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## Sherwood Junior School Newsletter

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## Dates for your diary




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*This week...*

***Tuesday 15 July 3.45pm: Choir performance for parents***

***Wednesday 16 July - Friday 18 July: Year 6 residential Mount Cook***

***Friday 18 July: Last day for school clubs***

*Next week...*

***Monday 21 July: No school clubs this week***

***Thursday 24 July 1.15pm - Year 6 Leavers' Assembly***

*Thursday 24 July 5-6.30pm - Year 6 Leavers Disco*

*Friday 25 July - Last day of school*

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*Details for any future events or trips will be provided nearer the time.*

### **Summer Term**

**Monday 28 July** - INSET (children not in school)

**Tuesday 29 July** - INSET (children not in school)

**Wednesday 30 July** - School holiday (school closed)

## **Term dates 2025-2026**

### **Autumn Term**

**Monday 1 September** - INSET (children not in school)

**Tuesday 2 September** - INSET (children not in school)

**Wednesday 3 September** - Children back to school

**Friday 17 October** - Last day at school

**Monday 20 October - Friday 31 October** - Half term holiday (school closed)

**Monday 3 November** - INSET (children not in school)

**Tuesday 4 November** - Children back to school

**Friday 19 December** - Last day at school

**Monday 22 December 2025 - Friday 2 January 2026** - Christmas holiday (school closed)

### **Spring Term**

**Monday 5 January 2026** - Children back to school

**Friday 13 February** - Last day at school

**Monday 16 February - Friday 20 February** - Half term holiday (school closed)

**Monday 23 February** - Children back at school

**Friday 27 March** - Last day at school

**Monday 30 March - Friday 10 April** - Easter holiday (school closed)

## Summer Term

**Monday 13 April** - Children back to school

**Monday 4 May** - Bank Holiday (school closed)

**Thursday 21 May** - Last day at school

**Friday 22 May** - INSET (children not in school)

**Monday 25 May - Friday 29 May** - Half term holiday (school closed)

**Monday 1 June** - children back to school

**Friday 24 July** - Last day at school

**Monday 27 July** - INSET (children not in school)

**Tuesday 28 July** - School holiday (school closed)

## Polite Reminder



A polite reminder that the children of Sherwood Juniors are the responsibility of their parents until we open our school doors at 8.45am. We have recently received reports of children behaving inappropriately on their way to school or whilst waiting for our gates to open at 8.40am. This is only a small number of children and we have spoken to the children involved and their parents.

Children who travel to school on their bike or scooter **must** do so safely and responsibly. Again, we have had reports that some of our pupils have been seen riding down the middle of busy roads and weaving in and out of traffic. Their safety is imperative, so please remind your child of the importance of travelling safely to and from school.

Thank you for your continued support.

## Personal Belongings



We acknowledge that some children like to bring their own pencil cases to school or fasten keyrings on their bags. We would like to remind everyone that children do not need to bring their own pencil cases as school provides all the equipment that they need throughout the day. Please note, the school does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to personal items. Sadly, there have been a couple of incidents recently where children have had their personal items damaged by other children which is very disappointing and upsetting for the children. These incidents have been resolved and dealt with appropriately. We ask that children think carefully about what they are choosing to bring in to school and that they must remain responsible for it at all times.

**We would also like to remind children to bring a refillable water bottle every day.**

## HAF Summer club



### Warsop Health Hub

10am– 2pm

Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday throughout August

Ages 5-11 in receipt of free school meals

FREE activities including arts, crafts, sport, games.

Lunch included

Book at



<https://eequ.org/book/haf-at-warsop-health-hub-with-more-leisure-community-trustserco-leisure-13141>

**MLCT** More Leisure  
Community Trust

During the Summer holiday, the More Health Community Trust will be offering FREE activities including climbing, arts, crafts, sports and games for any child aged 5-11 in receipt of free school meals.

These session will be held every **Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday throughout August** at the Warsop Health Hub.

To book your session, follow the link below:

[Holiday Activities | Warsop Health Hub](https://eequ.org/book/haf-at-warsop-health-hub-with-more-leisure-community-trustserco-leisure-13141)

## Crossing Patrol Update



As of the 14th July, Miss Pickering will be back with us in her role as Crossing Patrol but this will only be at the end of the day. There will be no crossing patrol in place in the mornings.

## Adventures at Mill Water Base : Summer offer

### Adventures Await This Summer at Mill Waters!

School's out, and the real fun is just beginning! If you're looking for an unforgettable way to kick off the summer holidays, head to **Adventures at Mill Waters!**

Set by the tranquil King's Mill Reservoir, Adventures is packed with pulse-racing activities like our **100-metre zip line experience**, **High Trek ropes course** the ultimate adventure with swinging logs, tricky obstacles and zip wires, and **Net Park**.

Whether you're planning a family day out, or just looking to burn off some energy, this is the place to be. It's all about fresh air, confidence building, and making lifelong memories.

Get 15% off activities using the code '**SCHOOLSOUT15**'. *Standard booking terms and conditions apply.*

 Adventures, Kings Mill Reservoir, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 4PA

 <https://adventures.nottinghamshire.gov.uk>



## Tea Party



Well done to last week's Tea Party winners - you're all superstars! Children receive a certificate, a treat and then attend a 'Tea Party' during the following week, to have a drink, a treat and play games - how exciting!

3H Mufaro - For her kindness to others.

3M Pola - For always being kind, polite and respectful.

4B Clayton - For always being kind to all and for his super work across all subjects.

4S Stanley - For always being thoughtful and kind to everyone he meets.

5N Lacey - For her commitment and for always thinking of others all the time (not just this week).

5B Oakley - For always being kind, respectful and extremely helpful towards members of staff and his classmates.

6P Lily - For being super helpful and kind during transition week.

6B Toby - For his hard work in RSHE this week and for his improved positivity, kindness and attitude through the year.

## Attendance



The overall attendance for last week was 91.6%

We monitor the children's attendance every day and will contact parents where there are concerns. If your child is unwell, please contact the school office to inform us of your child's absence.

*Last week's attendance winners were:*

1st: - 4B 96.2% Amazing!

2nd - 4S 94.5% Fantastic!

3rd - 3M 93.3% Super!

## Golden Tickets



Golden tickets are awarded by our senior leaders (Mrs Simpson, Mrs Bradbury & Mrs Seals) to individuals, groups or the whole class for demonstrating our school core values, including their attitude to learning and behaviour. Each senior leader has 20 golden tickets to present each week. Each class collects their golden tickets and a weekly total is shared in assembly. The overall scores are displayed on our leader board in the upper hall. The class with the most golden tickets at the end of the half-term receives £30 to spend on a treat!

Well done to **4B** for being this week's golden ticket winners and achieving an amazing **3** golden tickets each!

However, **3M & 6B** are now joint winners with 1 week to go for this half term's £30 prize - **Congratulations!**

## Reading Awards

Well done to these children for earning their **SILVER** Reading Award and showing an excellent level of dedication to reading at home.

Year 4: Riley

Well done to these children for earning their **DIAMOND** Reading Award and showing a tremendous level of dedication to reading at home.

Year 4: Maddison, Jaxson

Well done to these children for earning their **GOLD** Reading Award and showing a tremendous level of dedication to reading at home.

Year 6: Ella, Casie

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **PLATINUM** Reading Awards this year and showing a wonderful level of dedication to reading at home.

Year 3: Essie-May, Evie, Darbie

Year 4: Cora

Year 6: Raphael

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **RUBY** Reading Awards this year and showing a brilliant level of dedication to reading at home:

Year 4: Kaiden

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **EMERALD** Reading Awards this year and showing a fabulous level of dedication to reading at home:

Year 4: Adam

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **PEARL** Reading Awards this year and showing an outstanding level of dedication to reading at home

Year 4: Miah

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **OPAL** Reading Awards this year and showing an fantastic level of dedication to reading at home

Year 3: Honey, Michelle

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **GARNET** Reading Awards this year and showing an fantastic level of dedication to reading at home

Year 3: Rebecca

CONGRATULATIONS to these children for earning their **JADE** Reading Awards this year and showing a divine level of dedication to reading at home

Year 4: Leo

Year 5: Harrison

Year 6:Pippa

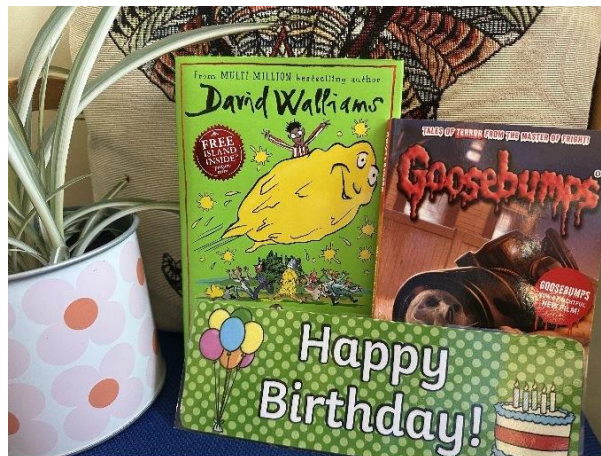








## Birthday Books



Happy birthday and happy reading to these children:

Year 3: Piper

Year 4: Oliver

## Joke of the Week



This week our joke comes from Mrs Simpson.

Why did the computer go to the doctor?

Because it had a virus!

## This Week's School Dinner Menu

We encourage the children to look at the menu at home with their parents to discuss what they might choose each day so that if they do not like the menu or jacket potato option on a particular day, they can bring a packed lunch.

### Week 1 Menu

14th July - 18th July

**My School Menu**  
Spring/Summer 2025

**Week 1**  
Week commencing  
21 April, 12 May,  
2 June, 23 June,  
14 July,  
1 Sept, 22 Sept,  
13 October

**Beef burger**  
Wednesdays

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Vegetarian roll Soya Milk Gluten with baked beans, jacket wedges & sweetcorn	BBQ cheesy chicken Milk with roasted new potatoes, broccoli & carrots	Beef burger Egg Sesame Gluten Sulphur Dioxide with oven chips, baked beans & peas	Yorkshire pudding wrap Milk Egg Gluten filled with roast turkey, roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables & gravy	Breaded fish Fish Gluten with potato balls, sweetcorn & peas
Option 2	Jacket potato served with your choice of: cheese Milk, baked beans or tuna mayonnaise Fish Egg & mixed salad	Jacket potato served with your choice of: cheese Milk, baked beans or tuna mayonnaise Fish Egg & mixed salad	Jacket potato served with your choice of: cheese Milk, baked beans or tuna mayonnaise Fish Egg & mixed salad	Jacket potato served with your choice of: cheese Milk, baked beans or tuna mayonnaise Fish Egg & mixed salad	Jacket potato served with your choice of: cheese Milk, baked beans or tuna mayonnaise Fish Egg & mixed salad
Pudding	Honey & oat cookie Gluten	Chocolate muffin Egg Gluten	Vanilla Ice cream tub Milk	Cornflake tart Gluten Sulphur Dioxide with custard Milk	Chocolate brownie Gluten

Available daily: Best of both bread, ~~potatoes~~ & fresh fruit

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The menus can be also be found on our website [School Dinners | Sherwood Junior School](#)

There will be a special party menu available on Friday 25th July to celebrate the end of term.



## Contact Us



**To report a child's absence** 01623 842545 phone school and leave a message on the absence line or speak to the school office.

Please note, the school office email should not be used to report an absence.

If you have any questions, please speak to your child's class teacher or contact the school office.

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