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# WPS NEWSLETTER

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## CRICKET AT TOTTERIDGE CRICKET CLUB

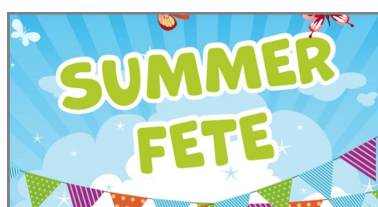
It was great to see Year 5 and Year 6 taking part in some cricket coaching at Totteridge Cricket club this week on a lovely sunny day. The children were invited by the club for the sessions, as part of their learning in Games lessons with Mr Mapes.



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## THE SUMMER FETE & SILENT AUCTION

Sunday 30th June is the date of the amazing WSA Woodridge Summer Fete and Silent Auction.



Artsmark  
Silver Award  
Awarded by Arts  
Council England



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stars  
Gold level accreditation

## SUMMER FETE BRING-INS

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Friday 7th June - Bottle tombola

Any type of unopened bottle. Alcohol/soft drinks/bubble bath/perfume - NO BLEACH

Friday 14th June - Toy tombola

Games and toys in good condition or new toys worth £1 - all wrapped pls!

Friday 21st June - Sweet tombola

Fill a glass jar (with a lid) up with sweets. Please mark if Kosher/veggie/halal

Friday 30th June - Cakes and biscuits

No Nuts pls . The WSA will b at school from 9am ready to accept deliveries or pls bring with and drop them off at the cake stall



## THE WIDERNESS CAFE

The Widerness Café will open again in two weeks time at 3.00pm, led and run by pupils in Year 6 as part of Wider Woodridge.



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## TERM DATES FOR 2024-25

On the later pages of this Newsletter are the term dates for 2024-2025. Please do not book holidays during term time.



## UPDATED KEY DATES, EVENTS AND TRIPS

For your diaries - below is the updated key dates, events and trips list. **Newer events are in red.** **\*\*Please note date change of Y1 trip to Barnet Museum.**

## WPS KEY DATES/EVENTS FOR 2023-24

**Woodridge**  
Primary School

<b>SUMMER TERM</b>	Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> June – Y4 Tables Check Week
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> April – INSET Day 4	Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> June – Y6 to Condover Hall
<b>Tues 30<sup>th</sup> April – Reception Class Assembly</b>	Tues 11 <sup>th</sup> June – YR to Bekonscot
Tues 30 <sup>th</sup> April - Y1 to Hertfordshire Zoo	Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> June – Y5 at Barnet Music Festival
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> May – BANK HOLIDAY	Tues 18 <sup>th</sup> June – Y1 Class Assembly
<b>Tues 7<sup>th</sup> May - Y2 to Barnet Environmental Centre</b>	Tues 25 <sup>th</sup> June – Y2 Class Assembly
<b>Tues 7<sup>th</sup> May - Y5 to Music Festival rehearsal pm</b>	<b>**Tues 25<sup>th</sup> June - Y1 to Barnet Museum</b>
<b>Weds 8<sup>th</sup> May - Copthall Athletics</b>	<b>Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> July – Y2 Roald Dahl Museum</b>
<b>Fri 10<sup>th</sup> May - Class Photo Day</b>	Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> July – Y1-Y6 Short Reports sent home
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> May – Y6 SATs week	Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> July – Infant Sports Morning
<b>Tues 14<sup>th</sup> May - Y5 Secondary Transfer Zoom 7pm</b>	Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> July - Y1–Y6 Learning Reviews 4-6.30pm
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> May – Red Nose Day	Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> July - Y1–Y6 Learning Reviews 4.30-8.00
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> May – Walk to School Week	Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> July – Junior Sports Day pm
<b>Mon 20<sup>th</sup> May - Woodridge Maths Week</b>	Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> July – Junior Production Dress 2.00pm
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> May – Y1 Phonics Parents' Mtg 9.00am	Tues 16 <sup>th</sup> July - Reserve Infant Sports Morning
Weds 22 <sup>nd</sup> May – Y6 School Journey Mtg 3.20pm	Tues 16 <sup>th</sup> July – Junior Production Perf 7.00pm
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> May – Y5 Southover Sleepover	Weds 17 <sup>th</sup> July – Junior Production Perf 7.00pm
<b>Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May – Y3 to Kew Gardens</b>	Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> July – Reserve Junior Sports Day pm
<b>WC 27<sup>th</sup> May – HALF TERM</b>	<b>Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July - Y6 Farewell Assembly 9.10am</b>
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> June – INSET day 5	Weds 24 <sup>th</sup> July – Last day of term 2.30pm
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> June – Y1 Phonics Check Week	

# STARS OF THE WEEK!

## Achievement Awards

Friday 7th June 2024

Each Friday we hold an Achievement Assembly where two children from each class are awarded a certificate for outstanding achievement in the week. These recognise hard work, great behaviour or exceptional progress, as well as our Woodridge Values.

Reception Oak	Seina for making good progress with independent writing and drawing skills. Akira for showing some excellent listening skills and for explaining his ideas really well.
Year 1 Willow	Max R for fantastic contributions at carpet time discussions. Zuri for positive attitude to learning and always trying her best.
Year 2 Rowan	Sia for her perfectly punctuated and beautifully presented holiday recount. Mia for settling into Year 2 so well-you always work hard, try your best and are a kind and caring friend.
Year 3 Silver Birch	Taha for being a great role model during football, fantastic reading skills and multiplication knowledge. Ken for excellent reading skills and multiplication knowledge.
Year 4 Ash	Ruben for his fantastic improvement in his times tables knowledge. Milly for her excellent flute playing and for having a go at a solo.
Year 5 Lime	Anoushka and Ethan for clear accurate maths reasoning when explaining an angles problem.
Year 6 Maple	Molly and Ayaka for learning all their lines and being really great in our play rehearsals.
Value of The Month	June - COURTESY

### SPORTING STARS OF THE WEEK

Well done to the following children for receiving certificates from Mr Mapes this week for being sporting stars:

Multisports - Eva YR, Ernie Y1, Hugo Y2 and Ezra Y2  
Gym - Aimee Y3 and Scarlett Y5



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# Woodridge Primary School



## TERM DATES 2023-2024

### Autumn Term 2023

Monday 4 September      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 5 September      First day back for pupils

Half Term: Monday 23 October – Friday 27 October

Monday 30 October      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 31 October      First day back for pupils  
Thursday 21 December      Last day of term: 2.30pm finish

### Spring Term 2024

Monday 8 January      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 9 January      First day back for pupils

Half Term: Monday 12 February – Friday 16 February

Monday 19 February      First day back for pupils  
Thursday 28 March      Last day of term: 2.30pm finish

### Summer Term 2024

Monday 15 April      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 16 April      First day back for pupils  
Monday 6 May      Bank Holiday: School closed for pupils

Half Term: Monday 27 May – Friday 31 May

Monday 3 June      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 4 June      First day back for pupils  
Wednesday 24 July      Last day of term 2.30pm finish

### Five INSET Days – School closed to children

Monday 4 September 2023  
Monday 30 October 2023  
Monday 8 January 2024  
Monday 15 April 2024  
Monday 3 June 2024

(Plus Monday 6 May 2024 - Bank Holiday)



# Woodridge Primary School



## TERM DATES 2024-2025

### Autumn Term 2024

Monday 2 September      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 3 September      First day back for pupils

Half Term: Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November

Monday 4 November      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 5 November      First day back for pupils  
Friday 20 December      Last day of term: 2.30pm finish

### Spring Term 2025

Monday 6 January      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Tuesday 7 January      First day back for pupils

Half Term: Monday 17 February – Friday 21 February

Monday 24 February      INSET Day: School Closed for pupils  
Tuesday 25th February      First day back for pupils  
Friday 4 April      Last day of term: 2.30pm finish

### Summer Term 2025

Tuesday 22 April      INSET Day: School closed for pupils  
Wednesday 23 April      First day back for pupils  
Monday 5 May      Bank Holiday: School closed for pupils

Half Term: Monday 26 May – Friday 30 May

Monday 2 June      First day back for pupils  
Tuesday 22 July      Last day of term 2.30pm finish

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Monday 2 September 2024  
Monday 4 November 2024  
Monday 6 January 2025  
Monday 24 February 2025  
Monday 22 April 2025

(Plus Monday 5 May 2024 - Bank Holiday)





# Woodridge Primary School Value Cycle



**Year B** (2023-2024)

September	<b>Kindness</b>
October	Freedom
November	Understanding
December	Co-operation
January	<b>Responsibility</b>
February	Tolerance
March	Thoughtfulness
April	Perseverance
May	Compassion
June	Courtesy
July	Humility

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Our strategic objectives

- 1**  
Through quality teaching and learning, to improve outcomes for all children by building a culture of achievement through progress across the curriculum.
- 2**  
To extend the Woodridge curriculum to create wider opportunities for all children to develop their skills and talents.
- 3**  
To develop sustainable, high quality and accountable leadership at all levels throughout the school.
- 4**  
To work in partnership with other schools, parents and the wider school community to enrich our school.