



Wawne Primary School Newsletter December 2025



Welcome to the December edition of the school newsletter. I can't quite believe that this will be the final newsletter of 2025- where did that year go?! As always things are very busy in school as we move towards the end of term and the festivities ahead. The staff and children are all very busy practising for their Christmas performances in a few weeks' time. It is always a pleasure to see the children's enthusiasm as they work together. We are proud of all of their hard work and can't wait to share the celebrations with you all as we count down to the festive period. Alongside these preparations, our focus on learning remains strong making sure progress continues and routines stay reassuringly familiar for all of the children. Thank you as always for your continued support and choosing to send your children to our school. The staff and I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy Christmas and a happy, healthy New Year. We look forward to welcoming you all back to school in January 2026!

Mrs Lawson

School Lunches

Please continue to book your child's lunches (including packed lunch) on School Money.

Nursery parents only need to book lunches for the days that their child will stay for lunch please.

Please ensure that you make all bookings for lunches by midnight on the Sunday before the start of the week as the system then closes down for the office to collate numbers and children's requirements for that week.

PE Kits

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school for their lessons. All children should bring their PE kits to school on a Monday and leave them in school until Friday, when they can take it home to be washed. Now the weather is much colder, please make sure your child has a hoodie and joggers for outdoor lessons.

Your child will need a pair of trainers for all PE lessons. Please ensure children have tape to cover earrings if worn.

Extra-Curricular Clubs Before/After School

Wednesday 3.30 - 4.45pm Kids with Bricks
Years 1-6

Thursday 3.30 - 4.15pm Sports Club
Years 1 & 2

Friday 8.00 - 8.45am Fit4Fun Gymnastics Club

If anybody knows of anyone that would be interested in running a club at our school, please speak to Mrs Lawson.

Extra-Curricular Clubs Lunch Times

Monday- Lego Club- Mrs Duranti

Tuesday- Music Club- Mrs Sharman

Wednesday- Girls' Football Club

Thursday- Drawing Club- Mrs Rahman
Whole school

Friday- Football Club

Every day on a rota- Library Club

All week- Sports activities run by our Sports Leaders

Green Gang will return in the Spring Term.

Christmas Fair

On **Monday 15th December at 2pm** we will be holding a Christmas Fair in school and we would like to invite all parents, carers, families and friends to join us for this festive afternoon. The children will be working in their colour teams in the lead up to this event to create some wonderful things that will be available to buy as well as some fun activities to take part in. The PTFA will be providing refreshments in the hall. Please could we request that you bring cash with you to the event. All money raised will go towards enrichment activities and resources for the children.

Christmas Hamper Raffle

Tickets are now available for the PTFA's Christmas Hamper Raffle. Tickets cost £1 per ticket and all money raised goes towards the Children's School Fund for enrichment activities. The draw will take place in school during the last week of term. Thank you for your support.



Christmas Plays

Over the last few weeks the children have been extremely busy practising for their Christmas performances. We look forward to inviting you to watch them on the following days.

Born in a Barn- EYFS and Class 1- Monday 8th December 9.30am and Tuesday 9th December 2pm

Lights, Camera, Christmas- KS2- Monday 8th December 2pm and Tuesday 9th December 9.30 am.

Letters have gone out with ticket details and tickets are being sent home. Please ensure you bring your tickets with you on the day as we are only able to admit a certain number of people into the school hall. We will be unable to let people in without a ticket and there is a maximum of 2 people per family per performance.



Breakfast and After School Club

If you wish to book your child into the club, please ensure you have completed and returned the Wraparound Care Contract and Contact Form.

As the provision will be run by school staff, the times and fees will be as follows:

Breakfast Club- 8am-8.50am £3.50 per child per session

After School Club- 3.30pm-5.30pm £6.50 per child per session



Payment must be made before your child attends the club and children can be booked into either club up to midnight the night before. We hope that families will support the provision so that we can keep make it a long term childcare provision to support all of our families, at the moment we are at risk of losing the after school provision due to the low uptake of places.

For further information, please contact the school office.

The following activities take place each night at After School Club:

Monday: Cooking Club

Tuesday: Arts and Crafts

Wednesday: Drawing Club/Computing Club

Thursday: Performing Arts/Games Club

Friday: Cooking Club

School Car Park

Please can we remind parents, carers and families that the school car park must NOT be used to drop off or collect children at any time. **This includes for breakfast and after school club, gymnastics club and any other clubs being held outside of school hours.**

The school gate is closed for security purposes from 9am-3.45pm. Thank you for your support with this matter.



PTFA

We would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to all of our wonderful PTFA parents/carers who have given up so much of their time to support the children over the last year. Your help at events is very much appreciated and your dedicated has enabled us to provide many things for the children.



Mr Heald, Cassidy and Teddy's Dad, has also kindly agreed to build an outdoor play kitchen for the children to use on the school field. This is something we have wanted for some time so a huge thank you to Mr Heald for his kind offer.

Thank you also to the team who planted over 600 daffodil bulbs around the front entrance. We can't wait to see them when they bloom in the Spring.

If you are interested in helping out in any way, no matter how much. Please get in contact with Emily Thompson or the school office.

Fit4Fun Sessions

Due to events taking place in school, we have had to rearrange the Fit4Fun sessions for Foundation and Class 2 on the following dates:

Thursday 4th December instead of Friday 5th

Thursday 11th December instead of Friday 12th

Fit4Fun sessions will continue in January for children in Class 1 and Class 3.

Christmas Lunch & Jumper Day



Our annual whole school Christmas lunch and wear a Christmas jumper day will take place on **Thursday 18th December**. We look forward to another delicious lunch cooked by Mrs Sanderson, Mrs Pinder and Mrs Jessop.

Congratulations Drew!

We are delighted to share some extremely exciting news with you all. Drew in Class 1 was recently invited to take part in a national horse riding show- STARS Champion of Champions held at Aintree Racecourse. Drew competed in a class of 77 and was placed 3rd and was also chosen as the highest placed Dartmoor (the breed of his pony). This qualified him for the Dartmoor Supreme Class Champions of Champions which was all of the winners from all of the classes over the course of the week with winners from all over the UK. Drew went on to win this and was named as the Supreme Champion- a national superstar!! This event was covered on national television and Drew has even been interviewed for Horse and Hound Magazine. We are all so proud of Drew and this amazing achievement. I am sure you will all join us in sending a huge CONGRATULATIONS to Drew....Well done!



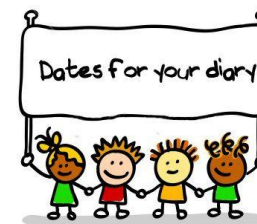
Parent Governor

We are pleased to announce that Mr Michael Hargreaves has been appointed as our new Parent Governor. As there was only one nomination submitted, Mr Hargreaves has been elected unopposed. We look forward to working with him and thank him for volunteering his time to support our school community.



Dates for your Diary

All term dates for the 2025/26 and 2026/27 academic year can be found in the Parents section of the school website.



December

Monday 1st- School Council Christmas Tree Decoration Competition

Thursday 4th- Fit4Fun Gymnastics session for EYFS & Class 2 instead of Friday 5th

Monday 8th- Christmas Plays- EYFS/Class 1 9.30am KS2- 2pm

Tuesday 9th- Christmas Plays- KS2 9.30am EYFS/Class 1 2pm

Thursday 11th- Fit4Fun Gymnastics session for EYFS & Class 2 instead of Friday 12th

Friday 12th- Wawne village Christmas lights switch on

Friday 12th- End of Term trophy assembly 3pm

Monday 15th- Christmas Fair in school 2pm- Children to wear Team tshirts please

Tuesday 16th- Children's targets sent home

Wednesday 17th- Hull New Theatre Panto trip to see Beauty and the Beast

Thursday 18th- Christmas jumper and Christmas lunch

Friday 19th- Christmas activity day in school

Friday 19th- School closes for the Christmas holiday

January 2026

Tuesday 6th- School opens for the Spring Term

Friday 16th- Class 1 Understanding Emotions assembly with the Mental Health Support Team

Thursday 29th- Class 3 STEM workshop with engineers from Cavendish Nuclear

Further information and dates will be shared via Class Dojo. Please check Class Dojo

School Story and Class Stories regularly for updates.



time to start school

If your child was born between
1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022
and you live in East Riding you should apply now for a
school place to start infant or primary school from September
2026

Apply for a school place by no later than 15 January 2026 at
www.eastriding.gov.uk/apply-for-a-school-place

Applications can be made on smartphones, tablets or desktops by registering
an email address and completing the online form on our Citizen Portal.

Application information and advice is available in our Guide for Parents.

The benefits of applying online include an email with the results on
National Offer Day - 16 April 2026.

If you can't apply online, you can ask for an application form from the School
Admissions team and return it to County Hall, Beverley or to any East Riding
Customer Service Centre by 15 January.

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