



# TRANMERE TIMES NEWSLETTER

## Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2019

### General School Information/Dates

#### Sports Day

As you will already be aware yesterday's Sports Day had to be cancelled due to heavy rain all week making the conditions unsuitable. We will announce the re-arranged date for Sports Day as soon as possible.

#### Training Days for the Academic Year 2019/2020

We have now finalised our all our Training Days for the next academic year, they are:

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November  
Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June  
Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July



#### School's Yorkshire Tour 2019

The first Schools' Yorkshire Tour took place in June 2017 it was designed by the Leeds City Council's Influencing Travel Behaviour Team to promote safe and sustainable travel to and from school.

This year we took part in the relay event for the first time. Guiseley Infants school cycled to Tranmere where they received a fantastic welcome from the whole school including our cheerleaders who, rather amusingly considering the weather, danced their routine to 'walking on sunshine'. The Tranmere cyclists then cycled their leg to St Mary's school where they too received a warm welcome as they handed over the baton. Everyone enjoyed this event

despite the soggy conditions, and thanks go to all those who helped in any way to make the day a great success.

There are lot's more pictures and video to see on our website.







### **School Milk**

A leaflet was sent home this week regarding changes made to the way parents/carers order and pay for school milk. The deadline for ordering milk for the first half term of the new academic year will be **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August**. You will need to know your child's new class for the next academic year before placing your order. Pupils will be told their new class on our first Transition morning which will be Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July.

### **ALPT Art Exhibition**

On Tuesday 9th July and Wednesday 10th July, there will be a community art exhibition held at Trinity Church, Rawdon. The children in school are busy preparing exhibits to showcase at the event as are children from across the Aireborough Learning Partnership. This year's theme is 'Joy.' The ALPT choir will also be performing. Further details can be found on the attached poster. We look forward to seeing many of you there!

### **Reading Tents for Africa Children's Book Sale**

Thank you to everyone who donated books for our sale this year, we had a fantastic response. Thank you also to all those who have come along to the sale and bought books helping us raise a fantastic £177 for this very worthy cause. Also a big 'WELL DONE' to Miss Stevens, Mrs McAteer, Mrs Martin, Mrs Titchmarsh and our pupil helpers who have worked very hard this week running the stall.

### **Advance Notice: Primary School Age Influenza Vaccination Programme**

We have been advised by the NHS that this year they will be delivering the influenza vaccination to **all year groups** (Reception-Year 6). They will be visiting our school to deliver flu immunisations on **Tuesday 26 November 2019**. Further information will follow in September.

### Our very talented Year 5/6 Netball Team

Huge congratulations to our Netball team on qualifying for the Your School Games West Yorkshire Finals!

Amazing effort, well done!

### Netball Club Cancelled

Unfortunately, Miss Gomersall has had to cancel Netball Club on Monday as she is attending another sporting event.

### Cross Country – Year 2 pupils

Hopefully the weather will be better next week and Cross Country training will take place. Any Year 2 children interested in joining the Cross Country team for the next academic year are welcome to join the training sessions on Tuesdays at 3.15pm to 3.45pm for a trial. Please come along to Puffins classroom at 3.15pm to see Mr Housden and get changed into your running kit.



### Clean Air Day – Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2019

As you are probably aware, this year's Clean Air Day will take place next **Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> June.**

Clean Air Day raises awareness of how air pollution is having an impact on our health which will enable people to act on making UK cities cleaner, healthier and greener for us all, especially children.

You will all no doubt know the issues surrounding air quality in Leeds and the impact this has on the most vulnerable in society, particularly our children. Clean Air Day provides a perfect opportunity to encourage more children to walk, cycle or scoot to school and to inspire parents / carers to leave their car at home or park further away and walk the rest of the route to school. Walking / scooting / cycling to school is not only better for the environment but it improves the physical and mental health of our children.

### Guiseley Carnival

Guiseley Carnival takes place on **Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June**, with the parade starting on Station Road. There will be fun and games at the Station Pub afterwards. The theme for the carnival is 'Crooks and Criminals'. Children can come dressed in any outfit/costume around the theme.

We hope to see as many children as possible at the carnival representing Team Tranmere.

## **Important Information**

### School Dinner Money

School meal prices are £2.40 per meal £12.00 per week. Please be reminded that meals must be purchased for the full week ahead.

To pay for the Half Term: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July (35 days x £2.40 per day = £84.00)

Year 6 children attending PGL France (30 days x £2.40 per day = £72.00)

Year 4 children attending Boggle Hole residential (32 days x £2.40 = £76.80)



### **Year 6 Pupils Final Half Terms Dinner Money Payments**

To ensure that pupil's accounts are on a zero balance at the end of the summer term could parents of Year 6 pupils please check their child's account online for any current credits before making their final payment. Please deduct lunch payments for the PGL Residential (5 days), Saltaire Visit (1 day), High School Visit (1 day), Year 6 Leavers Event (1 day).

Please contact Mrs Reeve in the school office if you need any help working out your final payment.

### **Assemblies**

Parents are most welcome to attend their child's class assembly/drop-in session at **9.10am**.

21 <sup>st</sup> June	Eagles	Assembly
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Puffins	Assembly
12 <sup>th</sup> July	Robins	Assembly

### **Forthcoming Dates**

Monday	17 <sup>th</sup> June	Themed Week – STEM Team
Monday	24 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 Boggle Hole Residential
Tuesday	25 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception to Year 1 transition Evening for parents 6.00 - 6.30pm
Wednesday	26 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 2 to Year 3 Transition Evening for parents 6.00 - 6.30 pm
Friday	5 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 End of year production Dress Rehearsal 9.45am
<b>Saturday</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> July	PTA Summer Fair 12.00 – 2.30pm
Monday	8 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 End of Year Concert 6pm
Thursday	11 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 End of Year Concert 6pm
Friday	12 <sup>th</sup> July	Pupil Reports to Parents
Tuesday	16 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leaver's Event (during school hours)
Friday	19 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leaver's assembly <b>10.00am</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	<b>TRAINING DAY</b>
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## **Special Mention**



On Thursday morning we hold a Special Mention Assembly to celebrate achievements within school. If your child has achieved something really special outside of school we would be pleased to announce this on Tranmere Times. Please e-mail Mrs Reeve on [victoriareeve@tranmerepark.leeds.sch.uk](mailto:victoriareeve@tranmerepark.leeds.sch.uk)

Below are the children who received a Special Mention this week in Special Mention Assembly

CLASS	ATTAINMENT	LEARNING BEHAVIOUR
ROBINS	Sofia Super Writing	Bea & Finlay Worked well together listening to each other's ideas
BLUEBIRDS	Alex & Leo Shown how everyone in school should behave and role models for their class	
EAGLES	Bobbie Always doing what she should be and working hard	Jessica Always asking and wanting to learn more
SKYLARKS	Violet Amazing Maths	Alex Always curious about his learning and always wants to learn more
HERONS	Flo & Max Always have a smile on their face and a great start to everyday	
RED KITES	Jennah Amazing vocabulary work	James Super work writing limericks
WOODPECKERS	Reuben Putting in lots of effort and it's paying off	Joe Really polite and interested in other people
WRENS	Matilda & Sophie Always organised, works hard ready for learning and reliable	

<b>FALCONS</b>	Isobel & Charlie For tracking their work	Sophia For a fantastic attitude & being a great friend
<b>PUFFINS</b>	Bailey Trying really hard with decimals	Alfie Puts in so much effort to everything, has a great attitude
<b>KINGFISHERS</b>	Sophie Good emotive writing in a persuasive letter	Freya & Lauren Always putting a lot of effort in with everything
<b>DOVES</b>	Lewis Good emotive language in his writing	Jackson & Sophia Optimistic and ready to learn everyday
<b>MRS MARTIN</b>	Isla (Puffins) and Tom (Red Kites ) for 100% attendance.	

## Attendance

Our school target for attendance set by the Leeds City Council Attendance Strategy Team is 97%. The class averages for the week from the 10th – 14th June 2019.

ROBINS	95.5%	WOODPECKERS	97.9%
BLUEBIRDS	100%	WRENS	98.4%
EAGLES	99.0%	FALCONS	98.1%
SKYLARKS	99.0%	PUFFINS	93.4%
HERONS	97.7%	KINGFISHERS	99.3%
RED KITES	100%	DOVES	97.4%

**Well done Bluebirds and Red Kites!**

## Extended Service

Please see attached a poster with information on Drop In Advice Sessions due to be held in Leeds on SEND (Special Educational Needs)

## P.T.A.



We have some great acts lined up this years for TGT.

Come and watch the dancers, comedians, singers, gymnasts, alongside a few surprises.

Our show starts at 6:30pm, with Guiseley Theatre doors opening from 6pm. The show will finish around 8pm.

It's a fun night out for everyone. Come and support the performers and raise some funds for the school.

Purchase your tickets online and pick the best seats.

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/guiseleytheatre](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/guiseleytheatre)

Tickets will also be available on the night (If there are any left).

Tickets are £6 for Stall seats and £7 for the Circle

(+ booking fee)



### **PTA Empty Jar Appeal**

We have a jar box outside school and would be grateful if everyone could bring in their empty jars (cleaned and label removed please) ready for the summer events that the PTA are taking part in at Kirkstall Festival and Guiseley Carnival.

We are hoping to get as many jars as possible before the end of June. Thank you in to all those who have sent in jars so far. We have had a great response but still need plenty more so please keep sending them in.

### **PTA SUMMER FAIR**

**The PTA Summer Fair will take place on  
Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2019**



*Kirsten Finley*  
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Co-Headteacher

*Alison Hodgson*  
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INVESTORS IN PUPILS



**Stephen Lawrence**

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