

# Silsden Primary School



## Weekly News – w/c 8<sup>th</sup> June 2026

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w/c 8<sup>th</sup> Phonics  
Assessment Week  
10<sup>th</sup> Y3 Production  
(Afternoon and evening)  
11<sup>th</sup> RSE Parents  
Consultation  
Meeting  
12<sup>th</sup> PTFA Dress Down  
Day  
17<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> Bushcraft  
Residential  
29<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> Y6 South Craven  
Transition Days  
30<sup>th</sup> Whole School  
Transition Day

### July 2026

1<sup>st</sup> July Whole school and Yr6  
class leaver photos  
3<sup>rd</sup> Summer Fair  
6<sup>th</sup> Yr 5 at South Craven  
w/c 6<sup>th</sup> Sports Day  
10<sup>th</sup> Yr 6 Pen-y-ghent  
10<sup>th</sup> Reports Out  
14<sup>th</sup> Yr 6 Leavers Festival  
15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Production  
@ 6pm  
17<sup>th</sup> Break up for summer  
20<sup>th</sup> Training Day

### Whole School Messages

**PTFA Dress Down Day - Friday, 12th June** - Instead of a monetary donation, we're kindly asking for a small item for our fantastic Rainbow Tombola. Each year group has a different colour, so for example you could have a bar of chocolate for brown or strawberry jam for red! Plus, if you're doing a spring clean, please bring in any old toys, books or cuddly toys you no longer need for our Pre-loved toy stall and Adopt a Teddy stall at the Summer Fair. Your contributions make a huge difference! [TOMBOLA COLOUR & DRESS DOWN DAY POSTER - CLICK HERE](#)

**PTFA Summer Raffle** - Please return all stubs and money by Friday, 10th July. The draw will take place on Monday, 13th July after school at 3:30pm. The PTFA will be selling tickets at different locations locally, so watch this space! Plus, each child has been sent a book of tickets in their bag to sell. More are available from the school office if needed. The top prize is an annual pass to Bolton Abbey - definitely worth a ticket or two! [SUMMER RAFFLE POSTER CLICK HERE](#)

### Year 6 Specific Messages

The annual Year 6 Pen-y-Ghent walk will take place on Friday 10th July. Please give consent and make payment through the Trips section on Arbor. To order a school packed lunch please use this link - [Year 6 Pen-y-Ghent walk packed lunch - school packed lunch – Fill in form](#) The deadline is 10am on 26th June.

Further details can be found here - [Year 6 Pen-y-Ghent letter](#)

Leavers Hoodies Children can wear these hoodies as a replacement to their school jumpers Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. On Mondays and Tuesdays, children should wear their normal PE uniform without their leaver's hoodies.

### Year 5 Specific Messages

Welcome back to school for the final part of the Summer term. Outdoor learning will take place on Tuesday, 9th, 23rd June and 7th July. Whilst we hope that the weather will be good, the children still need outdoor shoes and a waterproof jacket. PE days will be changing for 5 Wilberforce and 5 Pankhurst from next week. They will now be on Mondays and Thursdays so that we can work as a year group (alongside 5 Churchill) on our athletics skills. Thank you.

YEAR 5 SOUTH CRAVEN VISIT - On Monday 6th July all Year 5 pupils will be attending South Craven School for the day. Transport is provided by South Craven; children should be dropped off and collected at the normal time. Please give consent for your child to attend through the Trips section on Arbor. Please can children wear their normal school uniform and bring a nut-free packed lunch and a water bottle. If your child would like to order a school packed lunch please use the following link, the deadline is Friday 19th June -

[YR 5 PACKED LUNCH ORDER FORM - CLICK HERE](#)

### Year 4 Specific Messages

Outdoor learning is on Friday; please make sure your child has outdoor shoes to change into and a coat.

We are finding that there are an increasing number of children who are bringing fidgets and football cards in from home. These items should not be in school - the only fidgets that should be in school are ones that have been provided or approved by school. If they are out in class time, they cause distractions and they will be confiscated.

For the next few weeks, we are learning about time in maths lessons. Please encourage your children to practise at home (with analogue clocks ideally). Please keep encouraging your children to access Soundcheck on TTRS - the children will be doing the Multiplication check next week.

Don't forget to check Arbor for messages about the residential on 17th June.



## Year 3 Specific Messages

**YEAR 3 PRODUCTION** - We are getting ready to show you our fantastic production of 'Rocking Up to Hadrian's Wall' next Wednesday evening. We would like the children to be at school for 6:15pm to get ready before the show at 6:30pm. Because of the capacity of the hall, we would appreciate it if there could be a maximum of two people per child coming to watch. We won't be issuing tickets. Where at all possible, please try to leave younger siblings at home - children in school will be seeing it on Wednesday morning. It would be great to have in school any costume items by Monday at the latest so that we know if there's anything else we need to find. As previously requested, if the children can wear a red tee-shirt, that would be great - plain and without big designs. Some of the children have been spoken to separately about particular costume items. If, for whatever reason, your child is unable to attend on Wednesday evening, please give us plenty of notice! It's always a tricky thing to reassign lines on the night! Many thanks.

**OUTDOOR LEARNING** - Outdoor Learning is on Thursday this week, please send children in with wellies and a waterproof coat (despite the warm weather, please send them with a thin coat to protect them from any showers). **GENERAL HOUSEKEEPING POINTERS** - - Please label your child's clothing items especially as the weather is getting warmer. - Ensure your child has a water bottle in school. - Please do not allow them to bring in any items from home including trading items such as cards and resin animals. - Children should not be bringing sweets in their packed lunches!

## Year 2 Specific Messages

On Wednesday 10th June we have our trip to Lytham St Anne's! We are all very excited and just have some final last announcements.

Please ensure that your child comes into school in PE kits and with coats. It is meant to be cool on the day. Children can bring a bucket and spade to the beach with them! Please can these be handed in on Monday/Tuesday with names so we can collect them ready to go on our trip.

If you haven't ordered a school pack lunch, please ensure that your child has brought a packed lunch with them.

Any parent volunteers, please can you come to the office at 8:40am with your child so that Miss Nicholson can run through the risk assessment with you. Thank you again for volunteering to come with us and I hope you are excited!

**Please ensure that consent is provided for the children who are visiting the Mosque on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June.**

## Year 1 Specific Messages

For our outdoor learning please can each child bring a 2-litre plastic bottle into school before our next outdoor learning lesson on Friday of Week 3. Indoor PE for Brunel is now climbing again. Please can you try to tie hair up low so children can wear helmets. Outdoor learning for all classes this half term will be on Friday 5th June, Friday 19th June and Friday 3rd July.



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### Reception Specific Messages

No news to report this week.

### Nursery Specific Messages

No news to report this week.

### Welfare / Pastoral Messages

Registration form	Attendance this week	Attendance this academic year
1 Brunel	99.5%	95.8%
1 Stephenson	98.3%	96.5%
1 Whittle	95.5%	95.5%
2 Baird	92.5%	96.3%
2 Bell	93.3%	95.9%
2 Berners-Lee	98.3%	95.7%
3 Elgar	99.5%	95.8%
3 Holst	89.8%	95.6%
3 Lloyd-Webber	97.3%	95.8%
4 Anning	95.4%	94.5%
4 Hawking	91.1%	96.1%
4 Turing	91.9%	96.7%
5 Churchill	96.4%	95.1%
5 Pankhurst	95.3%	95.6%
5 Wilberforce	97.9%	95.1%
6 Drake	93.8%	95.8%
6 Nelson	94.0%	95.2%
6 Tull	91.8%	95.2%
Donaldson	95.2%	93.6%
R Jenner	94.3%	94.0%
R Nightingale	96.4%	94.6%
R Seacole	98.9%	95.4%
	<b>Average: 95.2%</b>	<b>Average: 95.4%</b>