



# The Update

From W.P.S

11<sup>th</sup> February 2019

## Charity Evening

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Events



**FRIDAY 26 APRIL 2019 - 7.30PM**  
**BRADFORD & BINGLEY RUGBY CLUB**  
**BRADFORD**

Tickets £12.50

Includes pie & pea supper, raffle & games

Contact Ben Grange for tickets ☎ 07811 100153

In support of



**Bradford  
Hospitals'  
Charity**

Reg Charity Number 1061753



Charity reg no 1170369

[charity@bthft.nhs.uk](mailto:charity@bthft.nhs.uk)  
01274 274809



**forget me not  
children's hospice**  
Charity reg no 1110457



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Dear Parent / Carer

A huge thank you to the Wilsden Co-Op. They are donating some of their perishable stock to school to use with the children rather than it going to waste. We are also one of their Community Causes. Each time you scan your "Membership Card" in the Co-Op, school receives some money. If you would like any more information, staff from the Co-Op will be attending Parents' Evening,

**John Davison**  
**Headteacher**

New messages for this week		
Whole school	Mrs Harps	I am sorry to say that due to illness Mrs Harps is currently absent from school. In her absence if you have any queries that you would usually talk to her about, please could you contact the school office and they will direct you query to the most appropriate member of staff. Mr Davison.
Year 4	Nell Bank	We are looking forward to seeing many of you at our Nell Bank information session after school next Thursday (14th February). The meeting will take place in Holly class and Willow classroom will be available for your children to wait in for the duration of the meeting though very young children may wish to stay with parents. Willow classroom will be supervised by a member of staff. Prior to the meeting, we would like to share with you the staffing arrangements. The staff accompanying the children for the residential are as follows: Miss Shoemith, Miss Gee, Mrs Ryder-Maddocks, Miss Baker and Mrs Baldwin. During the days, Mrs Robinson and Mrs Atkinson will also be supporting the children in the various activities alongside the Nell Bank staff. <a href="#">Full information can be found on the letter on the website</a> , or by attending this meeting. Alternatively, contact any Year 4 staff anytime.
Year 4	Message from Mr Davison	I am sorry to say that due to illness Mrs Chadwick is currently absent from school. In her absence we have a supply teacher working with the children for the part of the week when she usually teaches. Mrs Crawshaw is teaching her usual days with the class. During this week's consultation evenings, Mrs Crawshaw will be in school and will meet with any parents who had made an appointment to meet with Mrs Chadwick. The best outcomes possible for the children are our primary focus within school and we will do all we can in school to maintain continuity for the children. Thank you for your support, Mr. Davison
Year 5	PE lesson / Tea Dance	This half term in PE, year 5 have been learning to ballroom dance. With a partner they have put together their very own waltz routine. As a special treat for all their hard work, we are going to hold a tea dance during out PE lesson on Wednesday 13th February. The children are therefore invited to bring a 'smart' outfit for PE instead of their PE kit eg. party dress, shirt, long skirt etc.

This week's events		
All week	Book Fair	The book fair is in school all week and will be open during Parents' Evening
12 <sup>th</sup> February	Parents' Consultation	Tuesday night is Parents' Consultation Evening from 3:30pm. If you don't have an appointment and want one, please contact the school office.
13 <sup>th</sup> February	Parents' Consultation	Wednesday night is Parents' Consultation Evening from 5:30pm. If you don't have an appointment and want one, please contact the school office.
14 <sup>th</sup> February	International Book Giving Day	International Book Giving Day: International Book Giving Day aims to get books into the hands of as many children as possible. 14th February is about sharing the love of books! We are asking your child to bring in a book to donate. The children will have a choice of 4 charities that they can donate their book to. The choices are: Books for Africa, Bradford Public Library, Refugee Action or The British Heart Foundation. <a href="#">Full details available by clicking here</a> .
14 <sup>th</sup> February	Nell Bank	Year 4 Residential Information meeting. Full details above.
15 <sup>th</sup> February	Non-uniform day	
15 <sup>th</sup> February	Break up	Today we break up for February half-term. School re-opens on the 25 <sup>th</sup> February,

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All events can be found on our website, by [clicking here](#)

# ✓ Attendance

The National average for attendance across the country is 96.4%. Currently our attendance is 97%.

Find our attendance breakdown, winning classes and punctuality [by clicking here](#) (this will be updated every Monday).



[Click here to see the Star of the Week!](#)

## Popular information:

- School dinners are tasty and healthy. Menus are available by [clicking here](#)
- School holidays are available by [clicking here](#), or looking on our '[Events Calendar](#)'
- Wrap around care with Wilsden Pals! [Click here](#)
- Think there is a letter you've missed and want to see? All letters can be found on our website by clicking School Office and then Letters – or by [clicking here](#)

## Reminders from previous Updates

Whole school	Parents' Evening 21/1/19	You should have received a paper letter regarding Parents' Evening. If not, it is available by <a href="#">clicking here</a> and the reply slip by <a href="#">clicking here</a> . Parents' Evenings are on the 12 <sup>th</sup> and 13 <sup>th</sup> February. All information is on the letters.
Year 2	Balloon Investigation	Year 2 are having a Balloon Investigation morning, on 25 <sup>th</sup> February. It will take place from 9:15 until 10:30 and we'd love to see you there. Please go to the main office on the morning if you are able to come. Before the event, if anyone is able to donate any balloons – all shapes and sizes – we'd be very grateful. Just drop them in to your class teacher before half-term. <a href="#">The letter is here</a> .
Whole school	28/1/18 Wilsden Village Gala – Party Time!	The Wilsden Village Gala have planned an amazing night on the 15 <sup>th</sup> February 2019. It will be held in school, lots of games and excitement. It includes a drink and some crisps, all for only £2. Full details and how to get tickets on their poster at the <a href="#">end of this update</a> .
Whole school	28/1/18 Get Out More – Forest School	We have received some funding from Get Out More. Get Out More are a social enterprise who help people engage with nature and to feel better in mind and body. They will run a half-day session with each year group during Spring 2 in our Forest Area. Please ensure that your child comes to school with wellies, waterproof clothing, hats, gloves etc preferably in a plastic bag. Full information, and dates for your child's year group can be found on the <a href="#">letter on the website – click here</a> . <b>The funding also provides</b>

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		the opportunity for an after school club in Fawcett Forest! Places are limited but to express an interest <a href="#">please fill in the online form</a> , or click above to see the full letter.
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Whole school	Maths grid challenge!  4/2/19	We have been completing the weekly times table grid challenge for a term now and are very impressed with the effort the children have been putting into learning their times table facts. The weekly challenge is going so well that many of our children are already able to complete the grid in under 8 minutes. In order to continue to encourage the children who have received their certificate, we spoke to children in each class and asked them how they would like to be rewarded. There were many excellent suggestions and, based on their ideas, we have decided to introduce a range of prizes. To see full details, <a href="#">see the letter by clicking here</a> .
Year 4	Residential information evening 4/2/19	We would like to invite you to a parent's information evening for the Nell Bank residential. This will be held on Thursday 14th February 2019 at 3:45pm. If you are able to attend please collect your children as usual and then make your way to the school office. You are welcome to bring your children along and we will provide a space for them to wait for you. If you would like to attend this session but are unable to, please speak to your child's class teacher who can answer any questions you may have.
Whole school	In The Community	There is a Murder Mystery evening at St. Matthew's Church, Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March at 7pm. Full details on their poster at the <a href="#">end of this update</a> .

## Keep in touch!

Twitter: @WilsdenPrimary

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/WilsdenPrimarySchool](http://www.facebook.com/WilsdenPrimarySchool) or our Facebook group 'Wilsden Parent Forum – Official'

[Full Contact Details](#)

[www.wilsdenprimary.co.uk](http://www.wilsdenprimary.co.uk)

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# Wilsden Gala Party Night!

WILSDEN  
VILLAGE  
GALA

**PARTY  
TIME**



**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

**Wilsden Primary School**

**6.15pm – 8.15pm**

**Games, Tuck Shop, Music, Glitter Tattoos and  
Hair Chalk**

**Gala Queen and Attendants selection**

**Ticket** (includes crisps and drink)

**£2.00 per child**

Tickets available from the school gates from  
Jo Milne or Esther Morris or pay on the door



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## In the community

### AN EVENING OF MURDER AND MYSTERY WITH THE EMLEY PLAYERS

AT  
ST MATTHEW'S CHURCH  
MAIN STREET,  
WILSDEN, BD15 0DZ



JOIN US TO SOLVE A MURDER MYSTERY ON  
FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2019

TICKETS £12.50  
TO INCLUDE A 3-COURSE MEAL  
(BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS)

ARRIVE 7PM, EVENT STARTS AT 7.30PM.

TO BOOK TICKETS CALL -  
CLIVE ALLSOP ON 07592 355778

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