



June 2022 Newsletter

Thank you!

As the new Headteacher of Patrington CE Primary Academy I want to start with a big thank you. Our children here are wonderful and I am thoroughly enjoying getting to know them better. As parents and carers you have all been really welcoming too, this is very much appreciated.

I am now here at Patrington as Head Teacher full time, so if we have not yet met and you are able to join me for one of our Patrington pop ins please do. The support so far for these is great and it really is just a chance for an informal chat, a hot drink and even a biscuit or two if you'd like.

Gail Brown the CEO for our Trust will also be dropping in monthly and would love to meet more of you if you are available.

I understand that daytime opportunities never suit everyone, however I am trying to vary the days for these pop ins to at least try to meet as many of you as I can.

Dates for future Pop ins are on the attached dates list, but the next one is

Thursday 23rd June at 9am.

Looking forward to meeting more of you!

Sunflowers!

I hear that the sunflower for Ukraine day was wonderful and it is lovely that many of you are seeing success in the growth of these. We would love to see pics of any successful sunflowers and these can be emailed into the office. We will then display these photos together in school, so that everyone can see how well they've grown. Following the summer bloom, the sunflower heads can be dried, so that the sunflower seeds can be harvested. If you can, we would love these seeds

to be sent back to school, so that we can use the harvest to plant another crop of sunflowers in the coming year. *We also raised a magnificent £221!!*

Wear Yellow for Cystic Fibrosis



A cause that is close to our heart is to raise funds and awareness for Cystic fibrosis. We have decided to hold our own '**Wear Yellow**' day on **Friday 1st July**. We ask that children donate to come in something yellow that day, further details to follow.

Y6 Leavers' schedule

Y6 are going to be part of a wonderful Leavers' Service at Beverley Minster on 28th June, this is something that the Diocese of York do especially for the Y6 pupils in their Church schools and it is an honour to be invited to such a special building and service.

The last week of term will have a number of treats in store for Y6, with talk of a pizza party and a slip and slide included in the plans!

We shall hold our own Leavers' service at St Patrick's Church on the afternoon of Thursday 21st July and I am in the process of confirming a start time for this with the Church warden.

The final afternoon of the Summer term at Patrington School will be dedicated to our Y6 pupils and there will be a special assembly for the parents of these pupils on this afternoon. (This will replace the usual celebration assembly.)



Friends of the School Disco

We are pleased to announce that the disco has been rearranged and will now be held on:

Wednesday 13th July

Years 1, 2 and 3 pupils - These children will be asked to bring their disco clothes in a bag with them that day and change into these at the end of the school day. Their disco will run from **3.30pm-4.30pm**.

Years 4, 5 and 6 pupils - Will return to school to disco at **5pm** and it will end at **6pm**.

Friends of the School will be in touch soon with further details.

Clubs

With waiting lists for clubs, we have managed to reschedule the next round of clubs and if your child is on the list you will have had a letter to confirm this.

'Spectaculab' is a new Science club run by Katy Smith, an external provider. This is for Y2-Y6s and costs £5 a week, this is payable directly to Katy, but please secure your child's place by logging onto Parentpay.

Attendance - Summer 1

FS2	95.3%
Year 1	96.3%
Year 2	97%
Year 3	95%
Year 4	96.3%
Year 5	91.6%
Year 6	94%

Staffing Changes

Mrs Fleming and Miss Nippress are planning to start their maternity leaves early July. We of course wish them both the very best and we look forward to hearing their news. We shall of course prepare their classes for this change and we will send confirmation soon of who will be taking over for these remaining few weeks.

Moving Up day

On **Friday 15th July** all of our children will have a day with their future teacher for the 2022-2023 academic year. This is a great opportunity to meet their new teacher and get to know one another a little better. We know that everyone will be excited to find out more!

Sporting Events

Tri-Golf

There is a Tri-Golf tournament coming up on Monday 20th June for Years 3,4,5 & 6 at Withernsea High School from 4pm-5.30pm. Please return the slip if your child would like to be involved.

Sports Day

Planning is underway for our Sports Day and we are excited to let you know that this is in the calendar for **Tuesday 5th July**. The morning looks set to be a mix of team activities and the afternoon will be a chance for parents to join us. Fingers crossed the weather is kind! We are aiming for a **1.15pm** start!

Warmer days

As the temperature rises, please ensure that your child arrives at school with a sunhat, and a bottle of water. Sun Cream should ideally be the longer lasting type and applied before they come to school.

Jubilee Fun

Thanks to all who were able to join us for the fun of the Platinum Jubilee, I attach a couple of photos from the day!

