

# WALES PRIMARY

FRIDAY 22nd  
May 2026



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### Happy Spring Bank Holidays!

This has been a busy half term in school with starting off our 150 years celebrations on the field with our drone picture, open museum and in school party. We have more celebrations planned and will send details out nearer the time. Our children have represented Wales Primary on their school trips this half term and we always receive praise on their engagement and how they are excellent role models. Thank you for supporting our PTFA raise funds for school at the recent summer disco—it was lovely to see all the children dancing away in their summer outfits! Finally our Y6 children deserve a huge shout out for their resilience, hard work and determination when they faced their end of Key Stage 2 assessments. We are so proud of every single one of you and we know you are too from the smiles on your faces!

Enjoy the week off (hopefully in the sunshine)— looking forward to seeing everyone re-energised ready for the busy last half term of the year!

See you all on Tuesday 2nd June,

Mrs McDonald



## Attendance award Congratulations to...

11th to 15th May — **Y6** 100%

18th to 22nd May — **Y4** 96.7%

### DATES FOR THE DIARY

#### May

Friday 22nd School  
closes Spring bank

#### June

Monday 1st— **INSET  
Day** School closed  
for pupils

W/C Monday 8th—Y4  
Multiplication check

W/C Monday 8th—Y1  
Phonics Screen

W/C Monday 15th—  
Healthy Lifestyles  
Week inc. Sports day

Monday 29th—**INSET  
Day** School closed  
for pupils



# 150 Enterprise Project

This was a triumphant enterprise project for all KS2 during our week of 150 years celebration. Here are the results:

TOTAL: £298



Y6 = £39 (History Booklets)

Y5 = £74 (Keyrings)

Y4 = £64 (Celebratory Jam tarts)

Y3 = £121 (Bracelets)

*“The school is our children; our children make the school”*



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## Picture This!

Art Club have been busy this half term creating collaged images of our local community for this year's Rotherham Picture This Art project. A massive thank you goes out to Mrs Baxter and Mrs Hinde for sharing their expertise to support these budding artists.





**Little Chefs**

Year 1 have been learning about food hygiene, food preparation and healthy foods this half term. The children have designed and made healthy breakfast pots using kitchen tools and fresh fruit. They all enjoyed taste testing their creations in order to evaluate their final product.



**ARTS & CRAFTS**

**JUNGLE GYM**

**LOTS OF FUN GAMES & ACTIVITIES**

**CLUB**

**BAKING**

**DEN BUILDING**

**MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY DATES**

**@ WALES HIGH SCHOOL**

**AGES 5+**



**1 Day £20 or both days £35**  
**10-3pm**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> MAY**  
**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> MAY**

**TEXT 07794991614 TO BOOK**

**Early drop off**  
**available from**  
**8.45 am**  
**£5 Extra**



FS2 children walked to Kiveton library last week. They listened carefully to a story and explored the fantastic selection of books. They all chose a story each to take back to school. We have enjoyed sharing each other's books and listening to some at home time. We hope this has inspired another generation of children to read for pleasure and grow their love of books and develop their reading skills.





**WILD CATS**  
GIRLS' FOOTBALL

The perfect way for girls ages 5-11 to get involved with football



**KPFC**  
EST. 1881  
KIVETON PARK FOOTBALL CLUB



**SIGN UP**



**Tuesdays 5pm-6pm – S26 5QQ**  
Cost - First session free!  
Then just £3 per session



**ENGLAND FOOTBALL**

## Fidget Tools – Information for Parents/Carers

We recognise that some children benefit from the use of fidget tools to support their focus and engagement in learning.

### What are fidget tools used for?

Fidget tools are small items designed to help some children regulate their attention, manage sensory needs and stay focused during learning activities. When used appropriately, they can support concentration and reduce anxiety.

### Individual suitability

Fidget tools do not work for all children. In some cases, they may become a further distraction rather than a support, either for the child using them or for others in the classroom.

### Safety guidance

For safety reasons, any fidget tools brought into school **must not contain liquid**, as these items can break and may pose a risk if the contents are harmful or toxic. Foam stress balls are a safer alternative, however, something as simple as blue tac offers the same tactile sensory input.

### Agreement with school

Fidget tools should **only be used following a discussion with the class teacher who will discuss this with Mrs Lax (SENDCo)**. This ensures that their use is appropriate and supports the child's needs within the classroom environment.

### Monitoring and review

Where a fidget tool is agreed, its use will be **carefully monitored by staff** to ensure it is effective. If it is found to be distracting or not beneficial, its use may be reviewed or withdrawn.

We appreciate your support in helping us provide a safe and productive learning environment for all children.

## POLITE REMINDERS

- ◆ For **emergency and urgent messages**, plus notification of medical appointments please contact the school office:

**Tel:** 01909 770236      **email:** school@walesprimary.co.uk

- ◆ To contact your child's teacher regarding their learning and/or behaviour please use their email address. This can be found on your child's class web page: [www.walesprimary.co.uk](http://www.walesprimary.co.uk)
- ◆ Ensure your child(ren) have a **water** bottle everyday.
- ◆ Ensure your child's uniform is **name labelled**, including their coats.
- ◆ Children bring their **reading book and diary** to school everyday.
- ◆ Any **lost property** will be stored in the entrance to the school hall. It can be collected at the end of the school day with a parent/carer.
- ◆ **P.E kits** are to be worn on the day of your child's P.E lesson. No football kits or gymnastics outfits are allowed.
- ◆ Break time snacks must be **fruit or vegetables only**.
- ◆ If your child is entering school by themselves please be aware that the school **gates are locked until 8:30am**.



## School uniform



Plain blue or white polo shirt



Plain navy blue cardigan



Plain navy blue jumper/ zip up jacket



Plain navy blue/ black/ grey trousers, shorts or skirt



Blue gingham dress

## PE



Plain white t-shirt



Navy blue/ black shorts or joggers



Navy blue zip up jacket

## SEND and sensory needs

We understand that some children have different sensory needs and the feeling of fabrics can pose difficulties for a child. Where reasonable adjustments need to be made to uniform, we ask that you speak to the SENDCo (Mrs Lax) and the adjusted uniform matches our school colours above.

# May Half Term Holiday

with **Skills Street & The Work-wise Foundation**

Hands-on activities, creative challenges, and exciting experiments for the whole family!



**Flight  
Challenges**



**Explore  
STEM**



**Recycling  
Activity**



**and much  
more!**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

Skills Street, Sheffield  
S26 5QW

**AM Session: 9:30am - 12:00pm**

**PM Session: 1:00pm - 3:30pm**

**£10 Per Child**

**Adults go FREE**



# VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED!

HELP MAKE OUR

# SUMMER FAIR and Family Picnic

A DAY TO REMEMBER!

WE NEED ANY HELP WITH:

- ♥ STALLS & GAMES
- SET UP & CLEAR DOWN

WHETHER YOU CAN  
SPARE AN HOUR  
OR THE WHOLE DAY,  
**EVERY ANY HELP**  
MAKES A DIFFERENCE!



PLEASE **GET IN TOUCH** IF YOU CAN  
OFFER ANY HELP –  
WE'D LOVE TO HEAR  
FROM YOU!

✉ [walesptfa@gmail.com](mailto:walesptfa@gmail.com)

TOGETHER  
WE CAN  
CREATE  
SOMETHING  
AMAZING!

WE NEED YOUR HELP WITH:



## TOMBOLA ITEMS

New and unused  
gifts, toys, stationery,  
toiletries, alcohol,  
hair accessories, *etc.*



## WINE



## BOTTLE BAGS



## LOAN OF GAZEBOS

  
COLLECTION  
DATE TO BE  
CONFIRMED  
FOR NEXT TERM.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING MAKE OUR  
SUMMER FAIR **A SUCCESS!**

A vibrant, colorful illustration for a summer fair and family picnic. The background is a bright blue sky with a smiling yellow sun, white clouds, and a string of colorful triangular bunting flags. In the foreground, there's a red and white checkered picnic blanket with a wicker basket, a pitcher of lemonade, lemons, a basket of strawberries, a watermelon slice, and a vase of daisies. In the background, there's a red and white striped tent, a colorful playground slide, and a blue castle-like structure. The text is arranged in a central, eye-catching layout.

SAVE  
THE  
DATE!

SUMMER  
FAIR  
AND  
Family Picnic



FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2026

♥ ORGANISED BY ♥  
WALES PRIMARY PTFA

FUN  
GAMES  
STALLS  
FOOD ♥  
AND MORE!