



# Clenchwarton Primary School Weekly Newsletter-2nd February 2024



NSPCC

Hello everyone,

The children have had a great time with their Number Day, supporting the NSPCC. Thank you for your kind donations. Pictures below.

Today in our celebration assembly we say a fond farewell to our wonderful Louise who has kept both the children and staff of Clenchwarton fed for over thirty years! That is a lot of fishy Fridays! We wish her a wonderful retirement and will miss her tremendously.

Should you need to contact Mrs Menday, Executive SENCO, please use the email address - t.menday@wnat.co.uk.

Should anyone be missing any glasses or watches, etc. Please pop into the office if you have lost anything.

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

We will be having a change of desert to celebrate 'Pancake Day' on Tuesday 13th February. Please remember to book all lunches via your ParentPay account by midnight on a Sunday. Thank you.

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 WEST NORFOLK ACADEMY TRUST

school. If you have any concerns, in the first instance, please telephone or email the school office.

Best wishes

Ms J Borley (Executive Headteacher)





# **Attendance**

Reception: 92.17% Year 1: 93.33%

Year 2: 93.33% Year: 3: 84.33%

Year 4: 90.33% Year 5: 98%

Year 6: 95.93%

Congratulations to \*Year 5\*



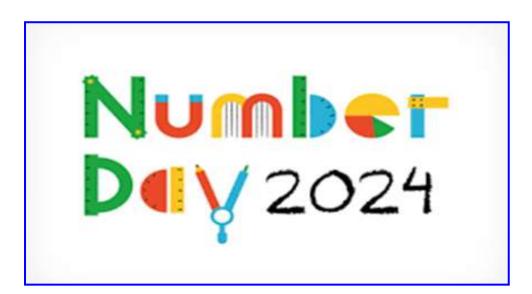


Governors email address: r.wenn@westnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk
SENCO email address: t.menday@wnat.co.uk



















# **Attendance & Pastoral Support**

Gail Scott is our Attendance and Pastoral support officer for Clenchwarton Primary School. Mrs Scott can be contacted by emailing:g.scott@westnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk



## 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

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-

### 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.

# P.T.A.

Thank you for your support towards the Bag2School event. 120kg of clothing was collected.

### Upcoming events:-.

Wednesday 7th February 2024 — Disco

Tuesday 23rd April 2024— PTA bingo

Wednesday 22nd May 2024—KS1 Disco—TBC

Thursday 23rd May 2024—KS2 Disco—TBC

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. PTA



## **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!

# 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. Special desert —Pancake Day is on Tuesday 13th February 2024. 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.













\*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.

Wednesday 7th February 2024	PTA Disco— KS1 4:45 - 5:45pm, KS2 6 - 7pm.
Thursday 8th February 2024	Aim High— Maths Workshop Whitefriars CANCELLED!.
Monday 12th February 2024	New date—SSP Tag Rugby—Year 5—Selected.
Tuesday 13th February 2024	Pancake Day— Pancake desert today
Wednesday 14th February 2024	Year 4—Spring term assembly—2:45pm. Parents invited
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.
Thursday 29th February 2024	Girls Football Festival—Lynnsport—Selected KS2 children during school time.
Monday 4th March 2024	National Child Measurement Programme—Year 6 Children
	Parent Consultations 3:30pm–5:30pm
Tuesday 5th March 2024	Parent Consultations 4pm-7:30pm
Wednesday 6th March 2024	SSP Dance Festival Corn Exchange— More details to follow.
Thursday 7th March 2024	Harry Potter Theme Day - Special Meal Today , more details to follow.
Monday 11th - 14th March 2024	Year 5/Year 6 Bikeability— Selected children. Permission slip and via ParentPay.
Tuesday 12th March 2024	Year R NCMP/ Vision and Hearing.
	Year 2 trip Romans and Iceni at Lynn Museum. More details to follow.
Wednesday 13th March	Year 1 Spring term assembly—2:45pm. Parents invited.
Thursday 14th March 2024	SSP Bee Netball Festival Year 3&4. More details to follow.
Thursday 14th March 2024	Year 5 Spring term assembly—2:45pm. Parents invited
Wednesday 20th March 2024	Year 2 Spring term assembly—2:45pm. Parents invited.
Thursday 21st March 2024	Year R Spring term assembly—2:45pm. Parents invited.
Tuesday 26th March 2024	Year 6 Spring term assembly—2:45pm. Parents invited.
Monday 22nd April 2024	Year 6 Trip to Duxford Imperial War Museum. More details to follow.
Wednesday 24th April 2024	Year 4 Trip to Norwich Theatre Payment via Parentpay. Thank you.
Wednesday 1st May 2024	Year 6 Crucial Crew visit. More details to follow.
Tuesday 7th May 2024	Year 4 Summer term open classroom—11am. Parents invited.
Friday 10th May 2024	Year 3/Year 4 Bikeability—Selected children .
Wednesday 22nd May 2024	PTA Disco - KS1 4:45—5:45pm & KS2 6—7pm.
Thursday 6th June 2024	Year R Summer term open classroom— 2:45pm. Parents invited.
Wednesday 12th June 2024	Year 1 Summer term open classroom—Afternoon (TBC)
Wednesday 19th June 2024	Year 6 London Theatre Trip. Year 3 Summer term open classroom—11am. Parents invited.
Tuesday 25th June 2024	Year 5 Summer term open classroom— 9:30am. Parents invited.
Thursday 27th June 2024	Year 6 Summer term open classroom—(TBC)
Monday 8th to Friday 12th July 2024	Year 6 Hilltop residential.



# 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— <i>Spaces still available</i> Computer Club—KS2—6 weeks only- limited spaces	ICS coaching—Booking via ParentPay Mrs Howells-Booking via ParentPay
Thursday	Basketball—Spaces still available	Premier Sports premier-education.com to book!
Friday	Gymnastics—Spaces still available	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).

\*\*\*This term (Spring 1) our allocated PE days for each class are as follows:-

Tuesday - Y2 & Y5 Wednesday - Y3 & Y6 Thursday - YR Friday - Y4 & Y1

Please send your child to school in full PE uniform on their allocated day, thank you.















# 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.



Marvellous Maths promises an engaging an educational experience, and is a unique opportunity for pupils to delve into the fascinating world of maths taught with a Marvel twist.

Marvellous Maths is free to attend and will run from 0900-1300 including breakfast pastries and snack/refreshment breaks for the children.

We kindly request that any interested attendees submit their details through our online events page at <a href="https://www.wisbechgrammar.com/open-events">www.wisbechgrammar.com/open-events</a> or by using the QR



wisbechgrammar.com admissions@wisbechgrammar.com 01945 586750

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**



# FEBRUARY HALF TERM FUN SKATE



SKATE HIRE INCLUDED

# 21ST FEBRUARY 2024

3 - 5 PM

@ LYNNSPORT

**UNDER 16'S ONLY** 

NO BOOKING REQUIRED
CASH OR CARD ACCEPTED



# COLOURING COMPETITION

Winners will get free skating and beginner hockey sessions.

1st Prize - 6 Week Session

2nd Prize - 4 Week Session





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# Get Help



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

Change Grow Live 01603 514096



Health

West Nortolk Carers 01553 768155

Carers Matter 0800 083 1148

Short Breaks 0344 800 8020



Caring



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



**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

Sheller (King's Lynn) 03445151860



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 4th September and Tuesday 5th September, Wednesday 3rd January and Thursday 28th March 2024 as whole training days.

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