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Weekly Newsletter: wb 15th September 2025

Autumn Fayre

Don't forget it is our school Autumn Fayre on Saturday 27th September (12 – 3pm). This has been organised by **FoWSS** (Friends of Wharnccliffe Side School) in partnership with **WSDA** (Wharnccliffe Side Development Association) and promises to be a great day! By coming along with some spending money, you will be supporting the school, local community groups and small businesses (please tell your friends and family too – whether they attend our school or not!)

P.S. The majority of the attractions are inside just in case the weather lets us down!

Food / Dinners

- As you know, we have had a few issues with ParentPay since we returned in September; meaning KS2 lunches may not have been charged correctly. We understand this issue has not been rectified and we will be adjusting balances this week. Thank you for your patience.
- Meanwhile, if you would like some tips on how to eat healthier on a budget; you can sign up for the FREE Eat Smart webinar [here](#). It is on Wednesday 24th September, 10 – 11am (via Zoom).

Flu Vaccination

The NHS winter flu vaccination is available to ALL children from Reception to Y6 and will take place on the **6th November**. Further details have been sent via ReachMore.

Uniform, coats & jewellery

- Unless advised otherwise (e.g. for 'Forest Schools' sessions), pupils should be wearing the correct uniform for school. On warm days, children are welcome to take off their jumpers / cardigans but please ensure their names are in them! (We are forever finding clothing laying around and it is difficult to get it back to the right person if it doesn't have a name in!).
- As we know, the weather can be quite unpredictable at this time of year. Please ensure your child brings a waterproof coat to school just in case!
- Reminder: we do not allow jewellery in school, except watches (not 'Smart' watches) and small stud earrings (which must be taken out for PE).
- For more information about uniform, go to <https://www.wharnciffeside.org.uk/school-uniform>

Crisis support

We all struggle with our mental health from time to time and it can be very distressing if your child is in crisis. In case of emergency, it is useful to know where to go for support... See the attached Crisis Support sheet from Healthy Minds for some useful contact numbers.

WHARNCLIFFE SIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY
AUTUMN FAIR
In partnership with Wharnccliffe Side Development Association
12-3PM 27th September
FREE ENTRY
Bouncy castle
Craft room
Pizza bar
Games and activities
Cakes and refreshments
Local makers mini market
Foresteers
And more...
Live music by Paul Hawksworth
Open Day at the NEW Nursery. Meet, play and learn!
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Wharnccliffe Side Primary School and Nursery, Brightholmlee Lane, Sheffield, S35 0DD (Just up the hill from The Blue Ball pub)
Logos: Wharnccliffe Side Primary School, Wharnccliffe Side Development Association, FoWSS

Mr Gaughan

Nurturing confidence, nurturing potential, nurturing success.



Celebrating Achievement



Well done to the following children:

- ★ **Bronze:** Neo, Oscar B, Willow C, Ella, Albie-Grey, Cian, Elizabeth, Theo R, Ted (Ash); Frankie-Lola, Xander, Joseph B (Willow); George, Vinny (Rowan); Brody, Iris (Sycamore); Hugo, Rory, Ameera, Ellie-Mai (Oak)
- ★ **Nursery Stars of the Week:** Dexter & Atlantis (Seedlings); Eddie & Isabella (Saplings)
- ★ **Eser** for playing the piano in assembly each Friday when we sing 'Happy Birthday' for the week ahead!
- ★ All the children from the Learning Zone who were so well behaved at last week's Multisports event.
- ★ **Attendance winners:** Attendance was over 97% again last week (the trophies were given out in assembly but I don't have the exact figures at the time of writing!)
- ★ **House Point winners:** Americas won the house point trophy for the second week in a row.



This week's birthdays:

Lucas (4), Hugo (11), Maze (8)

This week's 'School Standard' is:
Be inclusive

What's Happening?

Little Seedlings & Saplings are learning about parts of the body and will be making music using body percussion!

Reception children in Ash will doing their 1:1 'Reception Baseline Assessments' this week (a national assessment used to measure progress).

Ms Harrison has been very impressed with Willow's effort with their homework (Felicity won a raffle prize on Friday!). This week, they will be reading stories linked to their topic.

KS2 children from The Learning Zone went to the EIS for a Multisports event on Friday.

Rowan are learning about the creation story in RE.

Sycamore are learning all about vertebrates and invertebrates in science.

Oak are producing art work in the style of Paul Nash (concentrating on colour mixing / matching). Meanwhile, Y6 children from Oak will be doing the 'Bikeability' cycling proficiency course on Monday & Tuesday.

Finally, our Y4 - Y6 Job Shop is OPEN - don't delay, apply today!

