



# Clenchwarton Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter-24th November 2023



Hello everyone,

The NHS flu immunisation team have informed us that they will not be revisiting. If you would like more details please see page 2 for alternative catch up sessions.



### IMPORTANT DATE CHANGE

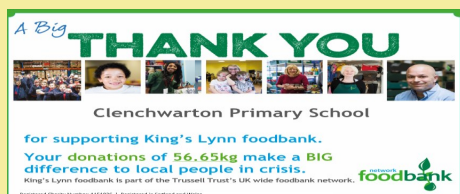
The Christmas dinner has now been changed to **Friday 15th December** if you have not already booked please do so on the existing link. If you have booked the office will amend this for you. Please be advised no other meals will be served on this day. As a result of this 'Fishy Friday' will now be on **Thursday 14th December**. Please remember to book this by midnight on Sunday.



It's been a busy week here at Clenchwarton, Y1 have enjoyed a trip to Trues Yard on Tuesday, Wednesday 'Fizz' the rabbit popped in for science with them and they welcomed some very unusual guests to class on Thursday. Wednesday afternoon Y5 greeted Tiff and Alex from Witherley Trucks to discuss the importance of road safety. Also on Wednesday Ms Tarsey and our fab four qualifiers had the opportunity for a trip to Thetford Forest. Pictures below.

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.

Best wishes



**MSA VACANCY**—An opportunity to join our friendly team here at Clenchwarton, If you are interested please see the link below.

[recruitmentwestnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk](https://recruitmentwestnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk).

### Attendance

Reception: 96.82% Year 1: 95.71%

Year 2: 93.33% Year: 3: 96%

Year 4: 96.67% Year 5 :99.33%

Year 6: 93.7%

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

*Our wonderful PTA would be grateful for any donations towards the Christmas Fete ,tombola and raffle. These can be left at the office, many thanks in advance.*



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

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



**Flu Vaccination Final Reminder**  
**Please note this is NOT the Covid vaccination.**

Dear Parent/Carer,

If your child has missed having their Flu vaccination at school, please click on the link below to book a catch-up appointment at a local clinic. You can book for both the Flu Nasal Spray and the Porcine free IM Vaccine.

During last year's flu season the flu virus caused children and young people to be admitted to hospital, and some into intensive care, at increasing rates to previous years. The flu virus could make your child extremely unwell and can lead to severe ear infections and bronchitis and pneumonia (chest infections) in children and young people.

Flu vaccines are safe and very effective at reducing the risk of contracting flu. Children who have the flu vaccine are less likely to pass the virus on to friends and family, especially those who may be at greater risk from flu, such as young babies, elderly people or friends and relatives with a serious health condition.

**To Book an appointment please click [HERE](#)**

*For more information on the Flu Vaccinations please see NHS links below:*

Primary School - [PARENT - Primary School Flu Information.pdf](#)

Secondary School - [PARENT - Secondary School Flu.pdf](#)

Yours Faithfully,

School Immunisation Team – 01603394103







True's Yard  
Fisherfolk Museum











A huge well done to this fab four Freddie Huey Candice and Isobel for participating in the County Cross Country Qualifiers. We are so proud of you!



Some of our Key Stage 2 children enjoying a visit from a Witherley truck on the importance of road safety.



## P.T.A.

### Upcoming events:-

**Monday 11th December 2023**—Panto—*Beauty & the Beast*—  
Paid by the PTA.

**Friday 8th December 2023**—Xmas Fair-3.30pm to 5.30pm.  
Donations for the fair can be dropped off to the school office.  
Thank you.

**Wednesday 7th February 2024**—Disco

**Tuesday 23rd April 2024**—PTA bingo

**Wednesday 22nd May 2024**—KS1 cinema club

**Thursday 23rd May 2024**—KS2 cinema club

**Friday 5th July 2024**—Summer Fayre

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



Mrs Calaby was delighted to accept a very generous donation from our fabulous PTA members. This will go towards the conservation area at Clenchwarton.

Thank you.



### Polite Reminder

Please be reminded that the double gates are for entry to the school and the single gate is to be used on exit. This is so we can ensure that everybody is safe.

Thank you.

As the weather is turning colder could you please ensure your child comes to school suitably *dressed for the elements*.

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](https://www.norfolkassistance.org.uk) or if they cannot access the internet, they can call **0344 800 8020**.



### Water Bottles

Please make sure that only water is in your child's class water bottle. They are allowed squash for their lunch box drinks (No fizzy or Prime bottles please).



### Healthy Snacks

Pupils can bring in a healthy snack to eat at playtime. E.g. fruit, cereal bars (**no nuts**), raisins, vegetable sticks, etc.

Crisps and chocolate are not allowed as a snack but can be put in your child's lunch box for lunchtime. We are encouraging a healthy lifestyle!



### 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—NEW MENU TO USE FROM W/C 30.10.2023

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. **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. Our Christmas lunch will be served on Friday 15th December 2023.** 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 2023/2024 2024/2025 can be located from the school's website. School holiday dates are slightly different to NCC.

Monday 27th November 2023	SSP Tag Rugby—Year 5—selected Y6—Chemistry Kitchen Event at Springwood
Tuesday 28th November 2023	Year 5— Trip to Masjid Ghousia Mosque payment for this trip is on ParentPay.
Wednesday 29th November 2023	Y3—Church Visit
Thursday 30th November 2023	Class Assembly—Year 5—Parents/Carers invited. 2.50pm
Tuesday 5th December 2023	Class Assembly—Year R—Parents/Carers invited. 2.50pm
Wednesday 6th December 2023	Year 4—Christmas performance at St Nicholas Chapel 6pm.
Thursday 7th December 2023	Whole School only Christingle 2:30pm Class Assembly—Year 6—Parents/Carers invited. 2.50pm <b>CANCELLED</b> Terrington St Clement High School Music Workshop—MITI selected.
Friday 8th December 2023	PTA Non - Uniform whole school please bring in a chocolate donation for the Christmas fayre. PTA Christmas Fayre 3:30—5:30pm.
Monday 11th December 2023	Nativity—Whole school only. PTA Panto - Purple Dreams— Beauty & the Beast. Whole School.
Tuesday 12th December 2023	Year 2—Trip to Flag Fen. Payment for this trip via ParentPay.
Wednesday 13th December 2023	Nativity—9:15am— 10am Tickets available soon.
Friday 15th December 2023	 <p>Nativity— 2pm— 2:45pm Tickets available soon. <b>NEW DATE</b>—Christmas Lunch-No alternative available on this day. Main meal only. Booking via google link sent out. Payment via your ParentPay account (if applicable). Christmas jumper day— Whole School. Rudolf Run— Whole School.</p>
Monday 18th December 2023	KS1 Christmas Performance at Springwood 12:30pm—TBC. Class Christmas party—Y3/Y4.
Tuesday 19th December 2023	Whole School Christmas Concert—2pm parents welcome. Class Christmas party—YR .
Wednesday 20th December 2023	Christmas Class Parties—Y1/Y2 , Y5/Y6 Break up for Christmas holidays. School closes at the usual time.
Thursday 4th January 2024	School opens-8.45am registration. Due to supply issues there will be a change to the menu. Todays main meal will be pizza instead of roast chicken. Sorry for any inconvenience.
Thursday 25th January 2024	Active Kids Festival –Lynn sport, selected children KS1.
Friday 16th February 2024	School closes at the usual time of 3.15pm for half term.
Monday 26th February 2024	School opens-8.45am registration.
Wednesday 6th March 2024	SSP Dance Festival Corn Exchange– More details to follow.
Tuesday 12th March 2024	YrR NCMP/ Vision and Hearing - More details to follow
Thursday 14th March 2024	SSP Bee Netball Festival Year 3&4—More details to follow.
Thursday 21st March 2024	Year 6—Trip to Duxford Imperial War Museum—More details to follow.
Wednesday 24th April 2024	Year 4— Trip to be confirmed.
Wednesday 1st May 2024	Yr6 Crucial Crew visit—More details to follow.
Monday 8th to Friday 12th July 2024	Year 6 Hilltop residential.





# West Norfolk Academies Trust

invites you to our



## Community Carol Service

featuring students from  
schools across the West  
Norfolk Academies Trust in a  
traditional celebration of the  
Festive Season.

**Wednesday 6 December 2023, 6.00pm**  
**St. Nicholas Chapel, Kings Lynn**

**ADMISSION FREE**

Tickets available on the door or book in advance online at  
[www.ticketsource.co.uk/springwood-high-school-music-department](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/springwood-high-school-music-department)





**After School Clubs will run from w/c Monday 11th September 2023 to Friday 15th December 2023**

**unless otherwise stated.**

**Autumn 1 & 2 term**

Day	After School Club	Who with:
Tuesday	Multi-sports	ICS coaching
Wednesday	Young Voices Yr4-Yr6 (need to be committed to this event.)	Miss Welch & Miss Webb
Thursday	Multi-sports	<a href="https://premier-education.com">premier-education.com</a> to book!
Friday	Gymnastics	Premier Sports <a href="https://premier-education.com">premier-education.com</a> to book!

*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).

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

**What's happening at your school:**  
Clenchwarton Primary School

Monday – Friday  
Before school club | £4 per session | 7.40am

**Sport Active After School Clubs**

Monday – Multi-sports  
Friday - Gymnastics

3.15pm – 4.15pm | £68.25 | 13 week block

Limited To 20 Spaces  
Avoid disappointment, visit  
[premier-education.com](https://premier-education.com) to book!!

- 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.

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

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Based on over 8,500 reviews

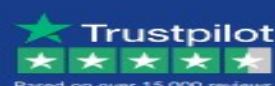
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AFTER  
SCHOOL

# AUTUMN TERM CLUBS

Clenchwarton Community Primary School



## AUTUMN TERM CLUBS AT YOUR SCHOOL...

Day:	Activity:	Year(s):	Time:	Price
Thursday	Multi-Sports	R-6	15:15-16:15	5.25
Friday	Gymnastics	R-6	15:15-16:15	5.25



We are pleased to inform you that we will be running the above listed clubs at your school this term for boys and girls of all abilities. Full details are available on our website.

To book, please follow these simple steps:

1. visit [www.premier-education.com](http://www.premier-education.com)
2. search your postcode in 'book a course'
3. select your school and click BOOK NOW
4. complete your details and receive email confirmation of your booking.

Please note booking remains open throughout the duration of the course, the price will adjust on the payment page! If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium funding, the payment can be paid for by the school. If your family circumstances have changed since being awarded the Pupil Premium grant and you feel you could make a contribution or pay the full payment, it would be very much appreciated.

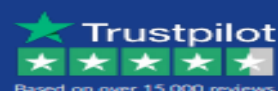
Any questions email [info@premier-education.com](mailto:info@premier-education.com)



**SCAN HERE FOR MORE  
INFORMATION**

[premier-education.com/parents](http://premier-education.com/parents)

Premier Education is the UK's No. 1 provider of sport and physical activity to primary schools, improving children's health and wellbeing through active learning every day!



# CHRISTMAS LUNCH



**FRIDAY 15th DECEMBER**

**Festive Chicken Roast with all the Trimmings  
(G) (W) (E) (SU) (MK) (SO)**

**Roast Festive Quorn Lunch with all the Trimmings  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)**

**Followed by Festive Dessert (G) (W) (E) (MK) or  
Fresh Fruit**

Allergen Key: Barley (B), Celery (C), Egg (E), Fish (F), Gluten (G), Lupin (L), Milk (MK), Mustard (MU), Sesame  
Seeds (SE), Soya (SO), Sulphites (SU), Wheat (W)

**LUNCHTIME CO<sup>®</sup>**



## Community News

### Start Active Before School Club

Morning childcare for busy parents.



Taking place in your school this term



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MORE INFORMATION

or visit [www.premier-education.com/parents/childcare/](http://www.premier-education.com/parents/childcare/)



Based on over 18,000 reviews

### Let us take care of your childcare!

Evidence shows that a dose of physical activity before school hours start helps to engage children's minds and prepare them for the day ahead.

Our breakfast clubs offer mentally and physically stimulating activities which sharpen and focus the mind while waking up the body.

Parents can relax knowing their children are in safe hands as all staff have experience working with primary school children, have been DBS checked, and hold Emergency First Aid and Safeguarding certificates.

15%  
discount  
for siblings

Clenchwarton Primary School

Before School

7:40am – 8:40am = £4.00

Book now at:  
[www.premier-education.com](http://www.premier-education.com)

Contact us at:  
[hcollison@premier-education.com](mailto:hcollison@premier-education.com)



## CLENCHWARTON PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

CATERGORIES:

<p>UNDER 12 YEARS 50p PER PHOTO</p> <p><b>£25 PRIZE</b></p>	<p>12 - 17 YEARS 50p PER PHOTO</p> <p><b>£25 PRIZE</b></p>	<p>18 YEARS &amp; OVER £1 PER PHOTO</p> <p><b>£50 PRIZE</b></p>
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(MAXIMUM 3 PHOTOS PER PERSON)

DEADLINE 31st MARCH 2024

Photographs must be recently taken within the village of Clenchwarton

Suggested printed size of photos 10 x 8 inches

Entry forms can be collected from the church

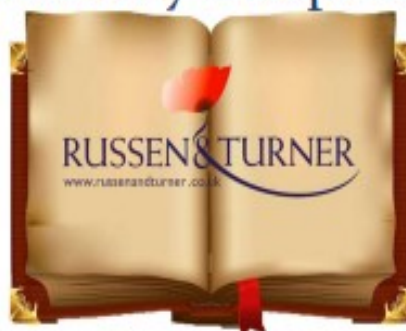
For further details, please contact  
Jan 07725 940453

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Church,  
Clenchwarton

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## The annual Russen & Turner Christmas Story Competition 2023



**Write your very own Christmas themed story  
using no more than 500 words.**

If your story is chosen as the winner, you will receive a £50.00 Amazon Voucher for yourself, PLUS £200.00 in book vouchers for your school PLUS your story will be published in Your Local Paper and read out on Radio West Norfolk!

Entries must be in by Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December

and the winner will be announced on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December.

JUST POP YOUR STORIES INTO US AT 17 HIGH STREET KINGS LYNN PE30 1BP!

**GOOD LUCK!**

Name .....

Age .....

Contact Number.....

Address .....

Name & Signature of a parent or guardian giving permission to enter the competition.

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









# Get Help

**Samaritans**  
116 123

**Lily**  
01553 616200

**Wellbeing  
Service**  
0300 123 1503



**Wellbeing**

**Family Lives  
Helpline**  
0808 800 2222

**ECFS  
(ages 0-5)**  
0344 800 8020

**Parentline Text**  
07520 631590



**Parenting**

**Just One Norfolk**  
0300 300 0123

**NHS 111 Online**  
111

**Change Grow Live**  
01603 514096



**Health**

**West Norfolk  
Carers**  
01553 768155

**Carers Matter**  
0800 083 1148

**Short Breaks**  
0344 800 8020



**Caring**



**Safety**

**Worried about a child's safety?**

Children's Services 0344 800 8020  
or NSPCC 0808 800 5000

**In an emergency 999**



**Food Banks**

**King's Lynn**  
07582 558143

**Hunstanton**  
07795 491154

**Downham Market**  
07707 191674



**Money Matters**

**Money Advice Hub**  
0333 305 7648

**Norfolk  
Assistance Scheme**  
0344 800 8020

**Christian's  
Against Poverty**  
0800 328 006



**Housing Advice**

**West Norfolk  
Housing**  
01553 616200

**Shelter (King's Lynn)**  
0344 515 1860



**Relationships**

**Norfolk Family  
Mediation**  
01603 620588

**Norfolk Community  
Law Service**  
01603 496623

**National Domestic  
Abuse Helpline**  
0808 2000 247



## PRIMARY SCHOOLS - Term Dates 2023-2024

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Key: White dates – school open to pupils

Orange dates – pupil holiday

Purple dates – staff training day

Red dates – bank holiday

Staff training days are – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September and Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September, Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January and

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024 as whole training days.

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2024 is disaggregated.