



# Clenchwarton Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter - 31st March 2023



Hello everyone,

The end of a busy term. On Monday, selected children travelled to Cambridge to start their Young Scholars programme at the Peterhouse University. This was a chance for them to experience the environment of a University. On Tuesday our Year 1-4 pupils went to St Clements High to take part in their Tri Golf festival, unfortunately the weather had other ideas and the event was called off, they are hoping to re-arrange. On Thursday some of the Year 3&4 pupils went to Lynnsport to take part in the Bee Netball festival, they had lots of fun.



Thank you to the PTA for the children's Easter eggs which were handed out today.

This afternoon our Reception children were visited by Bluewatch fire service.

Polite Notice—Please be reminded that school lunches need to be booked by midnight on a Sunday. As from 1st April 2023, all payable lunches via ParentPay will be increased to £2.50 per booking.

As always, we want to ensure that your experience at Clenchwarton Primary is a positive one and we will keep you informed of your child's progress or any other incidents which happen in school. If you have any concerns, in the first instance, please telephone or email the school office.

Have great Easter break and see you all on Tuesday 18th April 2023 as Monday 17th is an inset day- no children in school.

Best wishes  
Ms J Borley (Executive Headteacher)

## Attendance

Reception: 96.67%

Year 1: 95%

Year 2: 93.1%

Year 3: 94.19%

Year 4: 97.86%

Year 5: 98.57%

Year 6: 93%

***Congratulations to \*Year 5\****

### School Council

Easter Egg Raffle: The draw took place today and was won by Theo H. We raised just over £45 and it will be decided after Easter where the money will spent. Thank you for all your support with purchasing the raffle tickets.



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

Governors email address: [r.wenn@westnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk](mailto:r.wenn@westnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk)



## P.T.A.

### Upcoming events:-

Friday 21st April 2023—PTA—Pop up shop before and after school—Library.

Sunday 23rd April 2023—PTA Car Boot—£5 upon booking non refundable. 10am-2pm @ Clenchwarton Primary School.

Tuesday 23rd May 2023—PTA Coronation Disco—KS1—4.45pm to 5.45pm & KS2—6pm-7pm.

Friday 7th July 2023—PTA Summer Fete—More details to follow.

Tuesday 18th July 2023—Leavers BBQ—More details to follow.

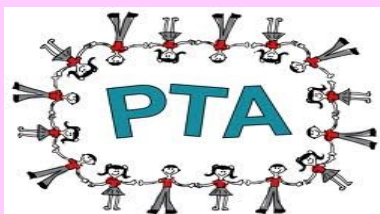
The children have now received an Easter Egg from the PTA.



If you have any queries, please speak to Miss Kelly Childerhouse (Chair).  
[clenchwartonpta@gmail.com](mailto:clenchwartonpta@gmail.com)

Thank you for your support.

PTA



## Clothing

Please ensure that your child brings a suitable outdoor coat and appropriate footwear when coming into school. Please make sure that they have their name inside. **Please dress suitably for the weather now that it is colder. Thank you.**



## Head lice

Please check your child's hair as soon as possible and treat, if necessary. Thank you.



## Have your circumstances changed recently?

You may be eligible for Free School Meals!

The school receives funding for each child who comes under Pupil Premium (including FSM). You can apply online:-

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>.

### Families in hardship and needing wider support

In addition to the offer of FSM vouchers for eligible families, there is support available for families who are facing hardship and need support. Anyone experiencing hardship may be able to receive support through the Norfolk Assistance Scheme (NAS), which may be able to provide support for food, fuel, clothes and other essential household items to families experiencing hardship. Wider support from a range of partners can then also be made available with NAS working alongside the Children's Services Community and Partnerships service. Families may get in touch with NAS via their dedicated website which includes an online application form, at [Norfolk Assistance Scheme - Norfolk County Council](#) or if they cannot access the internet, they can call **0344 800 8020**.



## ParentPay Lunches

**Please** book school lunches via ParentPay before midnight on a **Sunday**. Thank you.

Please make any outstanding payments on ParentPay ASAP. All payments will need to be made online as we are now a cashless school.

Price increase from 1st April 2023 will be £2.50 per meal.



### Free Schools Meals on-Line

Please visit:- <https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>.

## Lunchtime Co

Please see the school website for the menu. If your child has any dietary requirements that we are not aware of, please inform the school office. Please note our next special lunch is on Monday 24th April 2023. No alternatives are available. Please use the new menu from 18th April 2023.

**All Bookings should be made via ParentPay, by midnight on a Sunday. If you do not choose your child's option, we will only be able to provide your child with a hot meal from now on.** Please note that due to food supply issues the kitchen are doing their very best to accommodate, but the menu may be subject to change. Thank you.





## Diary Dates



**\*Please be aware that dates are for guidance only and are subject to change.**

Diary dates are also located on the school website. Please note that the West Norfolk Academies Trust school calendar for 2022/2023 & 2023/2024 can be located from the school's website. School holiday dates are slightly different to NCC.

Friday 31st March 2023	Break up for Half Term—normal school time—3.15pm.
Monday 3rd April to Monday 17th April 2023	Half term-School Closed (Monday 17th April inset day)
Tuesday 18th April 2023	School re-opens—registration at 8.45am
Friday 21st April 2023	PTA—Uniform—pop up shop—Before and after school.
Monday 24th April 2023	After school clubs—start *Special Meal* St George's Celebration Day
Wednesday 26th April 2023	Year 1—Shabbat event (RE session) during the school day.
Friday 28th April 2023	Year 6—Crucial Crew event at Fire Station-Payment via ParentPay. Year R—Height & Weight-National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP) and vision screening
Monday 1st May 2023	May Bank Holiday
Wednesday 3rd May 2023	Year 5—Sandringham trip —Payment via ParentPay.
Monday 8th May 2023	Bank Holiday—King's Coronation day
Tuesday 9th May to Friday 12th May 2023	Yr 6 SATS—No absences this week. Thank you.
Wednesday 17th May 2023	Year 1 Sandringham visit—Payment and consent via ParentPay.
Thursday 18th May 2023	Active Kids Festival—Year 1 & 2—selected *Special Meal* Census Day—Menu to follow
Tuesday 23rd May 2023	PTA-Coronation Disco
Friday 26th May 2023	Break up for Half Term-normal school time- - 3.15pm.
Monday 29th May 2023 to Friday 2nd June 23	Half term—School Closed.
Monday 5th June 2023	School re-opens—registration at 8.45am.
Friday 9th June 2023	SSP Tennis Festival—Year 3 & 4—selected
Monday 12th June 2023	Lilacmoon—Class Photos
Tuesday 27th June 2023	*Special Meal* Movie Magic Day—Menu to follow
Friday 30th June 2023	Year 4 —Leicester Space Centre-More details to follow SSP Tennis Festival—Year 5 & 6—selected
Tuesday 4th July 2023	*Special Meal* Taste of America —Menu to follow Year 1-Class Assembly @ 250pm—Parents invited. ICT After School Club with Mrs Bloodworth ends today.
Wednesday 5th July 2023	Year 5- Class Assembly @ 2.50pm—Parents invited
Thursday 6th July 2023	Year 6 Transition Day and Evening at St Clements High School
Monday 10th July to Friday 14th July 2023	Year 6—Hilltop
Tuesday 11th July 2023	Year 5 Opportunity Day at St Clements High School
Thursday 13th July 2023	Year 5-Gressenhall Farm & Museum-Payment via ParentPay.
Friday 14th July 2023	After School Clubs finish today.
Thursday 20th July 2023	School closes at usual time of 3.15pm for summer holidays.
Wednesday 6th September 2023	School opens—8.45am registration.



New after school clubs to run from Monday 24th April 2023 until 14th July 2023.  
These are as follows and available to book but spaces are limited.

- Tuesday's** = ICT Club with Mrs Bloodworth-Yr 1 to Yr 6 only.—**10 weeks only ending on 4th July.**  
Tennis with Premier Sports. **To book visit [premier-education.com](https://premier-education.com) .**
- Wednesday's** = Multi Sports with ICS Coaching-KS1& KS2. Please book via ParentPay.  
Gardening Club with Mrs Calaby and Mrs Bolderstone—Rec & KS1 only-Limited spaces.
- Thursday's** = Summer Sports with ICS Coaching-KS1& KS2 only. Please book via ParentPay.
- Friday's** = Gymnastics with Premier Sports **To book visit [premier-education.com](https://premier-education.com)**

*This is for your information:- Pupils to be shown how to dress appropriately for PE/Swimming (appropriate clothing, long hair tied back away from the eyes, no hard head accessories)*

**Earrings.** Ideally pupils will remove earrings however, pupils unable to remove earrings should make them safe by taping, front and back, which may offer a measure of protection. The taping should be sufficient to prevent the stud post penetrating the bone behind the ear should an unintentional blow be received from equipment such as a ball or a person. The taping may be done at home for younger children (as stated Safe Practice in PE and School Sport and Physical Activity 2016).

Morning Club Spaces are available for the morning club which runs everyday in the hall from 7.40 am-8.40 am. If you would like your child to take part. Please book via Premier—  
**[premier-education.com](https://premier-education.com)**. Please drop your child to the school hall for registration. Please do not drop and go at the gate. If your child is not attending an afternoon club for any reason, please inform the school office with the reason. Thank you.



## Before & After School Clubs at your School...

- Kickstart the day with our brilliant before-school sessions
- Let loose with lunchtime activities
- Keep on moving with awesome after-school clubs

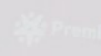
Over the past 20 years, we've expanded our term-time offer of school activities to include sessions held before the school day begins, in lessons – covering or supplementing existing lessons, at lunchtimes as an extra chance to get active, or after-school, giving parents a more convenient pickup time while the kids keep engaged.

### What's happening at your school:

Clenchwarton Primary School

Sport Active After School Clubs

Starting Week Commencing 24<sup>th</sup> April

 Tuesday Tennis Club  
Friday Gymnastics

Open to all years

11 week block / £44 / 3.15pm – 4.15pm

Limited To 20 Spaces

Avoid disappointment, visit  
[premier-education.com](https://premier-education.com) to book!!

Before, Lunchtime & After School Clubs for Children Age 4 - 11.  
To book now, visit [premier-education.com](https://premier-education.com)

Follow our socials - search Premier - Cambridgeshire & West Norfolk   

★ Trustpilot



Based on over 8,500 reviews

 **Premier**  
Education

# ST. GEORGE'S DAY



**MONDAY 24TH APRIL**

## THE FULL ENGLISH

**Sausage** (G)(W)(SU)(SO) or **Vegetarian Sausage** (G)(W)

**Bacon**

**Hash Brown**

**Baked Beans**

**St. George Cookie** (G)(W)(E)

Allergen key: (E) Egg, (G) Gluten, (MK) Milk, (SO) Soya, (SU) Sulphites, (W) Wheat

**LUNCHTIME CO<sup>®</sup>**

## Community News

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023 10am – 12noon

Clenchwarton Methodist Chapel

Easter Themed Family Activities

COME AND JOIN THE FUN

Decorate An Easter Biscuit - Easter Colouring - Easter Egg Lucky Dip.

Easter Egg Code Hunt -Guess How Many Eggs In The Jar.

Make An Easter Bonnet Or A Crown

(Please Bring Your Own Bonnet) Crowns And Decorations Supplied

REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

Hot Cross Buns, Tea, Coffee and Juice

£5 Per Child With An Accompanying Adult



# Big Norfolk

## Holiday Fun

**April 3 - April 17**

- Funded holiday activity scheme for children aged 4 - 16 this Easter
- **FREE** for all families eligible for benefits related free school meals
- Fantastic range of sports, outdoor, arts and creative activities across Norfolk for your child in a warm space with a free healthy lunch
- We try to make our activities inclusive to all. Please make the provider aware when booking if your child has special educational needs or a disability (SEND)
- More specialist SEN providers available for 2023
- Search for an activity near you with our Every Move activity finder



**Booking now open**  
**Find an activity near you**

Visit [www.norfolk.gov.uk/bignorfolkholidayfun](http://www.norfolk.gov.uk/bignorfolkholidayfun)



## Easter Holiday Activities



# Easter Holiday Activities

at Stories of Lynn

Monday 3 and Tuesday 4 April  
10am – 3pm

## Tiles and patterns

Make, bake and paint your own clay tile.  
Drop in to Stories of Lynn to get creative  
within our lovely building.

Family-friendly activity.  
Drop-in event, suitable for all ages.

Sessions are free with museum admission.  
Child £1.45, Adult £3.45, Concession £2.45.

No need to book. For further information call 01553 774297.

[storiesoflynn.co.uk](http://storiesoflynn.co.uk)



# TREASURE ISLAND

At St George's Guildhall Theatre  
Wednesday 5 April 2023

## Two Sessions

10.30am to 11.45am or 12.30pm to 1.45pm

Explore the theatre. Enjoy the short, family-friendly story of Treasure Island.  
Make crafts to take home.  
Get dressed up and deliver your lines on stage!

King Street, King's Lynn PE30 1HA

Recommended for children aged 5-12 and their families  
£2 per child, accompanying adult free

Booking essential  
[kingslynncorrexchange.co.uk/theatre/whats-on/](http://kingslynncorrexchange.co.uk/theatre/whats-on/)

Funded by:  
Borough Council of King's Lynn & West Norfolk  
HM Government

Partners:  
Norfolk County Council  
Norfolk Museums Service

In collaboration with:  
National Trust

# TREASURE ISLAND

At St George's Guildhall Theatre  
Wednesday 12 April 2023

## Workshop

10.30am to 2.30pm

Ahey there, join us aboard stage for a Treasure Island themed theatre workshop.  
Find out about stage-craft and try acting short scenes from the play.  
Suitable for young people aged 11-25.

King Street, King's Lynn PE30 1HA

Suitable for young people aged 11-25  
£2 per child

Booking essential  
[kingslynncorrexchange.co.uk/theatre/whats-on/](http://kingslynncorrexchange.co.uk/theatre/whats-on/)

Funded by:  
Borough Council of King's Lynn & West Norfolk  
HM Government

Partners:  
Norfolk County Council  
Norfolk Museums Service

In collaboration with:  
National Trust

## RUSSEN & TURNER COMPETITION

We are running a competition for pupils in Reception to Year 6.

This involves drawing a simple picture of a King's Lynn landmark. The winner will receive their design printed on our bags along with their name, age, and school. They will also receive a bag of their own and a £50 toy shop voucher.

Please pop them into our High Street office before 12<sup>th</sup> May. The winner will be chosen on May 19<sup>th</sup>.

Russen & Turner

**Draw a King's Lynn landmark below using the colours Red and Blue**

**The winner will have their design placed on the bag along with their name and school**

**The winner will receive a bag of goodies (in a printed bag) along with a £50.00 Youngsters World voucher!**

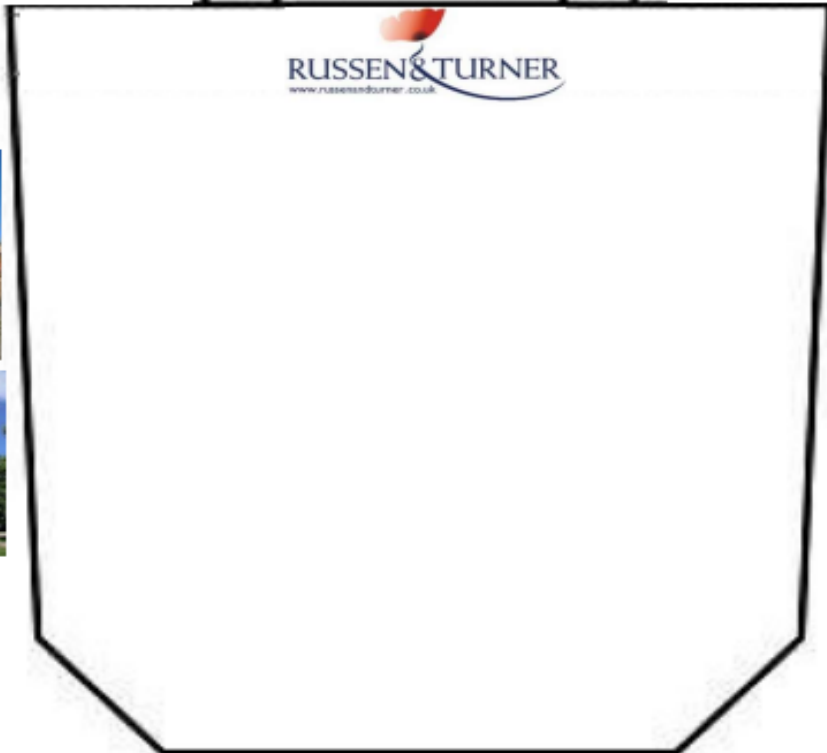
**DESIGN  
OUR  
NEW TOTE  
BAGS!**

**Get your design to us by the 12<sup>th</sup> of May at our office on the High Street**

**Winner will be announced on the 19<sup>th</sup> of May**

**Open for ages 3 to 11**

**Top Tip: Keep the design simple, use only red & blue, use a recognisable landmark**



**Name .....**

**Age .....**

**Contact Number.....**

**Signature of a parent or guardian giving permission to enter the competition**

**Please note the winner will have their design displayed on our tote bags which are handed out to new homeowners**

**Please tick if you are happy for Russen & Turner to take a photo of the winner with their picture and use it in the local press and on social media sites.**

☐

**RUSSEN & TURNER**  
www.russenandturner.co.uk