

# West Meadows Weekly

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Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2019



Dear Families,  
I hope you have all enjoyed the bank holiday weekend; it is always strange when Tuesday feels like Monday in school! However, this week we seem to have squeezed five days in to four, it has been that busy.  
We enjoyed two special assemblies this week. Father Richard visited us to explain the background to Pentecost, the birthday of the Church. We were then visited by Councillor Steve Green, Lord Mayor of Barnsley who presented us with our Silver Award in the Modeshift Stars Scheme. Of course, we are now going for gold! I must praise Miss Grange highly for her leadership in this area and thanks to her work with Mrs. Brown, we are firmly on the map. Thank you to everyone who has supported our walks to school, cycling and closing the street initiative – a truly community effort that has enabled us to secure this prestigious award.  
Thank you to those who supported the firefighter's charity. A great collection was arranged by Mrs. O'Loughlin for a worthy cause. We have welcomed Mrs. Parnham to Year 3 this week. She will be with us next week too as Mr. Mitchell is required higher up school. He has done a wonderful job and the opportunity has whetted his appetite to become a teacher even more; he will be a fabulous addition to our profession.  
Rain stopped play in yesterday's cricket, hopefully there will be a rearrangement. We hosted cricket in the hall for years 4 and 5 though, great to see the game spreading the West Meadows way! Mr. Child, Mrs. Maree and I have attended some e-Safety training today, look out for some opportunities to come and learn all things internet safety at West Meadows.  
Have a brilliant weekend, what shall we do without football? Lots of children attended the Barnsley FC celebrations – they looked great! I must sign off by wishing our lovely Year 6 children all the best in next week's SATs – the children and staff do our lovely school proud each and every day.  
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Daniel Wood (Headteacher)

<b>This Week's Attendance</b>	
<b>Class</b>	<b>%</b>
EYFS 1 AM	79.2
EYFS 1 PM	90
F2	89.7
Year 1	92
Year 2	93.3
Year 3	89.2
Year 4	90
Year 5	92.97
Year 6	97.1
<b>This week's winners Year 6</b>	
School Attendance Target for the Year:	<b>97%</b>
School Attendance this week:	<b>92.4%</b>
School Attendance this year so far:	<b>95.9%</b>

<b>Lunch Menu</b>		
<b>Our lunch registration system allows children to choose electronically. Please remind them each morning what is for lunch. Thank you.</b>		
	<b>Traditional Meal</b>	
<b>Mon</b>	All Day Breakfast	Jacket Potato
<b>Tue</b>	Lasagne	OR Tomato Soup & Bread Roll
<b>Weds</b>	Sunday Dinner (Roast Pork)	
<b>Thurs</b>	Chicken Curry, Rice & Naan Bread	
<b>Fri</b>	Fish Fingers & Chips	

<b>Dates for the Diary</b>	
<b>Y6 Sats Week 13, 14, 15, 16 May</b>	
Y6 & F2 Height and Weight Checks – 17 May	
Concert in school (for children) 17 May	
<b>Y2 Key Stage 1 SATs 20 – 23 May</b>	
Penalty Shootout Prize Assembly 21 May	
Y6 Leavers' Trip 22 May – Annie in Nottingham	
<b>INSET Day – School Closed for children 24 May</b>	
School Closed for Half Term 24 May – 3 June	
Y5/6 Trip to see Joseph 6 June 2019	
Drama Club Performance – 12 June – Lamproom Theatre (PM)	
F2 Class Assembly 12 June – 2:30pm	
F2 Y1 Y2 Performance 26 June AM & PM	
Y5 Opera North Performance 25 June – The Metrodome	
<b>Y6 Kirk Balk Transition 24 25 26 June</b>	
Y5 Music Performance – 4 July 1:30 The Metrodome	
Y6 Leavers' Assembly Thurs 18 July @2pm	

**Perfect Penalties**  
What an effort! We have raised £1911 to split with Barnsley FC following the penalty shootout. We are terrifically grateful for your support. Thank you to Miss Grange for helping with the day, a brilliant team effort with Yoooooouu Reeeeeees!s!

**Grange on Games – @WMPPrimaryPE**  
We have suffered awful weather this week resulting in the cricket tournament being cancelled! However, the afternoon sessions with Years 4 and 5 went ahead indoors. I was honoured to meet the Mayor this week and really proud of our Modeshift Stars Award. I can't wait to Go for Gold!

**Maestro On Music – @WMPPrimaryMusic**  
Exciting news for the after school drama club, we will be performing our new musical in the Barnsley Drama festival at the Lamproom

<b>The Week Ahead.....</b>	
Mon 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key Stage 2 SATS WEEK - SPaG</li> <li>Key Stage 2 Football Club</li> </ul>
Tue 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key Stage 2 SATS WEEK - Reading</li> <li>Years 3 &amp; 4 Dodgeball Club</li> </ul>
Weds 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key Stage 2 SATS WEEK – Maths</li> <li>Y5 Girls in Sport Session</li> <li>Drama/ Choir Club</li> <li>KS 2 Athletics Club – Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6</li> </ul>
Thurs 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key Stage 2 SATS WEEK - Maths</li> <li>Y4 Y5 Cricket Sessions</li> <li>Key Stage 2 Cricket Club</li> <li>Years 3/4 ICT Club</li> </ul>

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<p>Theatre on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June. Details and ticket information to be announced.!</p> <p>Year 5 have made a great start on their Arts Award Qualification this week and have also been rehearsing for Opera North. Excellent work!</p>	<p>Fri 17</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Y6 Photographic Workshop Day</li><li>• F2 &amp; Y6 Height &amp; Weight Checks</li></ul>
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