



## Coming up this week...

<b>Monday</b>	7:30am—8:45am Westways Breakfast Club in Mona Hall KS1 Arts and Crafts Lunchtime Club 3:20pm—4:20pm Y5 Handball Session 3:20pm—4:20pm KS2 STEM Club
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:30am—8:45am Westways Breakfast Club in Mona Hall 7:40am—8:40am Gymnastics Club (with Chloe Ridge) KS1 Storytime Lunchtime Club Y1/Y2 Lego Lunchtime Club (with Mrs Findler/Mrs Taylor) Y5/6 Newspaper Lunchtime Club (with Mrs Elliott & Mrs Knight) Y5/6 Dance Lunchtime Club (with Miss Samuel) <b>12.30pm-4.30pm Orchestra Performance at Sheffield Music for Youth Festival</b> 3:15pm—4:15pm Y1/2 Gymnastics Club (with Chloe Ridge) 3:30pm—4:00pm Orchestra (with Jack Lowe) 3:15pm—4:00pm KS2 Chinese Club (with Mrs Wilson) 3:15pm—4:00pm KS2 Chinese Club (with Mrs Hicks/ Miss Serrano) 3:15pm—4:15pm Y5/6 Art Club (with Miss Clark)
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:30am—8:45am Westways Breakfast Club in Mona Hall <b>8.00am – 8.45am Taylor Shaw Breakfast Club</b> Y3/Y4 Comic Book Lunchtime Club KS2 Choir Lunchtime Club (with Mrs Bowen & Mrs Bray) Y2/Y3 French Lunchtime Club (with Mrs Gaviilidou) 3:15pm- 5:00pm Fun with Fibres (with Jane Nettlingham) 3.20pm- 4.20pm KS1 Multi Sports After school Club
<b>Thursday</b>	7:30am—8:45am Westways Breakfast Club in Mona Hall 7:40am—8:40am Y3/Y4 Gymnastics Club (with Chloe Ridge) <del>Y5/6 Arts and Crafts Lunchtime Club (Miss Clarke)</del> KS1 Choir Lunchtime Club (with Mrs Peverelle) Y1 French Lunchtime Club (with Ms Boudjada) <b>2.45pm Y5 Anglo- Saxon and Viking Showcase</b> 3:15pm—4:30pm Y2 'START' After-School Club 3:15pm—4:00pm Y4-6 Cross Country Training (last one) <b>3:15pm Friends of Westways Cake Sale</b>
<b>Friday</b>	7:30am—8:45am Westways Breakfast Club in Mona Hall <b>Odd Sock Day</b> <b>9.30am – 12.30pm Climbing Competition</b> 3.20pm – 4.20pm – Y3 Hockey After school club
<b>Saturday</b>	Cross Country at Castle Dyke (Meeting at 9.20am race starts at 10.00am)

If possible could the children who are attending a Lunchtime Club please bring a packed lunch.

## Our Attendance

This week we achieved: **96.7%**

Our target is: **97%**

### Letters Home (available on the website)

- Odd Sock Day
- Trial of Changes to the Opening of School Gates
- Year 5 Anglo-Saxon and Viking Showcase (19<sup>th</sup> March 2020)
- Sheffield City Council – Novel Coronavirus
- MTC Leaflet for Y4 Parents

### Reminder : Dress Code

Could we remind parents/carers not to send children to school wearing clothing with slogans such as 'Fortnite' which is not age appropriate for primary school children.

### Advice on the Coronavirus for Schools

The latest advice is to try and contain the virus by ensuring the frequent washing of hands for at least 20 seconds.

There has been a poster released with advice for schools about the novel coronavirus.

Please click the link to view the poster

[https://www.westwaysprimary.co.uk/uploads/news/Coronavirus\\_advice\\_for\\_education\\_settings\\_poster.pdf](https://www.westwaysprimary.co.uk/uploads/news/Coronavirus_advice_for_education_settings_poster.pdf)

For the latest information and advice on the Coronavirus please click the link <https://www.gov.uk/government/topical-events/coronavirus-covid-19-uk-government-response>

### Punctuality and Attendance

#### School starts at 8:50am.

If your child arrives at school after this time they will be marked late in the register.

Please try to ensure your child is on time for school.

#### School finishes at 3.15pm.

If for unavoidable reasons you are slightly delayed please contact the school office. Please ensure you are on time to collect your child from school.

#### Child Absence/Illness – Call School

If your child is absent or ill please ensure that inform school by **9.30am** by calling **0114 2662471** with a reason.



### BizKids – St Lukes

Thank you to everyone who has taken part in our various BizKids for St Lukes fundraising activities including:- Milk Shake Break, Film Club, Westways Got Talent,

Winter Wonderland, Reindeer Dash, World Book Day, Sheffield United Football Club Tickets raffle (winner to be confirmed). We raised a fantastic **£1351.16. Thank You so much.**



### Taylor Shaw Breakfast Club

Taylor Shaw's Breakfast Club will be on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020** from 8.00am

They will be serving bacon butties, scrambled eggs, toast and a selection of cereals.

The next Taylor Shaw Breakfast Club will be on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2020.**



### Friends of Westways Cake Sale

Cake sale on **Thursday 19th March at 3.15pm** in Mona yard.

To make this event successful we need your donations so please, please get baking. Donations can be left at the office in the morning or brought directly to the stall at 3.15pm on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2020. Thank You.

### Wooden Decking

The decking in the playground requires painting with 'grippy' paint that we are unable to do until it is drier and the wood has dried out. We anticipate this being carried out in the Easter holidays.

In the meantime, we have purchased some barriers to put onto the decking to prevent the children from going on there. Would you please ensure that children do not play either on the decking or with the barriers.

### Council's proposed school holidays 2021-2022

The council has issued a proposal regarding school holiday and term dates for 2021-2022. Please go to:

<https://www.sheffield.gov.uk/home/schools-childcare/school-information-term-dates> for further information. Responses to the proposed calendar are required by 13 March 2020.

### Donations of Wool

Could we have donations of wool? Any quantity would be useful from small parts of a ball upwards to use in the Friday Club "All things wool". We would also appreciate donations of French knitting dolls. Could you please give any donations to Mrs Adam or Mrs Brooksbank? Thank you.

### Children Left Unsupervised Before the School Day

We have recently had a small number of children, mainly in Years 5 and 6, being dropped off at school well before the start of the school day. We would like to remind you that children should not come to school before the start of the school day (at 8:40am) as until this time, they will not be supervised by school staff. We do have a breakfast club facility available from 7:30am for a small fee – please ask at the school office for more information.

### S6 Foodbank – St Thomas Crookes

If you would like to make a food donation, the S6 Foodbank Collection box is located outside the school office. Foodbank would like to thank you all so much for your support and donations. This will go towards the continued running of our foodbank. The S6 foodbank in 2019 fed over 7,000 people and we used 90 tonnes of food, which is well received.



### Westways Breakfast Club

Westways Breakfast Club has spaces if you would like your child to attend. If your child is in Reception—Year 6, you can book them in for **before school care** from **7:30am – 8.40am** every morning. The cost is **£5.50** per session paid through ParentPay.

**Please complete a booking form for your child's breakfast club place. (Booking forms are on our website)**

<https://www.westwaysprimary.co.uk/uploads/2020/Letters/Breakfast%20Club%20booking%20form%20-%20Spring%20202019-2020.pdf>

### Ice and Snow Clearance Policy

This policy has been updated and can be found on the policies page of the website.

### Mobile phone details on ParentPay

Could you please enter your mobile phone number onto your ParentPay account? This will then enable school to send out text messages to parents. Thank you.

### P.E Kit

**P.E Kit reminder** - all children should have a white top and black P.E. shorts in school.

If you have any out grown P.E. kit could you donate it to school as spare kit (including plimsolls). Thank you

