

Letter from the Chair of Governors - Summer 2026

Dear community of **Windhill Primary School**,

Welcome to the **Summer Term** at Windhill!

This academic year seems to be going very quickly!

As usual, the school community will be very busy.

Throughout the Summer in the UK, there are lots of **“Awareness Raising Days.”** These are days in the year when communities are helped to understand more about lots of different causes.



Here are some of the **“Awareness Raising Days”** for May:

7th May: World Password Day

9th May: Fair Trade Day

10th May: World Lupus Day

11th to 17th May: Mental Health Awareness Week

12th May: International Nurses Day

15th May: Endangered Species Day

If communities are helped- on these days- to understand these causes through the media, social media and events across the country, then it is hoped that we might remember these causes for the other 364 days in the year.



Some of the experiences that are provided for our pupils at Windhill, might appear to be “one-offs”: a theatre company comes in and performs a play, the community dresses up as story characters on World Book Day, the menu for school lunches has a Spanish Theme for a day, pupils visit The Laurels for a sporting competition.



However, the impact of these days can be very long-lasting, perhaps even unforgettable. They might inspire our pupils to make choices for future careers or hobbies. A “one-off” Awareness Raising Day could be life-changing!

Let’s look forward to what might happen in our futures because of what we experience today!

Thank you for everyone’s continuing and invaluable support of our pupils at Windhill Primary School.

As ever, if you wish to get in touch with myself, as Chair of Governors, please contact the school office.

Very best wishes,

Lynn Mathers