



NORTH WALKDEN PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

8th September 2023

Headteacher's Weekly Awards - WELL DONE TO OUR STARS OF THE WEEK

All the children get a special mention in the Achievement assembly on Friday and will bring home a certificate detailing the reason for their award.

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Candace Orlando	Henry Aiden	Chanel Nico	Archie Otis	George Ivy	Molly Byron	Klay Jessica	Ritvik Ruby

Welcome back everyone and a special welcome to our new Nursery and Reception children. I have to say I have been very impressed with how our newest members to the North Walkden family have settled in and are enjoying their new adventure. I hope mums and dads haven't found it too hard to let go!

There will be lots of information shared with you as we move through the year so please ensure you are logged in to School Spider, registered on The Evolve Hub and also the Parent Portal. Invitation to register and password reset emails will be sent next week for anyone who needs one so please keep an eye on your emails. If you have any issues with these system just get in touch with the school office who will be happy to help you.

We have lots of exciting events planned so far and we like to give parents/carers as much notice as possible so take a look at the diary dates below and make a note on your calendars at home for anything relevant to your child. The newsletters are all available on the school website also here

<https://www.northwalkdenprimaryschool.co.uk/page/newsletters/25109> so you can always take a look.

Here are some polite reminders.

Safe Arrival and Collection: If you arrive by car please use the car park across the road at Blackleach, we ask that you **do not** drive into Whittle Drive so that we can keep everyone safe during this busy time. Parents/carers are not permitted to use the school car park to drop off and pick up, this includes afterschool clubs.

Dogs: Please do not bring your dog to school for drop off or pick up. They are not permitted on the premises and cannot be left unattended. We would advise that children do not approach dogs if unsupervised.

PE Days and Swimming: Please note the days below for PE and swimming. On these days children should come to school in their PE kits.

Reception – PE on FRIDAY

Year 1 – PE on MONDAY

Year 2 – PE on MONDAY

Year 3 – PE on TUESDAY / Swimming on Thursday from 14.09.23 – 09.11.23

Year 4 – PE on TUESDAY

Year 5 – PE on WEDNESDAY

Year 6 - PE on WEDNESDAY

TUESDAY 17 TH OCTOBER	CHESTER ZOO TRIP	8.45- 3.30	YEARS 1-6
WEDNESDAY 18 TH OCTOBER	STAFF MEETING- BOOK LOOKS AND SUBJECT LEADER TIME	3.30-4.45	TEACHERS ECT'S PLANNING TIME
THURSDAY 19 TH OCTOBER	NURSERY STAY AND PLAY	9-10	NURSERY PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY 19 TH OCTOBER	END OF HALF TERM SINGING SHOWCASE	1.15-1.45	YEARS 1-6 CHILDREN
FRIDAY 20 TH OCTOBER	PARENTS' COFFEE MORNING	9-10	ALL PARETNS WELCOME LB/JB
FRIDAY 20 TH OCTOBER	SCHOOL FINISHES FOR HALF TERM	3.15PM	ALL CLASSES
MONDAY 30 TH OCTOBER	SCHOOL RE-OPENS	8.45AM	ALL CLASSES
TUESDAY 31 ST OCTOBER	PUMPKIN CARVING COMPETITION - ALL CHILDREN INVITED TO BRING A CARVED PUMPKIN TO SCHOOL	9AM	ALL CLASSES
WEDNESDAY 1 ST NOVEMBER	YEAR 1 FAMILY TIME WORKSHOP	9-10AM	YEAR ONE PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY 2 ND NOVEMBER	EYFS BONFIRE NIGHT WORKSHOP	9-10AM	EYFS PARENTS WELCOME
THURSDAY 2 ND NOVEMBER	YEAR 5 'BOYS TO MEN' WORKSHOP STARTS	11.15- 12.15	YEAR 5 CLASS
MONDAY 6 TH NOVEMBER	FLU VACCINATIONS R-YEAR 6	9-3.00	ANY CHILD WITH PARENTAL CONSENT
THURSDAY 9 TH NOVEMBER	YEAR 3 LAST SWIM SESSION	1-3	YEAR 3
FRIDAY 10 TH NOVEMBER	2 MINUTES SILENCE IN CLASS	11AM	YEARS 2-6
MONDAY 13 TH NOVEMBER	PARENTS EVENING 1 PHONECALL OPTION	3.15-5.15	ALL CLASSES
WEDNESDAY 15 TH NOVEMBER	PARENTS EVENING 1 FACE TO FACE OPTION	3.20-6.30	EYFS TO YEAR 6
THURSDAY 16 TH NOVEMBER	YEAR 5 FIRST SWIMMING SESSION	1.30-3.00	YEAR 5
THURSDAY 16 TH NOVEMBER	YEAR 6 CATCH UP SWIMMING SESSIONS STARTS	1.30-3.00	SELECTED YEAR 6
FRIDAY 24 TH NOVEMBER	LUXURY CHRISTMAS HAMPER ITEM IN EXCHANGE FOR EXTRA PLAY		ALL CLASSES
MONDAY 27 TH NOVEMBER	HAMPER RAFFLE TICKETS TO GO ON SALE	12.00	ALL CLASSES
THURSDAY 30 TH NOVEMBER	NURSERY STAY AND PLAY- MATHS FOCUS	9-10.00	NURSERY PARENTS
FRIDAY 1 ST DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS ACTIVITY DAY	10.00- 3.00	ALL CLASSES
MONDAY 4 TH DECEMBER	EYFS NATIVITY DRESS REHEARSAL SHOW FOR SCHOOL	10.00	YEARS 1-6 TO WATCH
MONDAY 4 TH DECEMBER	SUPPER WITH SANTA KEY STAGE 1	3.15 -4.15	KEY STAGE 1 CHILDREN
TUESDAY 5 TH DECEMBER	EYFS NATIVITY PLAY FOR PARENTS	9.15	EYFS PARENTS
TUESDAY 5 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 1 CHRISTMAS SHOW FOR SCHOOL	10.30 APPROX	YEARS R AND KEY STAGE 2 TO WATCH

WEDNESDAY 6 TH DECEMBER	EYFS NATIVITY PLAY FOR PARENTS	9.15	EYFS PARENTS
WEDNESDAY 6 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 1 CHRISTMAS SHOW FOR PARENTS	2.15	KEY STAGE 1 PARENTS
THURSDAY 7 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 1 CHRISTMAS SHOW FOR PARENTS	9.15	KEY STAGE 1 PARENTS
FRIDAY 8 TH DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY	ALL DAY	ALL CLASSES
FRIDAY 8 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 2 CHRISTMAS CONCERT FOR SCHOOL	10.00	SCHOOL TO WATCH
FRIDAY 8 TH DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS DINNER DAY	11-1.30	ALL CLASSES
MONDAY 11 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 2 CHRISTMAS CONCERT FOR PARENTS	9.15AND 2.30	KEY STAGE 2 PARENTS
TUESDAY 12 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 2 MOVIE AFTERNOON	1-3.00	KEY STAGE 2
WEDNESDAY 13 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 2 OPERA HOUSE TRIP- JACK AND THE BEANSTALK	12-4.00	KEY STAGE 2
WEDNESDAY 13 TH DECEMBER	KEY STAGE 1 PARTY AFTERNOON (PARTY CLOTHES ALL DAY)	1.30-3.00	KEY STAGE 1
THURSDAY 14 TH DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS HAMPER TICKET WINNERS DRAW		SCHOOL COUNCIL TO DRAW THE WINNERS
THURSDAY 14 TH DECEMBER	EYFS CHRISTAS PARTY AFTERNOON (PARTY CLOTHES ALL DAY)	1-3.00	EYFS
FRIDAY 15 TH DECEMBER	NO ACHIEVMENT ASSEMBLY TODAY		
FRIDAY 15 TH DECEMBER	SCHOOL CLOSES	2:00PM	WHOLE SCHOOL

Kind regards, Mrs Warburton