

Willow Tree Primary School

Newsletter

8th September 2017

Dates for your Diary

Autumn Term 2017

Monday 4th September - School opens
Friday 20th October - School breaks up for half term
Monday 30th October - INSET day
Tuesday 31st October - School re-opens
Friday 22nd December - School closes at **2.05pm**

Spring Term 2018

Monday 8th January - School opens
Thursday 8th February - School breaks up for half term
Friday 9th February - INSET Day
Monday 19th February - School re-opens
Thursday 29th March - School closes at **2.05pm**

Summer Term 2018

Monday 16th April - School opens
Monday 7th May - School closed for May Day
Friday 25th May - School breaks up for half term
Monday 4th June - INSET Day
Tuesday 5th June - School re-opens
Friday 20th July - School closes at **2.05pm**

Attendance



The Target for the school is 97% attendance for the week. In the week commencing 4th September we achieved **97%**. Well done!

Congratulations to **Poplar** class who achieved **100%!!**

NEWS, INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

Parking



Would parents and carers please be considerate when parking near school to drop off and collect their children.

We have already had complaints this week about inconsiderate parking, using residential drives to turn around in and in some instances parents/carers being rude to local residents. Please respect the residents living close to school.

@WillowPrimary



Willow Tree is on Twitter! There are tweets about work on the pool, Willow Tree sporting achievements and PTA events. If you don't have Twitter you can see all the Twitter posts on the school website.



After School and Breakfast Clubs

Clubs will start in the week commencing 25th September. Look out for the clubs booklet coming out next week with all the details!



Digital Cameras



If you have a spare old (working!) digital camera that you could donate to school please bring it to the office. Many thanks!

Games Wanted!



Cedar class would love donations of games for indoor play when it is wet outside. If you have finished with a game that may be suitable for 8+ years please bring it to the bottom hut. Thank you!

SPORTING NEWS

Miss Kirby

Miss Kirby is running a half marathon on Sunday to raise money for the mental health charity Mind.



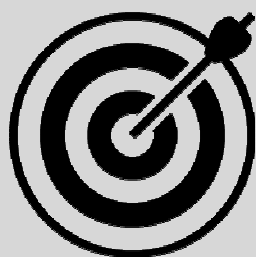
If you would like to donate please visit

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/emma-kirby16>

Sporting Events

We have lots of exciting sporting events coming up this term, including sportshall athletics, archery, cross country, football and swimming.

If your child is interested in representing Willow Tree in a sporting event please let their class teacher or Mrs Martin know.



Sporting Achievements

We would love to celebrate your child's sporting achievements.

Please let us know about any sporting activities your child participates in by emailing ***office@willowtree.n-yorks.sch.uk***.

Send us details and any photos, so we can feature your child in the school Newsletter.



PTFA NEWS



Dates for Your Diary

Bingo	Friday 22 nd September
PTFA meeting	Wednesday 27 th September 7.30 at school
Monster Bash	Thursday 19 th Oct
Christmas Fair	Friday 8 th Dec
Film Night	Friday 19 th Jan
Sponsored Bounce	Friday 23 rd Feb
Bedtime Stories	Thursday 1 st March
Easter Disco	Friday 23 rd March
Bingo	Friday 27 th April
WTGT	Thursday 14 th June
Summer Fair	Friday 29 th June



Please join our Facebook page and invite friends who have not yet joined our page. Search ***Willow Tree Primary School PTFA***.

You can use the Facebook page to ask any questions you might have, find out information as well as to share details of your service or business if you have one!

Don't forget to register for the PTFA App!

Woodlands Community Garden



The Community Garden behind the church is for everyone to use, whenever you want to! Do pop round and have a look.

If you'd like to help garden - join us 9-10am on Friday mornings in term time or 2-4pm the last Sunday afternoon in the month.