

Netherton J&I School

Parents Newsletter



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Headteacher News :

Dear Parents,

We come to the end of a long and very busy half term today! Many thanks to everyone within our school community for their support and hard work! School finishes for half term today and will reopen on Tuesday 4th November. (Reminder - Monday 3rd is an INSET day, school closed to pupils.)

Parents Evening

We held our parents evening on Wednesday this week and we were pleased to see so many of you in school. We hope that it was a useful update to hear how your child has settled into their new class and that you enjoyed the opportunity to see their books and visit the classroom. If you were unable to attend for any reason then please do contact your child's class teacher to arrange an appointment.

Bun Sale

Many thanks for supporting the choir bun sale this week in both the making of and buying buns. Every sale helps towards the costs of the Young Voice T-shirts. Mrs Rosamond

Governor News

Parent Governor Vacancy - We currently have one parent governor vacancy and sent information on how to be nominated on the parent hub yesterday. Please fill in a nomination form if you are interested. If more than one parent is nominated then we will hold a parent election. If you would like more information about the role, or would like a paper copy of the nomination form, then please contact the school office.

Poppies

Many thanks for those of you that have purchased a poppy already. We will continue to sell them the first week back after half term. Paper poppies, stickers, plastic clip-on poppies are 50p each, fabric bands and snap bands are £1. Many thanks for your support of The Royal British Legion.



Children In Need Event

We would like to invite children to wear PJs/non-uniform on Friday 14th November, for a suggested donation of £1 please.



Diary Dates

- Half Term - Friday 24th October

INSET Days 2025/26

- Monday 3rd November 2025
- Monday 23rd February 2026
- Monday 20th July 2026

Class News:

Early Years

Lots of Diwali fun in Early Years this week, and yummy snacks too! In EY2 we created Diya lamps and learned pinching, forming and decorating techniques. Mrs Harding & Mrs Rosamond



Year 2

Many thanks to the parents who attended our African craft afternoon on Monday. The children have made African necklaces, masks, bracelets and mud huts. Everyone had a great time! Miss Reid



Year 3-6

Children in Years 3-6 were entertained by Theatre in Schools at the Cluntergate Centre in Horbury this week. They really enjoyed the performance and we were so lucky to be invited. Mrs Rosamond

Year 4

What a fantastic day Year 4 had at the Wesley Way trip! The children enjoyed all the activities and learning about John Wesley. Miss Brook



Years 5&6

Thank you to Ossett Fire Station who delivered a bonfire safety talk to Years 5&6 this week.
Mrs Douglas & Mrs Goodrum



Endeavour Award



EY2:

Joey Paton

Class 1:

Robyn Jack

Lillie Maitland

Class 3:

Silas Romney

Georgia Longbottom

Class 5:

Jacob Maitland

Alfie Wood

Class 2:

Freddie Perkis

Olivia Kimbley

Class 4:

Maisie Williams

Idris Majid

Class 6:

Wilson Sehmar-Bee

Scarlett Lambert



Star of the Week



Early Years 1:
Lydia Stockhill
Max Lodge



PTA NEWS:



A huge thank you to everyone for dressing up today and taking part in our plate competition. Here are our winners! Have a lovely half term break.

