

# **Clenchwarton Primary School** Weekly Newsletter-8th December 2023



### Hello everyone,

Another busy week! Rehearsals are taking place for the Christmas performances. Further tickets for the Everyone loves a Baby' can be obtained from the school office (limited availability).

The West Norfolk Academies Trust Community Carol Service held at St Nichols Chapel on Wednesday was very well attended and a huge 'well done' to all the children who took part.

The fantastic Santa Dash team has very kindly agreed to officially switch on the Clenchwarton Village Christmas tree lights on **Tuesday 12th December**. Hot drinks and mince pies will be available. Everyone is invited to support our local community.

The West Norfolk Academies Trust have kindly offered to pay for the children's Christmas Lunch which will take place on Friday 15th December 2023. All bookings for this day will be refunded (if applicable) to your account after 15th December. Thank you.

Please be reminded that all after school clubs finish on Friday 15th December 2023. Alter school clubs will be available to book very soon.

We are supporting two charities this year, The Norfolk Hospice (Rudolph Run) and Save the Children (Christmas Jumper Day). These will take place on Friday 15th December 2023. We are kindly asking for a donation of £1 per child. All the money raised will then be equally split between these two charities. Payment can be made via your ParentPay account. Thank you for your support.

As always, we want to ensure that your experience at Clenchwarton Primary is a posi-tive 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

Ms J Borley



Year 1: 95%

Year: 3: 94.67%

Year 5: 94.67%

# Attendance

Reception: 94.35%

Year 2: 99.63%

Year 4: 98.67%

Year 6: 94.81%

## Congratulations to \*Year 2\*



# www.clenchwartonprimary.co.uk

Governors email address: r.wenn@westnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk











Working on behalf of





Flu Vaccination Final Reminder Please note this is <u>NOT</u> 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

### P.T.A.

### Upcoming events:-.

Thank you to everyone for the donations towards the Christmas Fayre tombola and raffle.

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

Friday 8th December 2023—Xmas Fayre-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

Thank you for your support.

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### 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).

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### **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!



### **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 Sincludes an online application form, at <u>Norfolk Assistance</u> <u>Scheme - Norfolk County Council</u> 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 **<u>Sunday</u>**. Thank you.

Please make any outstanding payments on ParentPay ASAP. All payments will need to be made online as ParentPay 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-schoolmeals.

### 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**

W \*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.

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Monday 11th December 2023	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. Further Tickets available from the school office.
Thursday 14th December 2023	Nativity— 2pm– 2:45pm. Further Tickets available from the school office.
<image/>	<ul> <li>NEW DATE—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.</li> <li>NEW DATE—Nativity—Whole school only.</li> <li>Rudolf Run— Whole School. A donation of £1 per child can be made via your ParentPay account. Thank you for your support.</li> <li>Choir Club visiting Terrington Lodge Care Home</li> </ul>
Monday 18th December 2023	KS1 Christmas Performance at Springwood 12:30pm. Class Christmas party—Y3/Y4.
Tuesday 19th December 2023	KS2 Christmas Concert—2pm parents welcome. Tickets available via the google link or from the school office. 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.
Friday 19th January 2024	Choir Club—Young Voices @ O2 Arena, London.
Thursday 25th January 2024	Active Kids Festival –Lynn sport, selected children KS1.
Friday 2nd February 2024	NSPCC Number Day.
Monday 12th February 2024	
	New date—SSP Tag Rugby—Year 5—Selected.
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After School Clubs will run from w/c Monday 8th January to Friday 22nd March 2023

unless otherwise stated,

### Spring 1 & 2 terms

Day	After School Club	Who with:
Tuesday	Multi-sports Computer Club—KS2—TBC	ICS coaching Mrs Howells
Wednesday	Young Voices <i>Yr4-Yr6</i> (This club will continue to run for a further 2 weeks for existing pupils on 10th and 17th January 2024—no additional cost for these two dates.	Miss Welch & Miss Webb
Thursday	Basketball/Netball—Multi-sports	Premier Sports premier-education.com to book!
Friday	Gymnastics	Premier Sports premier-education.com 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).





# **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)

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# **COMMUNITY NEWS**





# Our Rudolph Run will be on

Friday 15th December

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### at

Clenchwarton Primary School

We are raising money for The Norfolk Hospice Tapping House

Registered Charity No. 1062800



AUTUMN TERM CLUBS

Clenchwarton Community Primary School





AFTER

### AUTUMN TERM CLUBS AT YOUR SCHOOL ...

Day:

Thursday Friday Activity: Multi-Sports Gymnastics Year(s): R-6 R-6

Time: 15:15-16:15 15:15-16:15

> Premier Education is the UK's No. 1 provider of sport and physical activity to primary schools, mproving children's health and wellbein rough active learni every day!

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Price

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
- 2. search your postcode in 'book a course'
- 3. select your school and click BOOK NOW
- 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







# **Community News**

# Start Active Before School Club

Morning childcare for busy parents.



Taking place in your school this term



SCAN HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION

Trustpilot

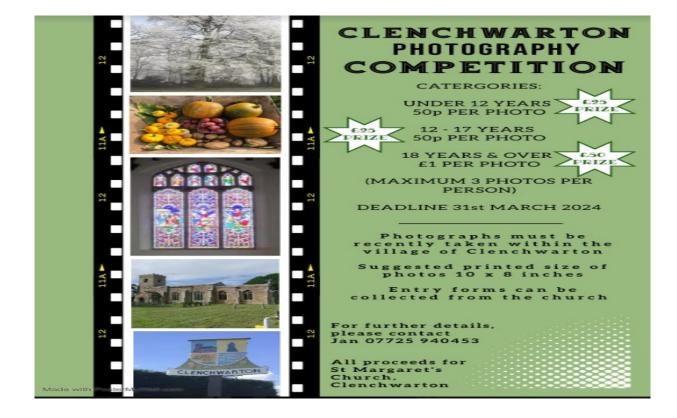
# Let us take care of your childcare!

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.







Springwood High School Parents, Teachers and Friends Association

Registered Charity No. 283218

Christmas

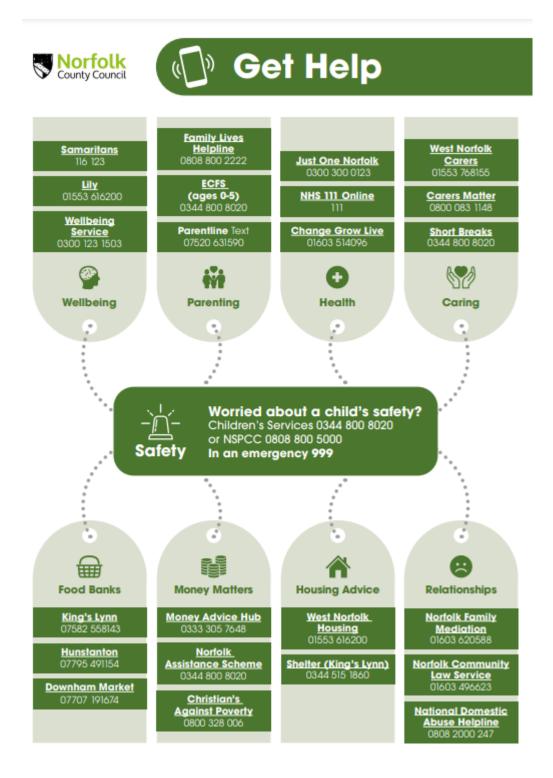
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Fair

14th December 5.30 - 7.30pm

Over 20 Craft & Gift Stalls Raffle with great prizes Refreshments

We look forward to seeing you there! Queensway, Kings Lynn, PE30 4AW





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