

# Asterdale Primary School

## Newsletter No. 6 June 2022



### Covid Update

I am delighted to inform you that there is no update on COVID and no reported cases at school!

### Information for June

#### PTFA

Once again, our PTFA did a fantastic job of arranging our Jubilee School Fayre on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June. The weather was fantastic, and it was great to see so many of you there! I know the children loved the free bouncy castles and free books from the bookstall. It was great to see so many of you enjoying a picnic, watching the dancing and listening to our outdoor disco! There were fantastic entries for the Bake-Off competition and superb raffle hamper prizes. We marked the event by planting an oak tree at the front of the school donated by the PTFA which was skilfully planted by our School Council!

Our PTA have a planned whole school disco from 6-7pm on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July.

Our PFTA have kindly donated Leavers' T-shirts for all our Year 6s and a goody bag which will be presented on the last day of term!

### Dates for your Diary:

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July after school PTFA tuckshop

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July Sports Day morning – all parents' welcome! The PTA will be selling breakfast items for parents – tea / coffee croissants and pastries!

Open afternoon for all parents to visit school to see pupils work and chat to staff – Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July from 2:30pm

Year 6 leavers' concert – 2pm Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July

(Year 6 parents only to attend please

2 seats for adults available per pupil)

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – last day of term – school picnic day at lunchtime.

September Term: Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September and Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September are INSET days.

### Latest News

#### SCHOOL SUMMER TRIPS REMINDER

Fantastic Trips are planned for all our children next month!

Nursery: Gulliver's Kingdom – 8<sup>th</sup> July

Reception: White Post Farm – 7<sup>th</sup> July

Years 1 - 5: Yorkshire Wildlife Park - 6<sup>th</sup> July

Year 6: Trip – 15<sup>th</sup> July

#### Transition Days for Year 6

Tues 5<sup>th</sup>, Wed 6<sup>th</sup> and Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> July are 3 days when Year 6 will be visiting their new schools. We wish them all the best!

#### Healthy Eating Week

We recently celebrated Healthy Eating Week with all pupils being provided with breakfast such as cereals, porridge and fruit for a day! All the breakfast items were donated by the PTFA.

#### School Photographs

Our school photographer was in last week and took some lovely group photographs of our classes outside. They are available to order now!

#### Reading at School

A new phonics scheme has been purchased for school called Little Wandle and will be taught from September. Our staff are working extremely hard preparing materials, sourcing resources and training to ensure that this fantastic new teaching resource will maximise the learning of phonics and empower our children to be super readers!

If any parents would like to come into school to listen to our fantastic pupils read, please fill in a volunteers form at Reception and ask to speak to Mrs Sheard or Mrs Edwards! We would love you to help!

#### Attendance

Thank you for your ongoing support with attendance – if you have any queries or issues – please consult the recent letter sent out or call in to see us!

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