



# School News & Updates - 19th September, 2025

*A Note from Mrs Smith*

*It has been another action packed week here at Calverley Parkside. School is a hub of activity and children are really settled into their new classes and routines. I've really enjoyed dropping into lessons this week. Children are so engaged in their learning and really enjoying 'Get up and Move' strategies that teachers are using to make learning active, engaging and memorable. It has been wonderful to meet and chat to even more Calverley families and the wider community at the fun run. Our Assembly on Monday was about ways in which we can show respect in our school community. Today, in celebration assembly we have recognised pupils who have been spotted showing respect every day-making their classrooms and our school a lovely place to be.*

Please see a reminder here of important dates for this half term

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
Tuesday 23rd September	Year 3 and 4 Handball Event after school @ Priethorpe
Wednesday 1st October	Governor's Meeting
Wednesday 1st October	Year 4 Visit to the Church - Heritage Visit
Wednesday 1st October	Year 6 Ancient Greece Day
Tuesday 7th October	Year 3 Visit to the Church - Stain Glass Windows workshop
Monday 13th October	Parents Evening 1 3:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Wednesday 15th October	Parents Evening 2 3:30pm - 5:30 pm
Friday 17th October	Training Day
Monday 20th October	Sports Achievement Assembly (pupils bring in awards achieved since the end of last summer's term).
Mon 27th October - Friday 31st October	Half Term
Wednesday 5th November 9.30 am - 10.30 am	Calverley Parkside Open morning for 26/27 reception cohort - please spread the word!
Wednesday 12th November 6.00 pm - 7.00 pm	Calverley Parkside Open evening for 26/27

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Friday 21st November	Non uniform day - bring a bottle for the xmas fair tombola.
Friday 28th November	Non- uniform day - bring some chocolate for the xmas fair tombola.

## Meet the Teacher

Thank you so much to all parents and carers who visited us for our 'Meet the teacher' event on Wednesday. It was great to have a chat and answer questions. We hope that you enjoyed the opportunity to have a look around your child's classroom. The children seemed to be doing an excellent job of giving you all a guided tour!

## Year 4 Visit to Leeds Art Gallery

This week, our Year 4 Class visited Leeds Art Gallery. The aim of the trip was to familiarise the year four children with a gallery setting before they make their own 'pocket art galleries' for their first art project this half term. The gallery staff were so impressed with how engaged and interested the children were. We were so proud of their questions, their curiosity and their behaviour on the trip. Well done Year 4.



## KS2 Fun Run

Children from across Key Stage Two took part in our first inter-school sports event: a 'fun run' at Calverley Victoria Park. The children persevered and kept running for nearly an hour! Children took part in the event along with pupils from Calverley C of E. It was great to see them there and we will look forward to reigniting a friendly rivalry with them this year at various sporting events.



### **A superb turnout for the first Park Run**

Children across all year groups from Reception to Year 6 took part in our first weekly Park Run of the new academic year. It was superb to see so many children taking part and enjoying themselves. Thanks so much to Mrs Fu and our parent volunteers for helping to keep the club running smoothly. Our Park Runners of the week were **Zakariya** in Year 5 and **Amelia** in Year 2. Mr Cuthbert will keep a record of all the Park Runners of the week and they will receive certificates in our PE Assembly scheduled for the end of this half term. You can still sign your child up for Parkrun by filling out the form via this [link](#).



## Kids Club

It's always great to pop into Kids club after school. It is always a hub of activity with so much going on to entertain and engage the children as well as opportunities to relax and decompress at the end of a busy school day. It is so nice to see the oldest and youngest children coming together and getting to know each other in this setting Please see photographs below and some quotes from the children as they share their favourite bits of Kids Club. Thank you to Emma Micklefield and the whole team for the hard work that they put into providing this service.



## Parents evenings

You will see that dates are already in for Parents Evening. A letter will go out about this on Monday and appointment times will go live on Arbor on Friday. If you are a split family and you haven't previously let us know about this, please could you pop in to the office to let us know. This will mean that we can make sure that we allocate two appointments per family rather than one.

## PTA AGM

This will take place at Calverley Cricket Club on Wednesday 24th September at 7:30pm. Please try to attend this event so that the PTA can continue to run and raise money to support the school. There are currently vacancies for chair, secretary and treasurer if you feel you could fulfil any of these roles.

### Reception/ KS1 Assembly Awards:

<b>Reception</b>	Handwriting: Mia Reading: Tommy Writing: Thea Maths: Toby Listener: Baani Independent Learner: Mabel
<b>Year 1</b>	Handwriting: Aahil Reading: Dolly G Writing: Aryan Maths: Freddie Listener: Beau Independent Learner: Naina
<b>Year 2</b>	Handwriting: George Reading: Olive Writing: Brodie Maths: Harriet Listener: Clara Independent Learner: Phoenix
<b>Whole School Values Award: Showing Respect</b>	Reception class: Noah R Year 1: Myles Year 2: Amelia



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**OPEN MORNING**  
5<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025  
9:30AM - 10:30AM

**OPEN EVENING**  
12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025  
6:00 PM - 7:00PM

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