

TRANMERE TIMES NEWSLETTER Friday 28th June 2019

General School Information/Dates

Transition

On the mornings of Monday 1st and Wednesday 3rd July we will be holding our transition sessions for pupils. On Monday the children will meet in the hall and be informed of their new class teacher. They will then spend the morning with their new teacher in their new classroom.

Staffing for September 2019

We are looking forward to welcoming two new members of teaching staff to school in September. Miss Ingram who will be class teacher in Red Kites and Miss Elliott who will be class teacher in Wrens. You may have noticed that Mr Beech is not in class in September. Don't worry, he is not leaving us, but is taking on other responsibilities in school and with Noctua.

Robins	EYFS	Miss Beestin	
Bluebirds	EYFS	Miss Marsden	
Eagles	Y1	Mrs Gibson/Mrs Holland	
Skylarks	Y1/2	Miss Bell	
Herons	Y2	Mr Housden	
Red Kites	Y3	Miss Ingram/Mrs Holland	
Woodpeckers	Y3/4	Mrs Pass	
Wrens	Y4	Miss Elliott/Mrs Holland	
Falcons	Y5	Miss Taylor	
Puffins	Y5	Miss Gomersall	
Kingfishers	Y6	Mrs Tate	
Doves	Y6	Mr Sutton/Mrs Savage	

Parent Questionnaire

The following link will take you to this year's Parent Questionnaire <u>https://forms.gle/MML74JFMrhmiEeWo6</u> The questionnaire asks you to provide school with constructive feedback regarding our current practice. The information we gain from this process will feed into the 'Parent Voice' section of our School Development Plan for 2019/20 and will help us to identify aspects of our work that are successful and things that we could do to improve further. We really hope to get as many responses as possible. We very much appreciate you taking the time to complete this for us. Thank you!

Year 6 Leaver's Assembly

The Year 6 Leaver's Assembly will take place on the last day of term **Friday 19th July at 10am.** Parents/carers are welcome to attend but for health and safety reasons we can only allow two adults per child.

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!

Cross Country – Year 2 pupils – (WEATHER PERMITTING!!)

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.

<u>Baby Shoe Found in Playground</u> A blue and white baby/toddler shoe has been found in the playground today. Please call at the school office if it belongs to you.



Guiseley Carnival

Guiseley Carnival takes place this Sunday 30th June, We will meet on Station Road (the cobbled road behind the Station Pub) at 12.30pm where Mrs Finley, Mr Sutton and Miss Beestin will be there to greet the children. The theme for the carnival is 'Crooks and Criminals'. Children can come dressed in any outfit/costume around the theme.

Thank you to all those children who have sent in reply slips to take part in the carnival. If you have not already sent in a slip but would like to join us then please come along.

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

Violins For Sale

School are selling four 1/2 sized violins and cases on a first come, first served (cash or cheque only) basis!

We have three that are in good working order and would ask offers in the region of £60 per violin for these three. One required restringing and we would like to accept offers in the region of £50 for this one. All four come in cases with shoulder straps, all have bows and wax and are sold as seen.

If anyone is interested in purchasing these instruments, please contact Mr Howorth via email in the first instance. Please note payment will be required before the instruments are allowed home but they may be seen before purchase!



Sports Day

The new date for Sports Day is **Friday 12th July.** Fingers crossed for better weather!

Please note that the Key Stage Two Sports Day will now take place in the morning at 9.30am and EYFS/Key Stage One Sports Day in the afternoon starting at 1.30pm

Parents are welcome to attend and cheer their teams along.



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^{rd} June to Friday 19^{th} 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)

Assemblies

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

12 th July	Robins	Assembly
19 th July	Year 6	Leaver's assembly 10am (only 2 adults per child please)

Forthcoming Dates

Friday	5 th July	Y6 End of year production Dress Rehearsal 9.45am
Saturday	6 th July	PTA Summer Fair 12.00 – 2.30pm
Thursday	11 th July	Y6 End of Year Concert 6pm
Monday	15 th July	Y6 End of Year Concert 6pm
Friday	12 th July	Sports Day (Key Stage 2 9.30am – 11.30am EYFS/KS1 1.30pm – 3.15pm)
Friday	12 th July	Pupil Reports to Parents
Tuesday	16 th July	Y6 Leaver's Event (during school hours)
Friday	19 th July	Y6 Leaver's assembly 10.00am
Monday	22 nd July	TRAINING DAY
Tuesday	23 rd July	TRAINING DAY
Tuesday	24 th July	TRAINING DAY

Special Mention

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

There was no Special Mention Assembly this week

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 $24^{th} - 28^{th}$ June 2019.

ROBINS	96.8%	WOODPECKERS	98.3%
BLUEBIRDS	98.3%	WRENS	97.8%
EAGLES	94.5%	FALCONS	96.7%
SKYLARKS	96.3%	PUFFINS	96.9%
HERONS	98.1%	KINGFISHERS	94.3%
RED KITES	98.4%	DOVES	96.5%

Extended Service

Attached to tonight's Tranmere Times is a leaflet about Mr Montgomery's Circus Spectactular which takes place at Yeadon Town Hall at the end of August and details on the opportunity to win free tickets.

P.T.A.

Ice-creams!

On **Friday 28th June, Friday 5th July and Friday 12th July** the PTA will be selling ice creams in the playground after school. Please come along and treat yourself to an ice cream to celebrate the start of the weekend and hopefully also the good weather!

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.

Summer Fair Raffle

We have had some cracking raffle prizes donated, so make sure you get your tickets to have a chance to win. We are so grateful for the amazing support our local businesses have shown.



1st prize - Little Mix Tickets x 4 2nd prize - Family Panto 3rd prize - Class Afternoon Tea

Bottle Gin – Full Circle £20 voucher – Tony Woods Free Tea & Cake for two – Karen's Florists £25 voucher – White Cross Photo Session - Luminossa £20 voucher - Cena Bistro £40 Vouchers - Zen £50 Voucher - Lister Blinds

Free Hair Cut – Rob's Barbers £30 voucher Treatment Room Free months membership - Nuffield Gym 2 Pairs of Children's sun glasses – Bayfield Opticians

