



Dear Parents,

Here we are at the end of another extremely busy term and it seems like a very long time since January!! It is also the end of my first term with you here at Warmingtton and I would like to thank everyone – parents, staff, pupils, governors – everyone associated with the school for the warm welcome and support that I have been given from Day 1. I'd also like to thank you for the many congratulatory messages I have received since my appointment to the permanent Executive Headteacher role earlier this month. It is brilliant to be working here and to have regular chats with you about the school and the future. It was a very easy decision for me to apply for the post because both of the schools in the Unity are fantastic and so keen to keep moving forward and developing. They are also very special places with a wonderful atmosphere, brilliant pupils and staff and, while staff know that the schools are great, they don't take it for granted and are always looking for new ways to make things even better. So, a big thank you from me to everyone for your welcome, kindness and continued support.

Diary Dates for Term 4 and beyond

**Dates in bold have been amended from previous dates*

School Closed to pupils end of Term 4	Friday 31 st March	3.15 p.m.
Teacher Training Day	Tuesday 18 th April	
School re-opens to pupils for Term 5	Wednesday 19 th April	8.50 am.
Year 5 & 6 Sex Ed talk with School Nurse	Thursday 20 th April	1.30 pm
▶ Years 3-5 Mini Basketball Finals at PWS	Thursday 20 th April	4.00 - 5.30 pm
York Residential (Year 4)	Wednesday 26 th to Friday 28 th April	9.00 am
Swimming starts for years 1,3,4 and 5	Friday 28 th April	9.15 am
May Day Holiday - school closed	Monday 1 st May	
School re-opens to pupils	Tuesday 2 nd May	8.50 am
Y6 SATS week	Monday 8 th - Friday 12 th May	
▶ Hockey Tournament Years ¾ at PWS	Thursday 11 th May	4.00 - 5.30 pm
▶ Year 6 Govilon Residential Information Meeting	Monday 15 th May	3.25 pm
Year 6 Uniform Open Evening at PWS	Tuesday 23 rd May	5.15-7.15 pm
School Closed to pupils end of Term 5	Friday 26 th May	3.15 pm
School re-opens to pupils for Term 6	Monday 5 th June	8.50 am
▶ Badgers Class WWII Trip to Stibbington	Monday 5 th June	9.15 am
▶ Summer Fete & Maypole dancing	Saturday June 10th	1.30 pm onwards
▶ Year 3/4 Tennis Tournament at PWS	Thursday 15 th June	4.00-5.30 pm
Badgers Class Assembly	Thursday 22 nd June	2.45pm
Hedgehogs Class Assembly	Thursday 29 th June	2.45pm
▶ Whole school Food and Farming Day at East of England	Friday 30 th June	All day
▶ Parents Evening for New Intake (Reception) 2017	Tuesday 4 th July	7.00 pm
▶ Sports Morning	Wednesday 5 th July	9.30 am
PFA AGM	Wednesday 5 th July	7.30 pm
Red Kites Class Assembly	Thursday July 6 th	2.45pm
▶ Year 6 Govilon Residential	Monday 10 th - Friday 14 th July	9.00 am
Foxes Class Assembly	Thursday July 13 th	2.45pm
Whole school Move up day	Monday 17 th July	9.00 am
▶ Year 6 PWS Transition days	Monday 17 th & Tuesday 18 th July	All day
▶ PFA whole school picnic	Thursday 20 th July	2.00 pm
▶ Leavers/End of Year Assembly	Friday 21 st July	9.15 am
School Closed to pupils end of Term 6	Friday 21 st July	3.15 pm
▶ Further details to follow		

Robin's Nest



I would like to extend a big welcome to Luca, Tony and Barclay the 3 new "**Robins**" who have joined us this term.

Rotary Shoe box Appeal



A big thank you to all parents and friends who filled boxes for the Rotary Shoe box appeal. The boxes have been picked up by the Rotary club and will be distributed to families in need.

Sporting Success!



A big thank you to all the KS2 children who regularly take part in the after school sports competitions. Recent successes include **making it to the finals of the Lower KS2 Mini Basketball Championships and winning the recent Tag Rugby Competition**. We are very proud of the effort and fair play that our pupils show. Thank you also to parents for transporting the children to and from the events and for your continued support.

Y1, 3, 4 & 5 Swimming Lessons



Swimming lessons will commence after the Easter Break on Friday 28th April (although Year 4's will be in York for the first week). A letter has been sent home detailing what your child will need. Children in Year 2 and 6 will start swimming in Term 6.

KS1 & KS2 SATS



For our Year 2 and Year 6 pupils, the weeks after the Easter holiday will see a build-up towards the SATs. A letter has gone out to all parents in Year 6.

Red Nose Day Update



A huge 'Thank You' to everyone that contributed to our Red Nose Day collections. Including the selling of our cakes, we managed to raise an amazing **£145.45** for this very worth-while cause.

Usborne book fairs and sponsored read



Fantastic news from our recent Usborne Book Fair as the total sponsorship and pledges raised was £482.28; with the orders from the book fair of £188.75 this brought the total to £671.03!

This opened up the 60% FREE books which mean we will be receiving **£940** worth of books!

A very big thank you to **Mrs Kerry Nicholls** who gave her time to organise and run the events.

Scholastic Book fair



We also had an amazing result at our Scholastic book fair raising **£501.71** which means that we have **£188.51** to spend on books.

Thank you for your generosity and support which means that we can purchase some much needed fiction and non-fiction books for our library.

House Keeping



Breakfast Club

Please could we remind parents that Breakfast Club does not open **until 7.55 am each day**. Thank you.

Name tags – Uniform!



Please could we ask parents to ensure that **ALL** items of uniform are named please and also to check that they have their own child's uniform at home, as several items of uniform (mainly sweatshirts/ cardigans) have gone missing lately. Please also check the lost property boxes in the cloakrooms before half term as all unclaimed items will be taken to a charity shop after the break. Many thanks.

Over the coming term, please look out for various opportunities to come into school to discuss the next steps with me. We are looking at combining events such as the Class Assemblies with a coffee morning or afternoon so that the demands on your time aren't too onerous and, as always, you are welcome to have a chat with me before and after school and with Miss Aldous, if I am not around. Thank you again for your support and I wish you not only a restful and peaceful Easter holiday but also a safe one for you and your family.

Yours sincerely,

Mr E Carlyle
Executive Headteacher