

### Important Dates

**Monday 21st May**—Y5 Open Maths Lesson— Parents invited 9am-10am.  
**Monday 21st May**—Y3 Open Art Lesson—Parents invited 1.30pm-2.30pm  
**Tuesday 22nd May**—Y5 Trip to Dog and Cat Shelter.  
**Tuesday 22nd May**—Y6 Swimming Assessment.  
**Wednesday 23rd May**—Y1 Open Art Session-Parents invited 2.30pm-3.30pm  
**Thursday 24th May**—Non Uniform Day—fine bottles/chocolates.  
**Thursday 24th May**—Break up for Half-Term  
**Friday 25th May**—Teacher Training Day (school closed to all pupils)  
**Week commencing Monday 2nd June**—DT Week.  
**Monday 4th June**—All pupils return back to school.  
**Tuesday 5th June**—Y3 Swimming lessons begin, Every Tuesday & Thursday 2pm  
**Thursday 7th June**—Y5 Broomley Grange meeting –parents invited 9am.  
**Wednesday 20th June**—Y1 English Poetry Lesson-Parents invited 9.15am-10.15am  
**Thursday 21st June** —Y5 Taster day at Kenton School.  
**Thursday 21st June**—Year 5 Parents Evening at Kenton.  
**Monday 25th June**—Winning Castle Trip.  
**Tuesday 26th June**—Y2 Trip to Beamish Museum.  
**Tuesday 26th June & Wednesday 27th June**—Y5 Bikeability Level 2  
**Wednesday 27th June**—YN&YR Sports Day-Nursery to attend in the afternoon on this day—parents invited 1.30pm-3.30pm.  
**Wednesday 27th June**—Y2 Celebration Event-parents invited 2.10pm-3.15pm.  
**Thursday 28th June**—KS1 & KS2 Sports Day. More information to be shared nearer the time.  
**Monday 2nd July-Friday 13th July**—Y6 Transition to Kenton School.  
**Tuesday 3rd July**—Y1 Celebration Event-Parents invited 2.30pm-3.15pm  
**Wednesday 4th July**—YN-Y5 Reports Sent Out.  
**Thursday 5th July**—Y5 Celebration Event-Parents invited 9.15am-10.15am.  
**Thursday 5th July**—Early Years Celebration Event - Nursery to attend in the afternoon on this day - parents invited 2.30-3.30pm.  
**Thursday 5th July**—Y4 Celebration Event-Parents Invited 2.30pm-3.30pm.  
**Week Commencing Monday 9th July**—YR-Y6 Class Transitions.  
**Friday 6th July**—Summer Fair 2.30pm.  
**Monday 9th July**—KS1 & KS2 Parents Invited into their child’s new class 2.45pm-3.15pm.  
**Tuesday 10th July**—Y1 Trip to Walker Activity Dome.  
**Monday 16th July**—Y6 Reports Sent Out.  
**Friday 20th July**—Break up for Summer Term.

### Nursery places

Do you know a child who is age 3-4 and that loves to play and learn. We still have a few FREE places available for Nursery. Please call into the school office to collect a application form.

### Broomley Grange

We would like to invite all Year 5 parents/carers into school on Thursday 7th June at 9am to meet with Miss Cullen to discuss our annual residential trip to Broomley Grange that will take place in September.

### In assembly this week...

We continued to discuss this half-term core value ‘caring’. We discussed trying to get along and care for everyone whether we feel they are just like us or different. You could ask your child about the two games of pairs that we played and how they relate to us.

### Huge well done

A huge well done to all of Year 6 and Year 2 for their extra hard work this week during SATs.

### Important Dates

As you can see we have a lot of events taking place up until the end of the Summer term. We have added these to give you as much notice as possible. Please keep a look out on the ‘important dates’ section of the newsletter and facebook as these will be updated on a weekly basis.

Each half term we will be focusing on one of our core School Values. This half term our school value is **Caring**. Assemblies and awards will be focused around this theme. Please ask your child about our theme and what they have been learning.



### Successful Learners

- YR-Dominic** for caring about the younger children in Early Years. Helping Playgroup and Nursery.  
Taylor for caring about his friends at lunchtime-helping with the salad plate.
- Y1-Noah** for focusing upon the presentation of your work and taking care to improve in each lesson.  
Ebony for working very hard in phonics and your caring about making progress.
- Y2- Ibrahim** for great work caring about the presentation of his work.  
Elif for ensuring others know how to be successful in their tasks.
- Y3- Ayat** for caring about the environment and helping to garden during break and lunch.  
Awais for caring about saving electricity and making sure Miss McKay has turned the board off.
- Y4- Qirat** for caring about those around her and for always having a positive attitude.  
Alexander for caring about other religions and being interested in the lesson.
- Y5- Scarlett** for always being a good friend, showing a caring attitude to all of her peers.  
Lewis for promoting great leadership this week be explaining the importance of respect and having a caring attitude towards others.
- Y6-** for an amazing effort this week during SATs and in the run up to SATs.

### EY Royal Wedding Garden Party

Royal wedding fever hit Wyndham today; we are so excited for the big day tomorrow! The children looked very patriotic in our red, white and blue clothes and some of us looked extremely royal in our prince and princess outfits! The children thoroughly enjoyed their garden party in Early Years and may be finding blossom confetti in their hair for the next couple of days!



### SMART– New Half-Term Attendance challenge

Registration Group	%
Year 5	98%
Year 1	98%
Year 3	98%
Year 6	97%
Year 4	97%
Year 2	97%

#### Y5 Open Maths Lesson

Year 5 would like to invite all parents/carers into school on Monday 21st May at 9am to join the children in their Maths lesson.

#### Year 4 Trip to Walker Activity Dome

Year 4 have had a lovely afternoon at Walker Activity Dome on Tuesday. They played lots of different games involving teamwork with children from other



#### Careers Fair

- \*Do you own your own business?
- \*Are you a professional person who has many skills?
- \*Do you have a trade?

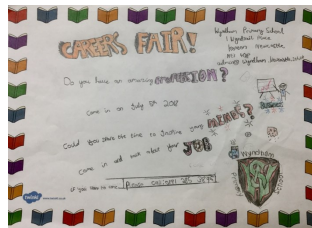
As part of our year 5 project: 'What opportunities do I have in the future?' we are looking for amazing individuals to come to Wyndham on Thursday 5th July 09.00-11.00

to talk to the pupils about their exciting jobs at our careers fair. Could you spare the time to help inspire young minds? If so, we want to hear from you!

Contact Mrs Gathercole using the above details.

Thank you for your time!

Created by Patrick and Year 5

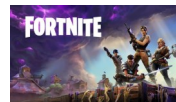


#### DT Week

Do any parents or guardians have any Design Technology skills in construction, textiles, cooking, mechanics or electronics? If so please contact Miss McKay Year 3 Class teacher as we are looking for workshops/sessions to help us carry out our DT Week! Thank you to those parents/grandparents who have already been in touch and are coming in to help.

#### E-Safety Message

Even though it has a recommendation of 12+ we are also aware that some pupils within school are accessing or watching others play the game Fortnite. The link below provides parents with some extra information about the game: <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/fortnite-battle-royale-pa.../>  
Fortnite: Battle Royale Parents guide National Online...  
[nationalonlinesafety.com](https://nationalonlinesafety.com)



ready to leave for the start line at 10.05am. Even if you have not signed up to run with the school please come and join us for a pre-run photograph. There will be a member of staff running the 5 mile and 3 mile run so let them know when you get there if you'd like to run with them. There will also be staff holding the school banner at the end of the run - a good meeting place for independent runners and parents. Want to take part but haven't registered? It's not too late - you can sign up on the day. Check out the website for further information: <https://www.neccr.org.uk/event/childrens-cancer-run-2018/on-the-day/>

#### Primary Engineer Leaders Awards

Earlier this year the children in Year 5 completed the Primary Engineer Leaders Award and their work focused upon the question "If you were an Engineer- what would you do?" As part of the award, the children researched engineering. They then created questions for an engineer and completed an online interview with an engineer to assist in their understanding of engineering principles and find out about the engineers' career paths, jobs, etc. This resulted in the children identifying a problem and inventing a solution to solve that problem. Finally, the children wrote a description of their invention in the form of a Pitch Letter describing their invention. The entries were judged and all of the children were praised for their efforts, with some of the children receiving Merits/Distinctions. Well done to everyone in Year 5 - we are very proud of your efforts!!

Merits were awarded to: Aaron, Fatih, Kaycee, Leo Vout and Zara. With distinctions being awarded to: Chloe Harvey and Rhys. As Chloe and Rhys received distinctions their inventions will also be on display at the Public Exhibition to be held at the Discovery Museum on May 25<sup>th</sup> from 09:00 - 15:30. If you would like to attend the public exhibition you can register for free tickets using the link below:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-north-east-leaders-awards-2018-public-exhibition-tickets-43744461863>

#### Questionnaire re: Project KS2 Yard

The Parents and Friends Association in conjunction with school staff and pupils would like to work together with the local community on a project to enhance the Key Stage 2 yard. This year Wyndham Primary school will celebrate its 60th anniversary and we are hoping to create a play area/art installation that celebrates this milestone and enhances the yard. The PFA have put together a short survey to gather data to help get this project underway. We would like to encourage parents to complete this survey in the link below alongside their children, which should take no longer than 5 minutes to complete. We will keep you all updated with the project as it progresses via Facebook and on the school newsletter.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/wyndhampfa>

#### Living Streets Walk to School

On Monday 21st May sees the start of Living Streets Walk to School Week. At Wyndham we are great at walking to school, with most children being awarded their badges for walking to school at least once a week every month, but for those who are still a bit hesitant check out the fab FAMILY WALK TO SCHOOL KIT - full of tips to make the walk to school safer, easier and more fun - at the following link:

<https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/.../family-walk-to-school-ki...>

