

**Mr Singh's weekly message**

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another brilliant week at TVPA – however, with the weather getting a lot warmer, please can you ensure that your child comes to school with a hat, water bottle and suncream is applied before they arrive.

I would also like to remind you that children will be meeting their new teachers for September on Monday for transition. Please see the staffing structure section below to see who your child's teacher is.

We are also pleased to announce that we have employed a new teacher - Miss Kelly Goodall will be joining TVPA to start in September. Miss Goodall did exceptional well at interview and she will make a great addition to our team. She is very keen to start with us and meet the children.

Please see below for this week's key messages:

**STAFFING STRUCTURE 2023/24**

Nursery: Miss Pearson (EYFS Leader), Mrs Richardson & Ms Glasby

Reception: Mr Bosanquet & Mrs Wallis

Y1: Miss Roberts & Miss Tucker

Y2: Mr Rollin & Mrs Brain

Y3: Miss Goodall & Mrs Booth

Y4: Miss Tiplady & Ms Fortune

Y5: Miss Cartwright & Mrs McNally

Y6: Miss Burgess & Mrs Keetley

**SPORTS DAY (FINAL ROUND OF HOUSE GAMES)**

Please see below the dates and times for Sports day:

- Monday 26.06.23- Year 3 & 4
- Tuesday 27.06.23 – Nursey & Reception
- Wednesday 28.06.23 - Year 1 & 2
- Friday 30.06.23- Year 5
- Monday 03.07.23- Year 6

All sports day sessions will start at 13:30 and finish around 14:45

Children to wear their House coloured PE kit.

We look forward to seeing you there.

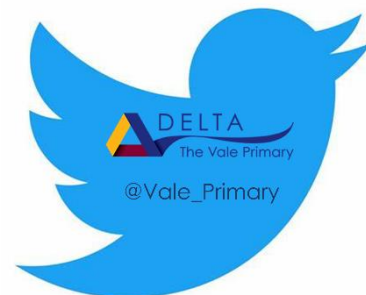
**VISION AND VALUES AWARDS**

On Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July, we will be hosting our second Vision & Values awards. This year we will be hosting this award after school. We will be inviting in the winners and two of their adults in for a special awards evening.

Please keep an eye out on our upcoming newsletters for more information.

**SCHOOL TWITTER FEED**

We are proud of the work children do in school; we regularly share this work on Twitter. Our school website has had a Twitter feed embedded at the bottom since its redevelopment. However, due to changes with Twitter, this feed is due to be removed. We do, however, still have a school Twitter, where we will continue to update you regularly on the learning taking place in school. You can follow us at **@Vale\_Primary** through the Twitter platform.



## A MESSAGE FROM THE PTA

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are thrilled to announce the upcoming Summer Fair at Vale Academy in Knottingley, and we warmly invite you and your children to join us for an afternoon of fun and excitement! Mark your calendars for Wednesday 19th July, right after school.

The Summer Fair promises to be an unforgettable event filled with thrilling rides, engaging activities, delicious food, and fantastic games. Here's a sneak peek of what awaits your children:

- **Inflatable Rides:** We have arranged four fantastic inflatables for your children's enjoyment. They can conquer the 35ft assault course, bounce to their heart's content on the 20x20ft bouncy castle, zoom down the mega slide, and explore the superheroes bouncy castle with a slide specially designed for our younger attendees.
- **Unlimited Ride Entry:** For only £3 per child, your little ones can have unlimited access to all the inflatable rides. We have also arranged discounts for families, so you can make the most of this opportunity to create lasting memories.
- **DJ and Fun Activities:** Our talented DJ will be organizing a range of engaging activities to keep the children entertained throughout the fair. They will have the chance to dance, play interactive games, and enjoy a lively atmosphere with their friends.
- **Games:** In addition to the thrilling rides and activities, we will have a variety of other games for the children to enjoy. From traditional fair games to exciting challenges, there will be something for everyone.
- **Hotdog Sale and Candy Shop:** The PTA has organized a mouth-watering hotdog sale, ensuring that your children won't go hungry during the fair. Additionally, our PTA candy shop will be there to satisfy their sweet cravings.

Please note that the proceeds from these sales will go towards organizing a spectacular Bonfire Night event and fireworks display later in the year.

We genuinely believe that the Summer Fair will be a wonderful opportunity for the entire TVPA community to come together and celebrate. We encourage you to support this event, as the funds raised will directly contribute to creating an unforgettable Bonfire Night experience for our children.

Make sure to save the date and spread the word among your friends and family. We can't wait to see you at the Summer Fair on Wednesday, 19th July! Let's make it a day filled with joy, laughter, and delightful memories for our children.

**Call for Volunteers.** We kindly request the support of parents and guardians to make this event a resounding success. Your assistance as volunteers will be invaluable in helping us run the fair smoothly. We need volunteers to help sell food and drinks and supervise the inflatable rides. If you can spare some time on the day, please consider lending a helping hand. Your involvement will not only contribute to the success of the fair but also provide an opportunity to connect with other parents and actively engage in the Vale Academy community. To volunteer, please contact the PTA.

Thank you for your continued support.

Have a safe and restful weekend!  
J Singh

<b>Attendance</b>	
CATERPILLARS	89.6%
BUTTERFLIES	100%
PANDAS	95.7%
TIGERS	97.4%
GAZELLES	96.1%
ELEPHANTS	93.1%
PENGUINS	95.2%
SNOW LEOPARDS	92.2%

<b>PUPIL OF THE WEEK</b>	
CATERPILLARS	Ella W & Mia CW
BUTTERFLIES	Brooke D
PANDAS	Tiana-Leigh D
TIGERS	Jasmine T
GAZELLES	Raya B
ELEPHANTS	Emily A
PENGUINS	Jenson G
SNOW LEOPARDS	Izzy L

<b>Key dates for your diary</b>	
19.06.23: Transition Day	
26.06.23: Sports day (Y3/4) 13:30 -14:45	
27.06.23: Sports day (Nursery AM) 10:30 – 11:30	
27.06.23: Sports day (Nursery PM/R) 13:30 -14:45	
28.06.23: Sports day (Y1/2) 13:30 -14:45	
30.06.23: Sports day (Y5/6) 13:30 -14:45	
03.07.23: Sports day (Y6) 13:30-14:45	
17.07.23: End of year reports	
19.07.23: PTA Summer Fair	
20.07.23: Vision & Values awards	
25.07.23: End of school year	
06.09.23: School reopens new school year	
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<b>HOUSE POINTS</b>			
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