



# Willow Bank Infant School Newsletter

## Diary Dates :

### September:

16<sup>th</sup> Second Hand  
Uniform Sale  
16<sup>th</sup> coffee Pm (Yr1)  
26<sup>th</sup> Yr1 Trip

30<sup>th</sup> Coffee Pm  
(EYFS)

### October:

11<sup>th</sup> Parents Eve  
12<sup>th</sup> Parents Eve  
13<sup>th</sup> Parents Eve  
14<sup>th</sup> Halloween Disco  
21<sup>st</sup> INSET

## ***From the Headteacher:***

***16<sup>th</sup> September 2016***

Hello everyone! I hope you have all had a fabulous week at school. The children have all been very busy this week. I have been visiting their classrooms, and have seen some lovely work! I am also getting to know their names, although it is taking some time, however, the children have been very patient with me!

It was lovely meeting some of the parents at the Coffee Afternoon yesterday, I am looking forward to meeting some more this afternoon and in a few weeks' time. I realise that a number of parents are working, and may not be able to come to school in the middle of the day, and so I shall arrange a date for an evening session, so that I can meet as many parents as possible before the term runs away with us.

There are a few spaces left on our Thursday Multi Skills After School Club, if your child is interested, please register at [www.getactivesports.com](http://www.getactivesports.com)

I would like to have a Class Parent Representative for each class in the school, who would serve as a liaison between the school, the teacher and the parents of the class- helping parents who haven't had a child go through the school, reminding parents of upcoming events, and generally being a 'go-to' guide for the other parents in the class to speak to. If you think you may be able to help out, please speak to Mrs Leary in the office. Thank you!

I hope you have a lovely weekend!

***Michelle Masters***

## Remember:

- EV2 form
- Yr 1 Trip form

## ***From the Governing Body:***

We hope that you have all had a restful and happy summer. We hope that our returning pupils are pleased to be back and that our new staff and Foundation Stage children and parents to the school community have settled in quickly and will be very happy at Willow Bank.

We held our first Full Governing Body meeting this week and are looking forward to a successful year with the new focuses and the creation of some new roles, such as Year Group Governors. We currently have three vacancies on the Governing Body and are looking for a parent governor, staff governor and co-opted governor to complete our group. You will receive an invitation to nominate yourself as a Parent Governor or Co-opted Governor next week and we very much hope that you will consider doing so by 7th October 2016. For further details please read our governors newsletter on the school website at <http://willowbankinfant.com/vacancies-20162017>.

**Congratulations to these children for earning the Headteacher's award!**



**Happy Birthday to these children!**

