

Week 36



Wistaston Weekly

Friday 27th June 2025

Next Thursday (3rd July) is our annual Sports Day and Family Picnic. Children should come to school wearing their PE kit and bring a *labelled* water bottle and sun hat. Please ensure sun cream is applied before school.

Reception and Key Stage 1 events will begin at 9:30am, with parents welcome on site from 9:15am. These activities will run up to lunchtime. From 11:45am, all families are warmly invited to join us on the school grounds for a picnic. Children will need to be collected from their external classroom door and signed out by an adult. Children who usually have a school dinner can receive a packed lunch but this needs to be pre-ordered using the link below. Families are very welcome to bring their own picnic and if you are unable to attend, your child will sit with their teacher and classmates to enjoy the event.

Can we please ask everyone to complete the picnic form by **Monday 30th June at 9:30am** to let us know whether your child will require a school-packed lunch (Charged as usual via Arbor) or will be bringing lunch from home. If no form is submitted, we will assume your child is bringing lunch from home. Please be aware that there will be no alternative school dinners on 3rd June.

<https://forms.gle/26PoX8WANECXXr98>

The picnic will finish at 12:55pm, after which children will return to class. Key Stage 2 Sports Day will start at 1:30pm, with gates opening at 1:20pm for parents attending the afternoon events. If you have attended the Family Picnic you will be able to stay on the field and wait for the events to start.

Please note: Nursery will enjoy their own week of sporting activities and will only join in for the family picnic on 3rd July. If you require a school packed lunch for your Nursery child, please use the form above to order this in advance.

To help keep the day running smoothly and the site secure, school gates will only be opened at the following times:

- 9:15am – Reception & KS1 Sports Day
- 11:45am – Family Picnic
- 1:20pm – KS2 Sports Day

We look forward to seeing you for a fun-filled day of sport and celebration! Fingers crossed for good weather!

Kind regards

Mrs Elsley

Principal

Useful Dates for Diary

Further details are shared nearer to the time.

Any new dates added to this will be highlighted in green.

Important dates can also be found on the School Calendar at:

<https://www.wclacademy.co.uk/calendar>

Week commencing 30th June	Monday 30 th	Visitor from St Mary's Church visiting Cygnets
	Monday 30 th	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (9:15am – To be booked in advance)
	Monday 30 th	After School Rounders Club is cancelled today.
	Tuesday 1 st	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (10:40am – To be booked in advance)
	Tuesday 1 st	Year 4 Parent Assembly (2:30pm)
	Tuesday 1 st	Year 6 Reaseheath College Experience Day
	Wednesday 2 nd	Year 3 Portals to the Past Egyptian Workshop
	Wednesday 2 nd	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (9:15am – To be booked in advance)
	Wednesday 2 nd	Year 5 & 6 Pickleball Competition at Shavington Academy (3:30-5:30pm) – Selection by Random Draw
	Wednesday 2 nd	September 2025 New Starter Meeting (6:30pm)
	Thursday 3 rd	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (10:40am – To be booked in advance)
	Thursday 3 rd	Year 6 Springfield School Transition Morning
	Thursday 3 rd	Sports Day (KS1 AM/KS2 PM) & Family Picnic over lunchtime
	Friday 4 th	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (9:15am – To be booked in advance)
	Saturday 5 th	Sandbach High Open Day for Year 4 & 5 Pupils (9am-12)
Week commencing 7th July	Monday 7 th	Year 5 Chester Zoo
	Monday 7 th	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (9:15am – To be booked in advance)
	Monday 7 th	September 2025 New Reception Starters Visit (2pm)
	Tuesday 8 th	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (10:40am – To be booked in advance)
	Tuesday 8 th	Year 6 Production Dress Rehearsal for EYFS & KS1 (AM)
	Tuesday 8 th	Smart Uniform Click & Collect (3-3:30pm) – Date Change from 1/7
	Wednesday 9 th	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (9:15am – To be booked in advance)
	Wednesday 9 th	Year 6 Production Dress Rehearsal for KS2 (AM)
	Wednesday 9 th	Year 6 Production (1:30pm)
	Thursday 10 th	Year 5 Primary College
	Thursday 10 th	Year 6 Production (6pm)
	Friday 11 th	INSET Day – School will be closed to pupils.
	Friday 11 th	Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils (9:15am – To be booked in advance)
Week commencing 14th July	Thursday 17 th	Cygnets Parent Assembly (2:30pm)
	Thursday 17 th	Year 6 Leaversfest (5:30pm – time TBC)
	Friday 18 th	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (9:30am)
Week commencing 21st July	Monday 21 st	INSET Day
	Tuesday 22 nd	INSET Day
	Wednesday 23 rd	Start of Summer Holiday
Week commencing 28th July	Mon 28 th – Fri 1 st Aug	Summer Holiday
Week commencing 4th August	Mon 4 th – Fri 8 th	Summer Holiday
Week commencing 11th August	Mon 11 th – Fri 15 th	Summer Holiday
	Thursday 14 th	Cheshire East Summer Activity Day 11am-3pm (Book online)
	Saturday 16 th	Wistaston Flower & Produce Show
Week commencing 18th August	Mon 18 th – Fri 22 nd	Summer Holiday
Week commencing 25th August	Mon 25 th – Fri 29 th	Summer Holiday
Week commencing 1st September	Monday 1 st	INSET Day
	Tuesday 2 nd	School reopens for the Autumn Term
Week commencing 8th September		
Week commencing 15th September	Thursday 18 th	Academy Photography Ltd – Individual and Sibling Photos

Week Commencing 30th June will be WEEK 2 for lunches

Please be aware that there will only be school packed lunches available on Thursday 3rd July. These should be ordered in advance by 9:30 am on Monday 30th June using the form at the start of this newsletter. This applies to all pupils including Cygnets.

WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main Dish	Margherita pizza with baked potato wedges	Chicken tikka masala with 50/50 rice	Roast chicken with new potatoes & gravy	Italian pasta bolognese	Pork Sausage and Chunky Chips
VEGETARIAN DISH	BBQ bean & cheese wrap with 50/50 rice	Quorn™ lasagne with herby dough balls	Creamy Quorn™ pie with new potatoes	Vegetable Chow Mein	Vegetarian burger with chunky chips
ACCOMPANIMENTS	Peas & coleslaw Salad bar	Carrots & green beans Salad bar	Broccoli & cauliflower Salad bar	Sweetcorn & carrots Salad bar	Peas & baked beans Salad bar
DESSERTS	Lemon shortbread	Chilled mango & coconut rice pudding	Banana bread	Fresh fruit & ice cream	Fruit in jelly
FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
JACKET POTATO OR SANDWICH	Jacket potato	Turkey Sandwich	Jacket potato	Cheese Sandwich	Jacket potato

MENU

KEY 5 - 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY MEAT-FREE MONDAY CHEF'S CHOICE PLANT-BASED (VEGAN)

Allergens and Intolerances All of our food is lovingly hand-crafted and prepared on site daily. We have an allergen procedure in place, so please ensure you make our catering team aware of your allergens/ your child's allergens prior to using the restaurant. Our kitchens are used for multi-purpose production so we cannot guarantee the above dishes are completely free from allergenic ingredients or traces of these.

What's New!

KS2 Interschool Cross Country – Tuesday 24th June

We had a fantastic evening of cross country racing on Tuesday, and we're incredibly proud of all the KS2 children who represented the school with such determination and team spirit. There were plenty of impressive performances, including lots of top 10 finishes including a 2nd and 3rd place win! Well done to everyone involved!

Rounders After School Club - Monday 30th June

Due to staff availability, please be aware that the after school Rounders Club on Monday 30th June will be cancelled. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Swan Stars Bookings for Academic Year 2025-2026

Bookings for contracted sessions can be requested on KidsClubHQ from 30th June 2025. These will be allocated on a first come, first served basis depending on availability. Payment for contracted sessions is by monthly invoice to be paid before 1st of each month. Current contracts will carry over unless we are informed otherwise.

Bookings for ad-hoc sessions will be available to book from midday on 7th July 2025 subject to availability. Please note that payment for all ad-hoc bookings is due at the time of booking however far in advance. If payment is not made, bookings will unfortunately be cancelled on the system.

Please note that to cancel any bookings 4 weeks notice is required for contracted sessions and 7 days notice is required for ad-hoc bookings. Any sessions cancelled inside the notice period will still be chargeable in full.

Year 6 Reaseheath Experience Day – Tuesday 1st July

Please see below for all Year 6 pupils attending the Reaseheath Experience Day:

- A packed lunch and water bottle are required in a named bag or lunchbox.
- Children should wear school uniform unless otherwise instructed. This is dependent on the Career Path that your child chose ***Last Friday, Year 6 children brought home a slip with their allocated activity on and what clothes to wear. Please be aware that unfortunately, if the correct clothes are not worn then they will not be allowed to participate. Thank you for your support.***
- Children who have chosen the Food Processing option must complete a Visitor Health Questionnaire and review a copy of the Processing Halls Rules sheet. The Visitor Health Questionnaire needs to be completed by **all** children participating in the **Farm to Fork** experiences but **must not be completed more than 24 hours before the visit**. If this applies to your child, **please complete the questionnaire on Monday morning and return it to school by midday on Monday**.
- Children need to be in school at the usual time (8:40am) ready to leave by coach at 9.15am.
- We will return in time for normal home time arrangements.

Year 6 Leaversfest

Please be aware that there will be a bucket collection at the Year 6 performances on 9th and 10th July. All monies raised will go towards refreshments and entertainment for the Year 6 Leaversfest on 17th July. Any donations will be much appreciated.

Her-Place Uniform

Her Hub will be on site during the family picnic on Sports Day (3rd July). Please see below for more details:



Shavington Academy Tours for Year 5 Pupils

Shavington Academy will be running school tours from the 30th June. Booking is essential. Tours can be booked via email or phone call. Any Year 5 pupils wishing to attend a tour with their parent(s) will be permitted to do so – Please notify the school office prior to the tour if you make a booking.

Email: bharrison@shavington.academy

Phone: 01270 260717

The tours will run at 9:15am on the dates below:

Monday 30th June

Wednesday 2nd July

Friday 4th July

Monday 7th July

Wednesday 9th July

Friday 11th July (NB This is an INSET Day at WCLA)

Or at 10.40am on the following dates:

Tuesday 1st July

Thursday 3rd July

Tuesday 8th July

Thursday 10th July (NB This clashes with Year 5 Primary College Trip)

[Sandbach High Open Day for Year 4 & 5 Pupils](#)

Please see below details of an upcoming open day for Year 4 & 5 students:



**Sandbach High School
and Sixth Form College**
an ambitious school
with kindness at the heart of our high expectations

Open Morning

For Year 4 and 5 Parents and Carers
Saturday 5 July 2025
9am - 12 noon



Headteacher's talks
9.15am and 10.15am

Guided tours and lots of games and activities to enjoy!

We are proud of our ambitious school community
where students are at the heart of our values.



Please note that buses are available to transport children to and from Sandbach High School who live in the following areas:

Arclid, Betley, Coppenhall, Crewe, Haslington, Hassall Green, Hough, Madeley, Malkins Bank, Rope, Shavington, Sydney, Willaston, Winsford, Winterley, Wychwood Park. Public transport is also available to/from these surrounding areas: Alsager, Church Lawton, Congleton, Middlewich, Rode Heath, Scholar Green, Northwich and Winsford.



Open Evening

For Year 4, 5 and 6 Parents and Carers

Thursday 25 September 2025
5-8pm

We warmly welcome you to experience our amazing school in action. Where futures are shaped and opportunities are endless. Come and be part of our magic.

[Visyon Parent/Carer Webinars](#)

Visyon now offer free online parent / carer webinars covering a range of topics. Please see the website for further information and to book.

[Parent webinars | visyon](#)

[Cheshire East Summer Activity Day](#)

To celebrate International Youth Day and the support you can find in Cheshire East Family Hubs, the Children and Young People's Trust Board and Early Help Services are hosting an activity day for children, young people (0-19 or 25 if SEND or Care Leaver) and their families.

Go along to have fun, try something new and tell professionals what they can do to improve the services and support that you receive.

- Date: 14 August 2025
- Time: 11:00am-3:00pm
- Venue: Oakencloough Family Hub, Colshaw Drive, Wilmslow, SK9 2PZ

A light lunch and refreshments will be provided. Activities for all ages include: sports, arts and crafts, circus skills, mocktails and much more.

If you would like to attend, please book your space using the QR code on the poster or by clicking the following link: [Children, Young People and Families Activity Day Tickets, Thu 14 Aug 2025 at 11:00 | Eventbrite](#)

Children, Young People and Families Activity Day

11AM-3PM 14 AUGUST 2025

**Oakenclough Family Hub,
Colshaw Drive, Wilmslow, SK9 2PZ**



WHAT is on offer...

Lunch and refreshments provided

Sports, Circus Skills, Mocktails, Arts and Crafts, share your views on the outcomes of the Children and Young People's Plan, connect with local services and much more...

WHO is it for...

This activity day is for children and young people aged 0-19 (25 if SEND or Care Experienced) and their families.
(Anyone under 12 years old must be accompanied by an adult, 18 years old or over)



Book a space using the QR code



For more information please contact:
participation@cheshireeast.gov.uk



Sports Coaching Group Summer Holiday Clubs

SCG are delighted to announce that their holiday clubs are now live on the website! They have an exciting range of multi-sports camps and theme days lined up to keep all children entertained and active during the six-week summer holidays.

This summer, their theme days include:

- Wet 'n' Wild Day
- Nerf Day
- Party Day
- Gladiators Day

In addition to the theme days, they are also running sport-specific camps such as cricket and swim & splash.

Their multi-sports camps offer a wide range of activities, including dodgeball, football, tennis, basketball, rugby, handball, and archery.

Special Offer:

They are offering a FREE day on 25th July to give parents a chance to try out our provision!

Please see the flyer below for more details or visit their booking link: <https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/camp/388>



SPORTS COACHING GROUP

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS

MULTI - SPORTS VENUE

- Brine Leas Academy
- Chelford Primary School
- Edleston Primary School
- Holmes Chapel Primary School
- Farndon Primary School
- Leftwich Primary School (HAF Only)
- Sandbach Boys School
- Over St John's Primary School
- Worth Primary School

RACE AROUND THE WORLD

HAF AVAILABLE

FREE DAY ON FRIDAY 25TH JULY 2025

Ofsted Registered

The flyer features a central photograph of five children playing on a grassy field. To the right of the photo is a graphic of a globe with a winding road, a soccer ball, and a tiger, with the text 'RACE AROUND THE WORLD'. The bottom right corner includes the Ofsted Registered logo.



SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS



**NERF THEME
DAYS**



**PARTY THEME
DAYS**



**GLADIATORS THEME
DAYS**



**WET 'N' WILD
DAYS**



**RACE AROUND THE
WORLD**

CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED

TAX FREE SCHEME ACCEPTED

HAF PLACES AVAILABLE

CLICK BELOW TO BOOK	CRICKET SPECIFIC	SWIM AND SPLASH
<div style="background-color: orange; color: white; padding: 10px; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">BOOK HERE</div>	<p>ELWORTH CRICKET CLUB</p> <p>EVERY TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY DURING THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS. 9AM - 5PM</p>	<p>SANDBACH BOYS SCHOOL</p> <p>EVERY WEDNESDAY DURING THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS. 8:45AM - 3:15PM WRAPAROUND AVAILABLE</p>

SPORTSCOACHINGGROUP.CO.UK





LSC Summer Holiday Club

Please see below for details of the Summer Club being run by LSC at Berkeley Academy:



Fox Dance Academy Summer Holiday Club

This summer, Fox Dance Academy are offering three sessions each week:

- **Show in a Day Holiday Club**

A fun-filled day of dancing, singing, and acting as they create a mini show in just one day! This high-energy holiday club is packed with creativity, teamwork, and confidence-building fun-ending with a performance for friends and family.

- **All-New Popstar Academy Summer Club**

A week of high-energy fun at their Popstar Academy. Perfect for aspiring performers this club is packed with pop choreography, singing, games, crafts and a show-stopping performance.

- **Circus Skills Day - Aerial Hoop & Silks**

This thrilling session gives students the chance to try aerial hoop and silks, building confidence, making new friends and learning all things circus in a fabulous, fun day.

Spaces are limited and filling fast. To book a space, please click on the link below

<https://tinyurl.com/mpfr5utz>

 SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB	
	Monday 28th July Monday 4th August Monday 11th August 9am - 3pm £30
	Tuesday 29th July Tuesday 5th August Tuesday 12th August 9am - 3pm £30
	Thursday 31st July Thursday 7th August Thursday 14th August 9am - 1pm £20

Lunch Payments & KS2 Snack

If you have children in years 3, 4, 5 & 6, would like them to have snack each half term, please confirm consent and make payment via the *Trips* section on Arbor. Snack is charged at £5.10 per child for each half term. KS2 Snack for this half term shows as *KS2 Snack Summer 2 2025*.

When topping up meal accounts, please be mindful that we are unable to refund any balances remaining at the end of the school year. Meal payments should be made in advance.

Arbor Information

To ensure school has up-to-date contact information in case of an emergency, please check your child's Arbor account and inform school immediately by email of any changes or errors. Please also ensure that all consents (e.g. Local Area Visits, photographs, walking home, mobile phones, etc) are up to date and contact the school office if you have any issues. Thank you.

School Office Closure

Please remember that the school office will be closed on Tuesdays from 1pm until 3pm for the next few weeks. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Easyfundraising

Thank you to everyone who is supporting us for free on #easyfundraising. Your continued support means the world to us! If you've not signed up yet, please join today and you can raise free donations for Wistaston Church Lane Academy every time you shop online this year! Over 8,000 retailers like eBay, Argos, Marks and Spencer, John Lewis & Partners, Etsy, Tesco and Just Eat will donate at no extra cost to you. Please sign up today:

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/wistastonchurchlaneacademy/c9kbjl/c2s/FZ9Up2Ac/CE947/facebook/>

School Lottery

The Friends of Wistaston Church Lane Academy would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who has signed up to our school lottery over the last few weeks. For further information on how to join our lottery and support our school, please visit:

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/wistaston-church-lane-academy?utm_campaign=cause-page-social-share&utm_source=cause-page&utm_medium=social&utm_content=Hyperlink

SUPPORT OUR LOTTERY TODAY

£1 per week
Weekly cash prizes
£25,000 jackpot

YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY

How it works...

It's simple—choose 6 numbers between 0-9 and if they match the weekly lottery draw, you win great prizes. One of our players will win a cash prize every week, maybe even the £25k jackpot! Tickets cost just £1 per week and the proceeds are donated to Wistaston Church Lane Academy.

Every Saturday at 8pm the numbers are drawn and posted online. Winners are notified by email and winnings paid into the account of your choice.

The easiest way to join our lottery is online by direct debit or debit card.

It's so easy to join and will make a real difference to Wistaston Church Lane Academy

Splitting the £1.00

- 40p goes to our school
- 36p goes to cash prizes
- 20p goes to admin costs
- 4p goes to VAT

The Maths... 100 tickets sold a week means
= £30 weekly cash prize
= £2,080 a year for our school

Buy A Ticket

GambleAware 18+

Payment Due Dates

KS2 Snack Summer 1 – Payment now OVERDUE

Year 6 (Current Year 5) London 2025 – Final Balance due by 03/07/25

Year 4 (Current Year 3) Whitemoor Lakes DEPOSIT ONLY – Payment due by 17/07/25