

The Willand

Learning for Life

19 July 2023 Issue 39

Leavers Assembly

Leaver's Assembly will be at 2pm on Thursday. Parents of Y6 children are welcome to attend.

Year 6 Shirt Signing

On Friday, Y6 children can sign each other's shirts. It is a non-uniform day on Friday so if children want to bring one shirt that they have signed and then one shirt to change into, that is fine. It is preferable for the children to have a light-coloured t-shirt for signing.

Lost Property

We have a large quantity of lost property around the school, which will be displayed at the Year 3 (KS1 & LKS2) and Year 5 (UKS2) gates at the end of the school day.

Swimming Volunteers

We would like to send a big thank you to all of those who have supported our swimming sessions throughout this academic year, especially Mrs Harvey and Mrs Whitrow. Also, to Mr Pocock, who is now stopping after having been a dedicated member of the team for the last 8 years. Without your commitment, our much, valued swimming programme would not be able to run.

Mealtime Assistant Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Mealtime Assistant in Key Stage 2 (years 3-6). You will be required to work every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 12.30pm to 1.30pm and the starting salary is £1389 per annum. If you would like further information, please contact the school office.

PTFA News

A huge well done to Y4W who are this year's Penny Challenge winners. As champions, the whole of 4W can look forward to a well-earned ice lolly on Friday.

Friday, 21st July, non-uniform day – To celebrate the end of term, it has been agreed children can wear non-uniform on the last day of term. It is also a way to support our PTFA by way of a donation, if you so wish.

Pre-loved uniform – We have a large selection of pre-loved uniform available. If you are interested, please email willandschoolptfa@gmail.com.

P.E Timetable for September 2023

Please find below the day that your child will be doing PE next year. Please note that there will be no PE on the first three days of term (6th, 7th and 8th September) and that all PE will commence W/C 11th September. Children should come to school in their PE kit on PE days.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reception		✓			
Y1HB	✓				✓
Y1MP	✓				✓
Y2R			✓	✓	
Y2S			✓	✓	
Y3P		✓	✓		
Y3WB	✓	✓			
Y4C				✓	✓swimming
Y4W		✓	✓swimming		
Y5ML	✓			✓	
Y5T			✓		✓
Y6			✓		✓

Strong Plastic Bags Urgently Required

Please could children bring to school, a strong plastic bag to take home their books tomorrow.

Willand School Lunch Menu for week commencing Wednesday, 6 September

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		Pork meatballs	Sausages	Salmon Fingers
		Vegan balls	Quorn sausages	Vegetarian Pizza
		Spaghetti Green beans Crisps Salad Bar	Pasta or mash Baked beans/ peas Salad Bar	Chips or Pasta Seasonal vegetables Tomato Sauce Salad Bar
		Jam sponge and custard Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Primary choice cake Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Homemade Cookie Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
PASTA POTS with Italian tomato sauce, cheese, beans or tuna JACKET POTATO with cheese, beans or tuna WRAPSWITH FILLINGS: Ham, Chicken or Cheese				

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Safeguarding - From time to time the school may need to make referrals to Children and Young People's Services

Diary

SUMMER TERM 2023	
20 th July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly, 2pm
21 st July	End Of Summer Term
<i>School Year 2023/2024</i>	
Wednesday 6 th September	Start of Autumn Term
23 rd -27 th October	Half-Term Break
Monday 30 th October	Non-pupil Day Change to original date
18 th December – 1 st January	Christmas Holiday
Tuesday, 2 nd January	Non-Pupil Day
12 th – 16 th February	Half-Term Break
29 th March – 12 th April	Easter Holidays
W/C 13 th May '24	KS2 SATS
Friday 24 th May	Non-pupil day
27 th – 31 st May	Half-Term Break
Wednesday, 24 th July	End of Summer Term

Wishing you a safe and happy summer break. See you all on Wednesday 6th September.

Anne Hawkins

Headteacher

Reporting a Concern About a Young Person

If you have a concern which involves the safety or wellbeing of a child (or any other safeguarding issue), please contact Miss Leather during school hours:

Telephone: 01884 820367.



If the concern is serious and outside school hours, please contact the Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH):

Telephone: 0345 155 1071 (Monday-Thursday 9am-5pm and Friday 9am-4pm)

0345 6000 388 (Emergency Duty Team if outside of the above hours)

EVENTS

Please see the noticeboard outside the school office for the following events

Craft Fair, Willand Village Hall, Saturday, 29th July 10am-1pm.

Plymtree Country Fayre, Plymtree Cricket Ground, Bank Holiday Monday, 28th August 12pm-4pm. Various stalls and side shows, including Pimp My Ride Competition. See Parent information board for details.

Exeter & Culm Vale Hornets Hockey Club Day, Saturday, 9th September 10am – 2pm. See parent information board for details or contact social@ecvhornets-HC.co.uk

Orway Porch Farm, Kentisbeare, EX15 2EY: Maize Maze will be open 10:30am-5pm every Friday, Saturday, and Sunday throughout the Summer holidays.

Tiverton Museum of Mid Devon Life have various activities for the children to enjoy during the Summer Holidays. See the Parent Information board for further information or alternatively check-out the museum website Museum - www.tivertonmuseum.org.uk

Kingswood Summer Holiday Club will be offering various activities throughout the summer holidays. For further information please contact Tel No 01884 906332 or email admin@kingwoodchildren.org.uk

Please note that we are unable to check on the validity of the companies or the people running the schemes, and if those working with children have the correct police checks.

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