down. If you zoom in enough on the map it shows you exactly where someone is such as their house!

The map shows exactly where they are which has raised serious concerns. While they would need to know your child's username, and for them to accept their friend request, to access this information it is often easy to find it online.

I urge you to check your child's settings, ensure they are set to 'ghost mode' if this is possible.

Photos of children on Social Media: Please ensure that you do not put, on social media, any photos that include children other than your own or those where you have permission from other parents. We do have a couple of children in school where parents do not want children's photos published. This is often for safeguarding reasons so it is very important that you comply with this request please.

Family of Schools (FoS) Cake Sale at Crystal Peaks

Nine schools in our family joined in with our cake sale at Crystal Peaks in June. We were delighted to raise over £300! Many thanks to everyone who contributed to this event.



SPONSORED Obstacle/Bounce



Thank you for all your kind donations. We have raised £1008.45 to date through this event. Nursery also raised £120.60 on their cake stall and tombola.

Westfield Family of Schools News



The Westfield Family of Schools (FoS) is made up of Westfield Secondary School, Waterthorpe, Beighton and Halfway Nursery Infant Schools, Brook House and Halfway Junior Schools, Shortbrook, Mosborough and Reighhead Primary Schools, and Emmanuel Junior Academy.

The Schools in the family have held litter-picking days where they have tidied up the local area. This work has been sponsored by Asda who have donated almost £1000 for Litter-picking resources for us to use during this, and future events. Many thanks to Asda and to all the volunteers who have helped with this event!

Family Picnic and Rainbow Raffle Winners



Thank you to everyone who supported this event. Everyone had a wonderful time and we raised £550.50 for school Funds from the picnic and Rainbow raffle. A special thank you to the Westfield Sports Leaders and Crystal Peaks who donated funding to provide activities to get everyone physically active!

Our Rainbow Raffle was drawn at the picnic. Thank you for all your donations for our class colour boxes. Our winners were drawn at the picnic:

- Talia Wood: Nursery ~ Yellow Box
- Lainey Hardwick: Red Base ~ Blue Box
- Finley Cartwright: Yellow Base ~ Orange Box
- Bentley Thorpe: Blue Base ~ Green Box
- Natalia Matuszewska: Blue Base ~ Red Box
- Maisie Hartley: Green Base ~ Purple Box



Sports Update

A group of children in Key Stage 1 went to the summer sports Festival at Westfield recently making up a team from Emmanuel Academy. The children had a lovely afternoon and our team came third in the competition.

Swimming for Y2 children ends on Monday. All the children have done really well and their swimming skills are much improved. Certificates showing their achievements should be available to give out at the Leaver's Assembly.



Sports Day went well, despite the unexpected rain! The children had just as much fun taking part in all the activities provided by Westfield School Sports Leaders. A display of some pictures has been put up in the school entrance area.

Travel Plan Update

On 3rd July some of our children proudly went to the Town Hall to collect our Silver Travel plan Award. See if you can spot them on this photo!



Standing News Items

This part of the newsletter is available as a separate document on the school website. If there is anything you find you need to know please check this for reference. Please let us know if you feel any other information should be added to this.

Sent home and/or available for collection from school office:

We have been sending home some of the leaflets that are brought into school by other providers. There are a variety of these available in the school entrance area, including leaflets about summer holiday events and discount vouchers in the 'Raring to Go' booklet. Please just call in and pick up any that you want.

Diary Dates 2016 ~ 2017

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| July | 10 th | Nursery Consultation Day ~ Nursery closed to children |
| | 13 th | 'Great Parking' day with School Council checks on parking |
| | 13 th | Learn to ride your bike day with Paula from SUSTRANS |
| | 14 th | Class Swap Day |
| | 19 th | Y2 Leaver's Assembly & Y2 Monitor Awards 9:15a.m. to 10a.m. |
| | 19 th | MAST drop-in 9a.m. to 10a.m. |

- 20th Attendance and Awards Assembly 9:15a.m.
 Y2 Leavers Party Day (Fancy Dress)
- 21st Toy Day
- 21st Final Birthday Assembly including Y2 summer holiday birthdays 9:15a.m.
 Break up for Summer at end of today

School Holiday Dates for 2017/18

Autumn Half Term 1

Term starts Tuesday 5th September 2017 - Thursday 26th October 2017
 Half-term holiday Monday 30th October 2017 - Friday 3rd November 2017

Autumn Half Term 2

Term starts Monday 6th November 2017 - Friday 22nd December 2017
 Christmas Holiday Monday 25th December 2017 - Friday 5th January 2017

Spring Half Term 1

Term starts Monday 8th January 2018 - Thursday 15th February 2018
 Half-term holiday Monday 19th February 2018 - Friday 23rd February 2018

Spring Half Term 2

Term starts Monday 26th February 2018 - Wednesday 28th April 2018
 Easter Holiday Friday 30th April 2018 - Friday 13th April 2018

Summer Half Term 1

Term starts Monday 16th April 2018 - Friday 25th May 2018
 May Day Holiday Monday 7th May 2018
 Spring Bank Holiday Monday 28th May 2018 - Friday 1st June 2018

Summer Half Term 2

Tuesday 5th June 2018 - Tuesday 24th July 2018

Please note that the term dates above include the following INSET days:-

Monday 4th September 2017
 Friday 27th October 2017
 Friday 16th February 2018
 Thursday 29th March 2018
 Monday 4th June 2018

Diary Dates 2017 ~ 2018

September	4 th	INSET Day ~ School closed to children
	5 th	Return to school
	7 th	New Parent's Meeting in hall
	8 th	First Merit & Birthday Assembly

RED BASE Hours for New children:

	8 th	9am-12 noon
	11 th	9am-12 noon
	12 th	9am-12 noon
	13 th	9am-12 noon
	14 th	9am-1:15pm (to include school lunch)
	15 th	9am-1:15pm
	18 th	9am-1:15pm
	19 th	9am-1:15pm
	20 th	9a.m. to 3:10p.m. (Full time from today)
	11 th	After-school clubs start this week
	13 th	MAST Drop-in (Every other Wednesday from this date)
	15 th	Food Drive Friday
	20 th	SEAL Family workshop New Beginnings theme 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. (KS1 only: Blue, Yellow and Green Bases only)
	27 th	5:30p.m. to 6:30p.m. Key Stage 1 Open Evening (Blue, Yellow & Green Base)
October	4 th	5:15p.m. Y2 parents Open Evening in Emmanuel
	5 th	Individual photos ~ Family photos from 8:15a.m.
	12 th	Green Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
	13 th	School Council Children: Conference at Rothervalley
	16 th	10 day Active Challenge starts today
	17 th	9:15a.m. English Family Workshop (KS1 only: Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
	19 th	Y1 AT (Mrs Appleby and Mrs Taylor) Blue Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
	25 th	Harvest Festival 9:15a.m.
	26 th	Halloween Disco for children in school (not Nursery) 3:15p.m. to 4:30p.m.
	26 th	Break up for Half term at end of today
	27 th	INSET Day ~ School closed to children
November	6 th	Return to school
	6 th	11:30a.m. to 4p.m. Y2 children at Crucible
	15 th	Parent's Evening 3:15p.m. to 7:15p.m.
	14 th	SEAL Family workshop ~ 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. Getting on and Falling Out theme (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)

- 16th Yellow Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
 17th Children in Need Day
 No Merit & Birthday Assembly
 22nd 9:15a.m. Red Base Family Workshop
 23rd Y1B (Miss Brooks) Blue Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
 29th Computing Family Workshop 2p.m. (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
- December 1st Pantomime ~ Jack and the Beanstalk
 No Merit and Birthday Assembly
 6th Arts/Festivals Family Workshop 5p.m. to 6p.m. (Everyone welcome)
 13th Christmas Dinner Day (non-uniform day: Children may wear Christmas jumpers/tops)
 14th Red Base Christmas Assembly 10a.m. in hall (doors open at 9:45am)
 18th No After-School Clubs this week (Does not include Kid's Club)
 19th Blue, Yellow & Green Base Nativity 2p.m. in church (doors open 1:45p.m.)
 20th Blue, Yellow & Green Base Nativity 10a.m. in church (doors open 9:45p.m.)
 21st Party Day and Christmas Draw
 21st 6p.m. Carol Singing at Crystal Peaks (tbc)
 22nd Nursery Nativity in church 9:30a.m.
 22nd Break up for Christmas at end of today
- January 8th Return to school
 12th Food Drive Friday
 15th After-school clubs start this week
 19th SEAL Family workshop ~ 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. Going for Goals theme
 No Merit and Birthday Assembly
- February 1st Green Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
 5th Maths Family Workshop 2p.m. to 3p.m. (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
 6th National Safer Internet Day 2018
 14th 3:15p.m. to 4:30p.m. Valentine Disco (School children only)
 15th Y1 AT (Mrs Appleby and Mrs Taylor) Blue Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
 15th 2:30p.m. Dance Family Workshop (Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
 15th Break up for half term at the end of today
 16th INSET Day ~ School closed to children
 26th Return to school
 28th 2pm Fair Trade Family Workshop (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
- March 1st World Book Day: Dress-up
 7th SEAL Family Workshop 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. Good to Be Me theme
 8th Y1B (Miss Brooks) Blue Base class assembly 9:15a.m.

- 9th Science Family Workshop 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
- 15th Yellow Base class assembly 9:15a.m.
- 22nd Red Base class assembly
- 23rd Sports Relief Day
- 26th No After-School Clubs this week (Does not include Kid's Club)
- 27th Easter Garden assembly 9:15a.m. to 10a.m.
- 27th Individual Reports to parents out today
- 28th Easter Egg Competition and Easter Draw (children only)
- 28th Parent's Evening 3:15p.m. to 7:15p.m.
- 28th Break up for Easter at the end of today
- 29th INSET DAY School closed to children
- 21st or 22nd March 4p.m. Singing Performance Y2 at Westfield School (tbc)
- April 16th Return to school: No After-School Clubs this week (Does not include Kid's Club)
- 30th Humanities (History/Geography) Family Workshop 2p.m. (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
- May 4th Food Drive Friday
- 7th May Day Bank Holiday
- 23rd Sponsored Bounce/Obstacle Day
- 24th Class photos
- 25th Break up for Half term at end of today
- June 4th INSET DAY School closed to children
- 5th Return to school
- 14th SEAL Family Workshop 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. Changes theme (No Merit Assembly)
- 18th Arts Week begins
- 19th Theatre Group performance for children 9:15a.m.
- 26th Design & Technology Family Workshop 9:15a.m. (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green Bases)
- 28th Red Base Class Assembly
- July 3rd Sports Morning 9:30a.m. to 11a.m.
- 4th Parent's Evening 3:15p.m. to 7:15p.m.
- 5th Blue Base class singing Assembly/performance 2:40p.m.
- 10th Family Picnic 4p.m. to 6p.m.
- 13th Nursery Consultation Day ~ Nursery closed to children
- 16th No After-School Clubs this week (Does not include Kid's Club)
- 19th Leaver's Assembly & Y2 Attendance and Awards 9:15a.m. to 10a.m.
- 20th Attendance and Awards (not Y2) Assembly & Birthdays (to include Y2 summer holidays birthdays)
- 23rd Y2 Leavers Party Day (Fancy Dress)

24th Toy Day

Break up for Summer at end of today

Please let us have any comments below, on items in this newsletter or anything else that you would like to share with us. Thank you.

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Comments:

Name and child's name/class (if you would like a response):