



# WESTFIELD NEWS



Wednesday 06th May 2026

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## Dates for your Diary

- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May to  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May - Year 6 SATS week
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May - Year 3 and 4 Muddy Puddle Day**
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Year 6 Brownlee Triathlon
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM
- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June - BACK TO SCHOOL
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June - 5pm Year 6 Herd Farm parent information evening
- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June - 9.30am to 2.30pm, please make your own way there and back Year 6 Benton Park smaller transition day
- Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June - Year 6 parent information evening at Benton Park School
- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June - Year 6 Guiseley School invitation only transition extra visit day
- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June - 9.30am to 2.30pm, please make your own way there and back Year 6 Benton Park full transition day  
- Year 6 Guiseley School transition day
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June - DANCE SPECTACULAR
- Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June - Sports Day
- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June - Reserve Day for Sports Day, in case of poor weather

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July to  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Residential to Herd Farm

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leaver's Concert at 5.30pm

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July - End of year disco for years 3,4,5 from 4.30pm to  
5.30pm, more info to follow

- Year 6 PROM 5.45pm to 6.45pm, more info to follow

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July - BREAK UP FOR SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July & Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July - TRAINING DAYS - school closed to  
children

## Awards w/e 01.05.26



### Owls

Frances M  
Pippy V-H  
Harley  
Jorgie

Grayson R  
Leila S  
Leo  
Noah

Thea A  
Lucas H  
Blythe A-K  
Hannah E

Ethan B  
Samuel F  
Buddy H  
Connor H

### Golden Stars



Samuel K  
Harrison McC  
Max F  
Layla C  
Darcey L  
Jorgie

Mia C  
Gabriel S  
Joel T  
Lily V  
Myla Z  
Finlay

Carmen B  
Alfie M  
Luca P  
Rosie T  
Amber K  
Archie D

Sid O'C  
Mia W  
Max D  
Ava F  
Gabriel A  
Lucy H

### Mrs P's Work of the Week

Outstanding work of the week 01.05.26 awards given to -  
Mia-Leigh W, Maya, Mia C, Olivia, Joseph M, Esmee F, Neve W,  
Lacey-Mae P

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

# SCHOOL NEWS

Delilah  
William  
Josh  
Maddie

Monica  
Ruby  
Lily  
Harry

Evie T  
Jack T  
Dominic W  
Lola McA

Scarlett H  
Oscar B  
Dylan M  
Toby W

A **GROUP** of pupils had a visit from the old Bill this week! But the police officers were only here to give a presentation to the children about their jobs! The officers taught them how to contact the emergency services, what numbers they would have to call, what to ask for and what information they might need to give over the phone.

Then the children were allowed to explore their emergency vehicles and much to their excitement set off the emergency sirens! As well as trying on police uniforms.

The children had a wonderful time -





## ATTENDANCE FIGURES

Figures for week ending 01/05/2026 -

3B - 99%

5A - 91%

3L - 94%

5H - 98%

**REMINDER** - if you need a helping hand with school uniform or would like access to The Food Pantry, infant and junior schools joint foodbank, please complete the forms at the bottom of this school webpage, under "Support for Parents" -

[Letters and Forms | Yeadon Westfield Junior School](#)

Also if anyone would like to make a contribution to the food bank, please bring to reception, donations would be gratefully received. Thank you.



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## Upcoming Virtual Information Sessions on Microsoft Teams:

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### Topic - Transitions

Information and practical advice on transitions for children & young people with SEND.

**Date:** 14<sup>th</sup> May 2026

**Time:** 11:30-1pm



### Topic - Emotionally Based School Avoidance (EBSA)

Information about pupils feeling unable to attend their school or setting due to their individual needs.

**Date:** 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2026

**Time:** 11:30-1pm

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To book a place onto one of these virtual sessions, please email:  
[sendiassevents@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:sendiassevents@leeds.gov.uk)

Please state in your email which session you want to attend.

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[sendiasocialmedia@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:sendiasocialmedia@leeds.gov.uk)



# Be Curious

Saturday 16 May 2026, 10.00 - 4.00pm, University of Leeds



[Be Curious](#) is a fun and free family activity day at the University of Leeds. Explore hands-on experiments and eye-opening discoveries for children, from toddlers to older kids.

There are lots of activities to choose from, some of which are perfect for designers, engineers and inventors of the future. There is a full list on the [Be Curious webpage](#) (booking may be required). Please share this opportunity with your families and school community.

Visit the [Be Curious webpage](#) for more information.



## **AIREBOROUGH FAMILY SERVICES PARENT/CARER COUNSELLING SERVICE**

### **Who are we?**

Our student counsellors are trainee counsellors at Leeds Beckett University who are building clinical hours to complete the requirements of their qualification. University students are required to work in accordance with British Association of Counselling and Psychotherapy Ethical Framework, they will receive regular clinical supervision to ensure client safety and they will be fully supported by Aireborough Family Services. In addition they will have undergone enhanced checks with the Disclosure and Barring Service (formerly CRB check) as part of a requirement of undertaking the counselling training.

### **What is Counselling?**

Counselling offers you a regular time and space to talk freely about your experiences and feelings with a trainee professional in a way that may not be possible with friends and family.

Counselling may help you to see patterns in the way you behave and the choices you make and it may help you to think about past events in your life.

Counsellors respect you and offer encouragement without judging you; they can help you explore and make sense of your thoughts and feelings. Your counsellor might ask questions to help them understand your circumstances better, but you are in control of what you tell your counsellor and the speed at which you work. Your counsellor can help you find ways of coping and offer support to make changes.

### **Why might I be offered counselling?**

Counselling can help with experiences or feelings such as:

- Parenting Issues and Relationships
- Low self-esteem and self-confidence
- Stress, Fear & Anxiety
- Sadness & Depression
- Major life changes
- Counselling can also help you to come to terms with situations that cannot be changed

### **How many sessions will I have?**

Your first appointment will be to meet the counsellor and sign a counselling agreement and is an opportunity to ask any questions before the sessions begin. We use this appointment to explore your reasons for wanting counselling and the experiences/feelings you are having. It gives us the chance to see if counselling is right for you at this time and for you to ask any questions you might have.

If counselling is the right support, you will initially be offered 8 sessions. The first appointment does not count as one of your sessions. Wherever possible these will usually be on the same day, at the same time and in the same place each week. Sessions last for 50 minutes. The counselling sessions will take place within the cluster premises at Albion House where we have access to pleasant, private rooms.

Feedback from previous parents/carers that have accessed this service have found counselling useful.

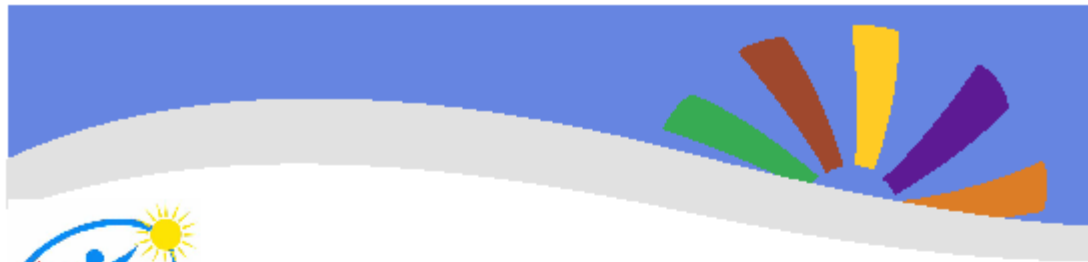
### Confidentiality

Confidentiality is important and we want you to feel safe and secure as you talk openly about whatever is troubling you.

One of the most important features of counselling is the quality of the relationship between parent/carer and counsellor which is built on trust. You need to know you can trust that what you share with your counsellor is respected, that you won't be judged and that what you share is confidential.

In your first appointment your counsellor will explain in more detail the limits of confidentiality and whilst it is likely that the Cluster will know about a counselling referral – staff in the cluster will not be told what you talk about in your sessions with your counsellor, but would have access to the number of sessions attended and a brief closing summary. This is for assessing the impact and quality of services and enables us to sustain the service and sometimes bring in additional funding. Any safeguarding concerns will be reported as per our Safeguarding Policy. A One Minute Guide is available upon request.

**Please speak to Mrs Stokey if you would like a referral.**



## Sensory Processing Workshop for parents/carers

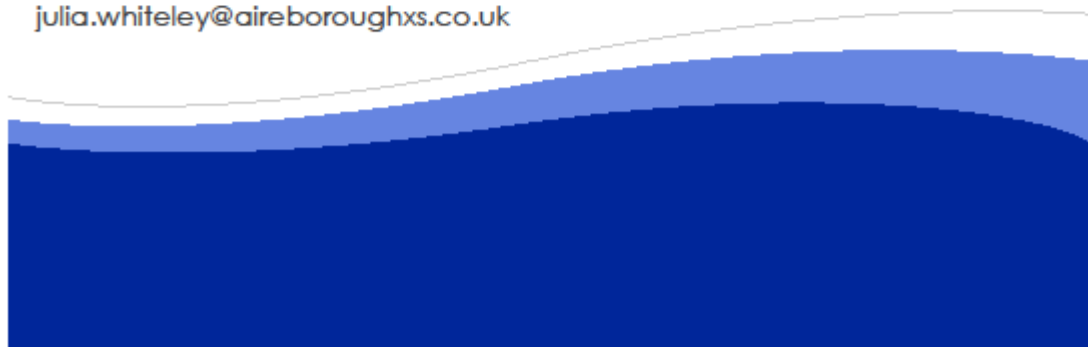
Join us for an introduction to sensory processing and interaction, we will explore the impact of sensory difference on the behaviour of neurodivergent children and share practical strategies for understanding and supporting this area of need.

This is an opportunity to meet other parents facing similar challenges and share ideas and experiences in a friendly and supportive environment.

**Friday 22nd May, 09:30-12:00**

**Venue: TBC**

To secure a place or for more information, please email  
[julia.whiteley@aireboroughxs.co.uk](mailto:julia.whiteley@aireboroughxs.co.uk)





-  [www.leedslocaloffer.org.uk](http://www.leedslocaloffer.org.uk)
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-  <https://tinyurl.com/LLOWhatsApp>

## SEND PARENT CARER INFORMATION DROP IN

Date	Time	Venue
Wed 13 May	10.30 till 12.30	The Old Fire Station, Gipton Approach, LS9 6NL

### Services in attendance:

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

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 [LLO@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:LLO@leeds.gov.uk)





# JUNIOR TRAINING

4:45pm – 5:45pm THURSDAY

at Nunroyd Park

Get your child  
into cricket

for

**BOYS AND GIRLS**



**AGES 6-12**

Contact: [Ash\\_glcc@outlook.com](mailto:Ash_glcc@outlook.com)