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## Newsletter 20<sup>th</sup> June 2025

We've had another fantastic week of learning and laughter here at WWB! The classrooms have been buzzing with creativity, curiosity, and achievement! There have been lots of exciting lessons and outdoor activities as well as many moments of kindness and teamwork - it's been a joy to see our school community shine! Have a lovely weekend in the sunshine.

### **Ribble Valley Running Success!**

Congratulations to these amazing runners, Josh and Bruce, who represented Ribble Valley, along with children from other local schools, in the county cross country event at Towneley Park on Tuesday. They did amazingly and came 30th and 27th out of 152 runners! Ribble Valley won overall 😊

Well done to you both! 🏆🏃



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## Year 1 visit to church

On Tuesday, Year 1 went to St Helens Church 🏰 Rev'd Christopher carried out a mock baptism of our class baby doll. He also told us all about the history of the church. The children really enjoyed the experience. Thank you Rev'd Christopher ❤️



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## Forest School

In our Forest School this week, Year 2 created some amazing leaf 🌿 insects 🐞🐛

They made shelters, 🪵 whittled sticks and made fishing rods. They also continued to practice with the flint and steel and perfected their tree climbing skills!



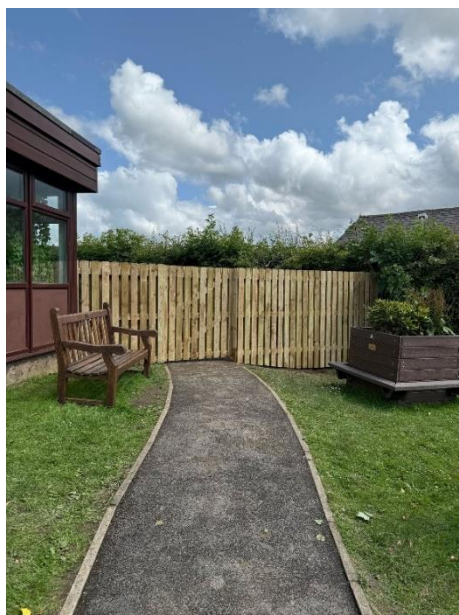
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## **A huge thank you!**

This weekend a group of wonderful parents (and some of their children!) came and built us this fence so we can have a secure outdoor play area for our year 1 pupils!

Not many schools are as lucky as us! We have the most amazing community of parents who constantly support us in our endeavours to be the best school we can possibly be for our pupils and staff. This is just another example of the kindness and generosity that we are surrounded by and we are so very grateful! 🙏

Thank you to everyone who helps us to constantly evolve with our vision of excellence and happiness at the centre of everything we do ❤️



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## Year 1 Maths

Amazing Maths work this morning in Year 1. Practical work to understand capacity and volume, and measurement in litres and millilitres. Thank you to some of the amazing Reception parents who built our new fence, we have been able to take our learning safely outside!



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## **Father's Day Stay and Play**

What a wonderful Father's Day stay and play we had in Reception last week. ❤️  
Thank you to everyone who came along and we hope you enjoyed it!



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## **Unattended Children in the Morning**

We have noticed that more and more children are being dropped off early and left alone. We appreciate that people need to get to work but we have to think about the safety of the pupils as **we do not have responsibility for them until 8.40am**. We've been worried that if a child was to have an accident or something similar, staff wouldn't know that they are out there unsupervised. **Please be mindful of this and do not leave your child here unattended before 8.40am.**

Thank you

## **Wasp Club Bookings**

Please can we remind all parents about the importance of pre-booking your child into Wasp club with as much notice as possible. Since February half term, we've had over 100 incidents where children haven't been booked on in time and we are left having to ring parents after school and trying to find out where children should be. School is extremely busy, and we try to be as organised as possible, so this causes quite a lot of disruption for staff at the end of the day. This term is very busy and we ask that all parents check their calendars from now until the end of term and book their children in for the days that they need in order to help us be as organised as possible.

We also do understand that sometimes emergencies happen and things are out of people's control and we will always be happy to help.

Thank you for your continued support with this.

## **School Meals Cost**

From September, the cost of a school lunch will increase from £2.70 to £2.90. This increase is due to increased charges and costs from Lancashire County Council.

Reminder – if your child is changing from school lunches to packed lunch, please let the office know before the end of the term so we can inform the kitchen. In September, Y2 children moving into Y3 will no longer be entitled to a free school meal and meals will be charged via Parentpay.

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## **Easy Fundraising**

The PTA have kindly set up an 'easy fundraising' page linked to our school. If you use the link below when doing your online shopping, a % is then sent to school for you using the site to access the websites you buy from. We would be so grateful if anyone would be happy to use this when shopping online.

[Friends Of WWB Fundraising | Easyfundraising](#)

## **Sports Day Information**

This year we have changed the organisation of our sports day. It will be split over 2 days with parents being invited to come and watch the competitive races on the date below:

**EYFS and KS1** sports day will take place on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July 9.30am-11.30am**

**KS2** sports day will take place on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July 1pm-3pm**

Children will need to wear their PE kit on this day.

Today, the children had so much fun taking part in a non-competitive 'Rainbow Teams Sports Morning' – photos to follow next week.

## **Brownies**

We have received an email from Hylda Emsden, who is the leader of 1st Waddington Brownies. They have spaces for girls aged between the 6 ½ years old and 9 years old if they would like to join Brownies. They meet at Waddington Methodist Church on Wednesdays from 6p.m to 7.15pm. Hylda's contact details are 07818854155 or [hyldaemsden12@gmail.com](mailto:hyldaemsden12@gmail.com) if anyone would like any more information.

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## Dates for Diaries – Summer Term

Please note new/edited information in yellow

Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Year 6 visit to Clitheroe Mosque
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 2 trip to Fairhaven Lake
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> June	6pm Year 6 Confirmation at Church
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am-11am – Year 6 transition session with the children, family and wellbeing service in school. 1.15pm- year 6 dancing in the hall – parents can attend
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Non-uniform day for summer fair Kate Taylor, SENCO, in school Bowland High Transition Day for Year 6
Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Ribblesdale High School transition day for Year 6 <b>Reception and Year 6 heights and weights – new date!</b>
Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 2 from Audley Infants School visiting our school for the day. Move up afternoon
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Reports sent out to parents 1.15pm – Year 6 dancing in the hall – parents can attend Summer BBQ and fair after school
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> July	SPORTS DAY EYFS KS1 – 9.30am-11.30am KS2 – 1pm-3pm
Tues 8 <sup>th</sup> July	10am Rock Steady concert for parents Move up afternoon
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Reception at Blackpool Zoo Year 3 trip to Ribchester Roman Museum
Thurs 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Music Concert in PM
Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> July	1pm-3pm – Year 6 Tea Dance at West Bradford Village Hall
Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 leavers’ party (organised by parents)
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 dress rehearsal for whole school
Tues 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 play at 2pm and 6pm
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm Reception Graduation

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	Year 6 Church leavers' service 6pm at St Catherine's Church
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Special Certificate Assembly
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 leavers' video 2.30pm FINISH FOR SUMMER HOLIDAYS



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# Summer Holiday Clubs



**SCHOOL OF YOU**

11<sup>th</sup> August to 15<sup>th</sup> August 2025  
Monday - Friday  
9.30am - 4.30pm

**EXPRESS YOURSELF SUMMER CLUB**

£150 per child,  
£260 for two siblings, for the whole week

AGE 7 - 12

CREATE FASHION, GROW SELF-AWARENESS, PERFORM ON STAGE, PLAY & RELAX

Lead by a Teacher /Creative Therapist, a Performing Arts Specialist & a Dressmaker.

@TrinityHub, Clitheroe

For more information and to book:  
WhatsApp: 07746003571



**Wild Explorers**

Where nature, fun and adventure collide!

A child-led, fun and nurturing holiday club set in beautiful woodland on the Broughton Estate.

We are an OFSTED registered outdoor holiday club where children can play, enjoy a campfire, woodland crafts, tools and much more!

**Price**  
£35 per child per day  
Childcare vouchers accepted

**Age**  
Reception - Age 13

**Summer Holiday Club**  
21<sup>st</sup> July - 29<sup>th</sup> August  
(excluding 22<sup>nd</sup> August)

For your Secondary aged children we have our 2-day experience; Into the Wild! 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> August - head to our website for booking & more info.

**Time**  
9.30am - 3.30pm

**Location**  
Broughton Hall Estate



hello@wildexplorers.org.uk

www.wildexplorers.org.uk

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# TAG SPORTS NORTH WEST **SUMMER** FOOTBALL CAMP!

RIBBLE VALLEY 3G, ROEFIELD, BB7 3LA

**Dates:**

**WEEK 1: 22<sup>ND</sup> 23<sup>RD</sup> 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY**  
**WEEK 2: 29<sup>TH</sup> 30<sup>TH</sup> 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY**  
**WEEK 3: 5<sup>TH</sup> 6<sup>TH</sup> 7<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST**  
**WEEK 4: 12<sup>TH</sup> 13<sup>TH</sup> 14<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST**  
**WEEK 5: 19<sup>TH</sup> 20<sup>TH</sup> 21<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST**  
**WEEK 6: 26<sup>TH</sup> 27<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST**

**BOYS & GIRLS!**

**TIMES:**  
9.30AM - 2.30PM

**PRICE:**  
£18 PER DAY

**OUTSTANDING 3G FACILITIES/ AGES 4 -12/ DAILY TOURNAMENTS/ SKILLS AND DRILLS/ LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE.**



PLEASE CONTACT TOM TO SECURE YOUR PLACE ON  
07468563406 OR EMAIL [TOM@TAGSPORTSNORTHWEST.CO.UK](mailto:TOM@TAGSPORTSNORTHWEST.CO.UK)



# SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB

MONDAY 21ST - FRIDAY 25TH JULY 2025  
CLITHEROE CRICKET CLUB, CHATBURN RD, BB7 2AS

Football - Cricket - Tennis - Rounders - Dodgeball - Handball - Netball - Arts & Crafts - Outdoor Play - Pizza Making... & much more!

Led by qualified Ribble Valley PE teachers

FOR INFO & BOOKINGS:  
Adam Hutchinson  
07557 915183  
[aalkhutch@yahoo.com](mailto:aalkhutch@yahoo.com)

£25 per day  
8:30am - 4pm

Open to children in Reception - Year 6

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REACT ACADEMY OF THEATRE ARTS

Disney  
**BEAUTY AND THE BEAST**  
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**SUMMER SCHOOL** JRo

HYNDBURN BRANCH  
11th - 16th August 2025

RIBBLE VALLEY BRANCH  
18th - 23rd August 2025

A full week of drama, musical theatre and technical theatre classes, all culminating in a licensed production of this incredible show.

Open to all ages 5-16 years.

www.ReActAcademy.co.uk

## Local Events

WADDINGTON  
PARISH COUNCIL

**FUN DAY  
& PICNIC**  
ON THE PLAYING FIELDS

**Saturday June 21<sup>st</sup> - 2025**

Open from 12.30pm  
Events from 1 to 5pm

Bring your own picnic and blanket

SPORTING EVENTS  
FREE ENTRY ON THE DAY  
FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN

Sack race  
Egg and spoon race  
Three legged race  
And many more

Sorry, no dogs/pets  
are allowed on the  
playing fields

Bar  
Games  
Tombola  
Ice Creams



## PE Times

**Please find below the PE days for each class for Summer 1:**

**PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGES FOR THIS HALF TERM**

Reception	Thursday
Year 1	Monday – Forest School and PE
Year 2	Thursday and Friday
Year 3	Monday and Wednesday
Year 4	Thursday and Friday
Year 5	Tuesday and Wednesday
Year 6	Tuesday and Friday

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## Attendance

Week commencing 16<sup>th</sup> June 2025

**We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance**

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	98.5%
Year 1	96%
Year 2	97.9%
Year 3	94.2%
Year 4	98.5%
Year 5	92.8%
Year 6	97.2%

## CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or [bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk)

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