



# Clenchwarton Primary School Weekly Newsletter-3rd May 2024





# Hello everyone,

Yr4 classes from West Lynn & Clenchwarton visited the Norwich theatre on Wednesday. The theatre had a touring production of 'The Boy at the Back of the Classroom' which is a text theyhad studied in class back in January. The children were so excited about going to the theatre as many of them had never been to a theatre before. There was a real 'wow' factor when they entered the main auditorium and saw the staging and lights. As the lights dimmed the anticipation was palpable. The children continued to listen beautifully as the story unfolded and loved the elements of audience participation.

A fantastic day was had by children and adults alike!

Some of the children from Yr2 and Yr4 took part in a Tri-golf event at Walpole Cross Keys school with Mrs Bolderstone and Mrs Ryan. They all participated fully, willed each other on and two lucky players also earned themselves a medal- Daniel in Yr4 and Joshua in Yr2! Well done all.

Mrs Scott will be holding a 'Used Uniform' event on the following dates:-

Wednesday 22nd May @ 8.35am & 3.15pm. Wednesday 26th June @ 8.35am & 3.15pm. Wednesday 17th July @ 8.35am & 3.15pm.





On Thursday 16th May we will be having a 'Seaside Special' lunch. No alternatives available on this day. Please book via your ParentPay account.

On Wednesday 8th May we are holding our first coffee and cake afternoon at 2.30pm at Clenchwarton Primary School. We will be joined by Sarah from the Family Hub. Sarah will be available for a friendly chat and to offer signposting to activities and services for all your family support needs in the local area. We look forward to welcoming you all. If you require any further information please email q.scott@westnorfolkacademiestrust.co.uk



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

Ms J Borley (Executive Headteacher)



# **Attendance**

 Reception:
 89.57%
 Year 4:
 90.67%

 Year 1:
 94.81%
 Year 5:
 97%

 Year 2:
 97.78%
 Year 6:
 88.52%

Year 3: 94.33%

Congratulations to \*Year 2\*



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SENCO email address: t.menday@wnat.co.uk



# **Norwich Theatre with Year 4**







Tri-Golf Event—Yr 2 and Yr 4









# What Parents & Educators Can Learn from the OFCOM MEDIA REPORT 2024

Each year, Ofcom - the UK's regulatory body for communications - produces an overview of children and parents' media experiences over the course of the previous year. At the time of writing, the latest of these reports, 'Children and parents: media use and attitudes 2024' has just been published, and we've plucked out some of its most thought-provoking findings regarding online safety.



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# **Community News**



# SCHOOL CROSSING PATROL VACANCY

Clenchwarton Community Primary School, Main Road, Clenchwarton

5 Hours Weekly Term Time Only

# Training & uniform provided.

For any queries about the role please contact Charlotte Hayter, School Crossing Patrol Manager at charlotte.hayter@norfolk.gov.uk or on 07766 800621

To apply online please visit the below website:

Road Crossing Patrol - Norfolk County Council Careers
(oraclecloud.com)

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The closing date for applications is

NA









# At Springwood High School in the Peter Hopkins Hall

Tickets from True's Yard 01553 770479 or book on-line (scan QR code) info@truesyard.co.uk

Light refreshments included

Raffle

Free parking

Kindly supported by HOMES





# Beginner Music Ensembles A wonderful opportunity to make music together Starting Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April Springing Strings (String Orchestra): Suitable for all Stringed Instruments (Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass) 'Masterblasters' (Concert Band): Suitable for all Woodwind (Flute, Clarinet, Oboe, Bassoon), Brass (Trumpet, Cornet, Horn, Trombone, Tuba) and Percussion.

Where: Springwood High School

When: Wednesdays, 3.45-4.45pm (term time)

Who: Beginner to Grade 2; any ages up to 12 who are starting on

their musical journey

Cost: FREE

As part of our ongoing commitment to make music available to all, Springwood High School is excited to announce the formation of two new Beginner Music Ensembles after Easter. Each group will be led by two experienced professional musicians/teachers.

Suitable for Primary-aged children and also those in Year 7 who are starting on their musical journey the groups will be aimed for those that have been playing for around a term to approximately Grade 2 standard.

To register interest please complete the form at <a href="https://forms.gle/FLoL91R9Hvi2qTwa8">https://forms.gle/FLoL91R9Hvi2qTwa8</a>

Any queries please contact music@springwoodhighschool.co.uk



# FREE INFORMATION FAIR

For parents/carers of young people with SEND and the professionals who work with them.



Wednesday 15th May 2024



10am-12pm



Knight's Hill Hotel, King's Lynn, PE30 3HQ



Browse information stands



Listen to a talk on Early Years at 10.30am



refreshments

# Information stands will include:

- Norfolk SEND Local Offer
- Norfolk SENDIASS
- Family Voice Norfolk
- Vision Norfolk
- Nansa
- Healthwatch
- ASD Helping Hands
- TITAN
- DRAGONs
- Just One Norfolk
- Dyslexia Outreach Service
- West Norfolk Autism Group

- Community and Partnerships team
- Family Action
- Mancroft Learning
- Migliori
- Achieving Aspirations
- Fostering Recruitment
- Family Hubs Norfolk
- Norfolk Library Information Service
- Direct Payment Support Service
- Carers Matter Norfolk
- Newcross Healthcare



**Book your place through Eventbrite** 



# P.T.A.

### Upcoming events:-.

The next PTA meeting is on Monday 13th May 2024—5pm at Clenchwarton Primary School.

Thank you to everyone who attended the PTA Bingo on Tuesday.

**Wednesday 22nd May 2024**—KS1 Disco—4:45pm—5:30pm KS 2 Disco 5:45—6:30pm

Friday 5th July 2024—Summer Fayre.

Many thanks for your continuing support.

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).



# Have your circumstances changed recently?



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.

# 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@westnorfolkacademies trust.co.uk



### **ParentPay Lunches**

<u>Please</u> 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 we are now a cashless school.

Price increase from 1st April 2024 will be £2.60 per meal.



# Free Schools Meals on-Line

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

### **Healthy Snacks**

FREE SCHOOL M.E.A.L.S.

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 01.04.2024.

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. Our next special meal is on Thursday 16th May 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.









# <u>Diary Dates</u>



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\*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.

Tuesday 30th April 2024	Tri-Golf event at Walpole Cross Keys—Selected.
Wednesday 1st May 2024	Year 6—Crucial Crew Trip. Payment via ParentPay. Thank you.
Thursday 2nd May 2024	Year 1—Judaism & Shabbat Workshop—Payment via ParentPay. Thank you.
Monday 6th May 2024	BANK HOLIDAY—School closed.
Tuesday 7th May 2024	Year 4—Summer term open classroom-9-10am. Parents invited. NEW TIME! Girls Tag Rugby Event at West Norfolk Rugby Club—Selected.
Wednesday 8th May 2024	2.30pm—Coffee Afternoon—Family Hub—Parents invited.
Friday 10th May 2024	Year 3/Year 4 Bikeability—Selected children .
Thursday 16th May 2024	Special Lunch today—No alternatives available.
Monday 20th May 2024	Bags2School collection @ 9am.
Wednesday 22nd May 2024	PTA Disco—KS1 4:45—5:30pm & KS2 5:45—6:30pm. <i>TIME CHANGE</i>
Friday 24th May 2024	School closes at the usual time of 3.15pm for half term.
Monday 3rd June 2024	School opens-8.45am registration
Thursday 6th June 2024	Year R Summer term open classroom— 2:15pm. Parents invited. <i>TIME CHANGE</i> SSP Tennis Festival at Lynnsport. Selected. Year 2—Summer term open classroom—2.30pm. Parents invited.
Tuesday 11th June 2024	Year 3—Stories of Lynn & Lynn Museum Trip. More details to follow.
Wednesday 12th June 2024	Year 1—Summer term open classroom—2.30pm. Parents invited
Friday 14th June 2024	NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe—more details to follow. 3.15pm Doughnut stall fundraiser to celebrate and raise funds for young carers week. Thank you for your support.
Tuesday 18th June 2024	SSP Dance Festival at King's Lynn Corn Exchange. Selected. New Reception intake evening.
Wednesday 19th June 2024	Year 6—London Theatre Trip. Year 3—Summer term open classroom—11am. Parents invited.
Monday 24th June 2024	Area Sports at St Clements High School. Selected.
Tuesday 25th June 2024	Year 5—Summer term open classroom— 9:30am. Parents invited.
Thursday 27th June 2024	Year 6—Summer term open classroom—2.30pm. Parents invited. New Reception children Stay and Play session Active Kids Festival at Lynnsport. Selected.
Monday 1st July 2024	Sports Day—KS1 10:00-11:30 & KS2 1:30-3:00—Weather permitting!
Tuesday 2nd July 2024	Year 5—Trip to Gressenhall Farm & Workshop.
Thursday 4th July 2024	Move up day. Year 6—Transition Day at St Clements High School.
Monday 8th to Friday 12th July 2024	Year 6—Hilltop residential.
Tuesday 9th July 2024	Year 5—Opportunity Day at St Clements High School.
Wednesday 10th July 2024	Year 3—Sandringham Classroom Day Trip. More details to follow.
Thursday 11th July 2024	SSP Tennis Festival at Lynnsport—Selected.
Friday 19th July 2024	School closes at the usual time of 3.15pm for summer holidays.
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After School Clubs will run from w/c Monday 15th April to Friday 24th May 2024 unless otherwise stated,

<u>Clubs are on a first come first serve basis and will be available to book from Monday 25th March 2024.</u>

<u>Summer term 1.</u>

Day	After School Club	Who with:
Tuesday	Multi-sports—20 Spaces available Last session on 9th July 2024	ICS coaching—Booking via ParentPay.
Tuesday	IT Club— KS2 only—10 spaces available. Last session on 21st May 2024	Mrs Howells— Booking via ParentPay.
Tuesday	Art Club—Rec, Y1 & Y2 only—10 spaces available. Last session on 21st May 2024	Mrs Williams and Miss Golding— Booking via ParentPay.
Tuesday	Board Games Club—20 spaces available. Last session on 21st May 2024	Mrs Ryan—Booking via ParentPay.
Wednesday	Cross-stitch— Y3 & Y4 only—6 spaces. Last session on 22nd May 2034	Mrs Tarsey— Booking via ParentPay.
Thursday	Dodgeball Last session on 11th July 2024 <a href="https://www.premier-education.com/parents/venue/courses/2396-882767/">https://www.premier-education.com/parents/venue/courses/2396-882767/</a>	Premier Sports premier-education.com to book!
Friday	Gymnastics Last session on 12th July 2024 <a href="https://www.premier-education.com/parents/venue/courses/2396-882775/">https://www.premier-education.com/parents/venue/courses/2396-882775/</a>	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)

Summer Term 1 our allocated swimming days for each class are as follows w/c 22nd April 2024:-

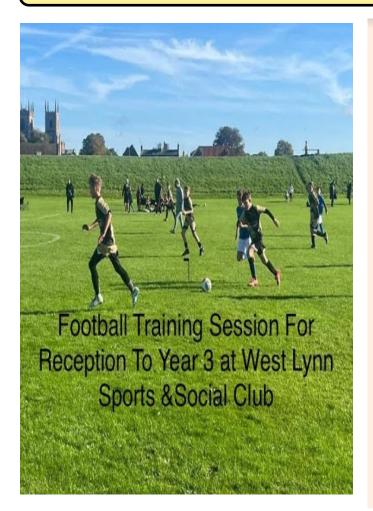
Monday—Year 1 (AM)\*
Tuesday—Reception (AM) and Year 6 (PM)\*
Wednesday—Year 5 (PM)\*
Thursday—Year 3 (PM)\*
Friday—Year 2 (AM) and Year 4 (PM)\*
\*Subject to change

If you are available to volunteer to help out with swimming, please see Mrs Higby in the school office. Thank you. Please be reminded that children will need a towel, appropriate swimwear and a bag to put wet items in.





# **COMMUNITY NEWS**











# Mindfulness Sessions

(online)



# **Benefits of Mindfulness**

\*reduces stress and anxiety
\*helps us to stay in the moment
\*improves our mood
\*boosts attention and concentration
\*helps you address difficult emotions

# Weekly sessions (10 weeks starting w/b 4th March)

KS1 3.45pm - 4.25pm Fridays KS2 4.30pm - 5.10pm Fridays KS3 and KS4 5.15pm - 5.55pm Wednesdays (perfect for the lead up to and through tests and exams)

# £3 per child a session (£30 payable up front)

Message me for more details or to book thekalmingpurplepatch@gmail.com (25 years teaching experience, DBS Registered, Mindfulness and Meditation Trained)









Next course starts August 31st Book via the QR code Open to all new players ages 4 to 9







# 18th June 2024—Euro Speed Kick Challenge



WE'RE OFFERING OUR PREMIER EDUCATION SPEED KICK CHALLENGE TO HELP RAISE MONEY FOR SCHOOLS IN THE AREA.

This is a great way to get behind the home nations this summer, as they look to go one better than last time around and win the tournament.

All children receive a certificate of participation, along with trophies for the top scoring boy and girl in each class. There are also prizes available if certain milestones for fundraising are achieved.

The emphasis of the event is fun, with the school, parents and children, coming together as a team to raise much needed funds, with the added bonus of helping a charity of the schools choice at the same time.

ALL ADMIN IS COMPLETED BY THE PREMIER EDUCATION TEAM AND THE EVENT ONLY TAKES 30 MINUTES PER CLASS ENSURING AS LITTLE DISRUPTION AS POSSIBLE

rgammon@premier-education.com or call 07967 337505

An enjoyable all-inclusive event where all children took part in a football fundraiser in celebration of the world cup. Not only did the school benefit from the fundraiser, we also raised money for a charity that is close to the school's heart. A great day and everyone enjoyed it! We will be doing this again!

> **Deputy Headteacher** Fawbert and Barnard's Primary School

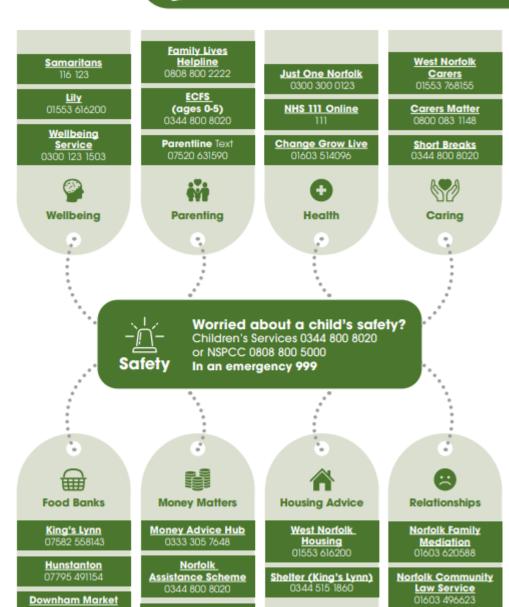






Downham Market

# Get Help



**Against Poverty** 0800 328 006

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 3rd January and Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024 as whole training days.

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