



WESTFIELD NEWS



Wednesday 12th November 2025

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Dates for your Diary

Friday 14 th November	Children in Need non-uniform day
Tuesday 18 th November	Ancient Greeks history workshop in school - Year 5 Countryside Day Trip - Year 6 Parents Evening
Thursday 20 th November	Ancient Greeks history workshop in school - Year 6 Parents Evening
Friday 21 st November	TRAINING DAY - School closed to children
Monday 24 th November	The Usborne Book Fair will be in school - more details to follow
Friday 28 th November	CHRISTMAS FAIR 5pm to 7pm - see poster below
Monday 8 th December	SANTA DASH orienteering in school
Tuesday 9 th December	Christmas Performance - Year 3 and Year 4 at 2pm and 4pm
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Performance - Year 5 and Year 6 at 2pm and 4pm
Monday 15 th December	Christmas church service at St John's Church, more info to follow
Friday 19 th December	Break up for Christmas holidays
Monday 5 th January	BACK TO SCHOOL
Friday 13 th February	BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM

Monday 23rd February

TRAINING DAY - school closed to children

Tuesday 24th February

BACK TO SCHOOL

Thursday 2nd April

BREAK UP FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS

Monday 20th April

BACK TO SCHOOL

Awards w/e 07.11.25

Owls



Luca Y
Layla C
Maya
Rose

Maria
Jacob
Bobby F
Stella H

Max A
Oliver L
Frankie C
Amber K

Ethan B
Lilly-Rose H
Oscar D
Jemima H

Golden Stars



Emelia P
Max F
Eve R
John-Joe B
Harrison McC
Delilah
Isabel
Brooke
Isaac
Otis

Annabelle
Dexter
Oscar
Monica
Ivy L
Mia P
Cooper R-W
Emmett P
Rosie S
Gabriel S

Niamh C
Leyton D
Bobby E
Cole M
Rocco S
Hamish B
Charlie B
Carmen B
Ben F
Laila W

Edward H
Gabriel A
William W
Max D
Mia W
Toby W
Teddy H
Jemima H
Lainey-Blossom S
Eva T

Mrs P's Work of the Week

Outstanding work of the week awards for 07.11.25 goes to -

Phoebe M, Zac, Olivia T, Mae E, Blythe A-K, Charlie B, Samuel F,
Dylan M

View the work in the display cabinet under the canopy in the playground.

SCHOOL NEWS

THE SCHOOL Christmas Fair 2025 is fast approaching and we are asking for donations of chocolate, bottles and teddies for our tombola stalls please, if you are able to donate anything it would be really appreciated. Thank you!

Further information about the Fair as follows -

The £11 charge gains entry for 1 adult and a £10 token card to use on the school stalls on the evening. Please pay on ParentPay. Additional adults will be charged at £1, which will be deducted from your token card on the night. There is no charge for children's entry.

Santa 2025:

Santa visits are charged at £3 per child and each child will receive a gift. Please pay on ParentPay.

Christmas raffle tickets:

Raffle tickets are £1 each (each book is five tickets). Please make a payment on ParentPay for the number of tickets you wish to purchase and these will be sent home with your child. The raffle will be drawn on 28th November at the Christmas Fair and all winners contacted.

1st prize - Christmas Hamper

2nd prize - Otley show members tickets

3rd prize - Pizza house voucher

Lots of other prizes including 2 x cut and finish at Yazz Hairdressers, Eventsi Christmas Hamper, Harriets voucher, Morrison's voucher, Meaty's butchers voucher and lot lots more!

All profits raised from the Christmas Fair, Santa and the Raffle, will contribute towards revamping the outdoor play area for the Children and purchasing more Children's play equipment.



GET out your yellow and/or spotty, sparkly clothes because BBC Children In Need's non-uniform day is taking place in school on Friday November 14th! Feel free to come in Pudsey Bear themed outfits or just ordinary non-uniform if you prefer.

Donations to this wonderful charity can be made via our Yeadon Westfield Just Giving page at https://www.justgiving.com/page/yeadon-westfield-junior-school-2?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL

With many thanks for all your support!

ARE you concerned about smartphone safety & cyberbullying?

Wondering how to support your child?

Kooth, a free, anonymous online platform that provides mental health and emotional well-being support for children and young people, has a free 45-minute webinar available in November.

The webinar will offer practical tips on how to help children deal with potential problems, detail how parents can spot signs of cyberbullying and what action to take.

Find out more at [this link](#)

What's included in the webinar?

- Live webinar led by our Engagement and Clinical team
- Follow webinar recording and additional resources

How to sign up

Secure your spot today by following the links above. Once signed up, you'll receive the joining link and further information the day before the session. Feel free to share this with anyone else who might be interested.

EMOTIONAL WELLBEING

WORKSHOP

Last week children across all year groups (and the Harmony Representatives) took part in a wonderful workshop about 'emotional regulation'. They shared how they manage 'big emotions' and learned a range of strategies and techniques to use in the future. These included: belly breathing, 'tapping' and grounding techniques. We all felt very calm afterwards!



EMOTIONAL WELLBEING WORKSHOP



REMEMBRANCE DAY 2025

EVERYONE in school contributed to making a class wreath for Remembrance Day. The children learnt about why we wear poppies and what the different colours of poppies represent. Children visited the Memorial Garden at Nunroyd Park on Tuesday 11th November and laid some wreaths to show our respects.

The Friends of Nunroyd Park, who hosted the event, were extremely impressed with the children's impeccable behaviour and said what a credit they were to the school.



DEXTER W from Year 4 has raised an incredible £1480 for the Royal British Legion and his U9s Football Team by walking 28.2 miles across various locations from Harewood to Northumberland in one month!

Starting on September 28th through until October 31st Dexter undertook the challenge with help from his mum and dad, grandparents and his dog "Corporal Freddie".

For each walk he undertook he wore his own army costume, making him feel "strong and proud". He also carried an army rucksack to store his rations, wore a poppy and a Second World War medal found in a memorabilia shop in Filey.

Dexter featured in an article in the Yorkshire Evening Post this week and presented an assembly about his adventure to the whole school on the afternoon of Remembrance Day.

Well done Dexter we are all very proud of you.



LA LEADERBOARD: LEEDS

1. WESTGATE PRIMARY SCHOOL
2. YEADON WESTFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL
3. MEANWOOD C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL
4. SEVEN HILLS PRIMARY SCHOOL
5. ALWOODLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL
6. GREENHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL
7. OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CATHOLIC PRIMARY
8. KIPPAX GREENFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL
9. SOUTHROYD PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL
10. WHITE LAITH PRIMARY SCHOOL

AUTUMN 2025 **#WOWTopTen**

YWJS is a TOP Ten Superstar in the WOW Walk to School Challenge! This means across the whole of Leeds the school has been recognised as one of the most engaged and active schools in October!

Organised by Living Streets, the UK charity dedicated to everyday walking, the school is very proud of this fabulous sustainability achievement.

WOW is a pupil-led initiative where children self-report how they get to school every day using the interactive WOW Travel Tracker. If they travel sustainably once a week for a month, they get rewarded with a badge.

SPORT NEWS



THE Year 6 boys' footballers having been putting in a super effort, drawing in their last two games.

Before half-term, the boys drew a classic away at Rufford Park. Oliver scored a hat-trick in a 4-4 draw, where Jack made an excellent last-minute triple-save to ensure the boys earned a point.

Last week, the boys showed a great attitude to come from behind and draw 1-1 in terrible weather conditions at Rawdon St Peter's.

Great work, boys.



YEADON WESTFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL
PRESENTS ITS ANNUAL

Christmas Fair

**FRIDAY 28th NOVEMBER 5PM to 7PM AT
SCHOOL**

**CANDLE & MELTS STALL, CHRISTMAS HANDICRAFT STALLS,
CROCHETED ITEMS, JEWELLERY, CHRISTMAS DECS STALL, GAMES,
SANTA'S GROTTTO, CHOCOLATE FOUNTAIN, TOMBOLAS & MORE**

**CASH FREE EVENT, PLEASE PURCHASE TICKETS VIA
PARENTPAY OR CONTACTLESS ON THE DOOR**

Sleep Workshop



For parents
and carers of
children
experiencing
sleep
difficulties

Looking at:

- What are the main causes of sleep problems in children
- Strategies to help encourage good sleep routines
- Signposting to specialist services

Friday 28th November 2025 - 09:30am-12.00pm

Albion House
Rawdon Park
Yeadon
LS19 7XX



To book a place, email julia.whiteley@aireboroughxs.co.uk



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SEND PARENT CARER INFORMATION DROP IN

Date	Time	Venue
Wed 19 th November	10.30 till 12.30	The Welcome Centre, Belle Isle Rd, Belle Isle, LS10 3DN (signposted St John and St Barnabas Church)

Services in attendance:

- Leeds Local Offer
- SENDIASS
- Carers Leeds
- Child Health and Disability Team (CHAD)
- Leeds Parent Carer Forum
- Speech and Language Therapy Service
- SEND Coordinators, Family Hubs

Workshop details

- Theme: Carers Assessments and assessment for children
- Time: 11am till 12pm

Let us know if you will be attending the drop in
<https://surveys.leeds.gov.uk/s/InfoDropIn/>



If you would like more information about the drop in sessions email
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