

Tune in on Tuesday

Wheelwright Lane Primary School Newsletter

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Diary Dates

Diary dates for the Autumn Term are shown below and will be included and updated on every newsletter.


10.10.19	Yr 5 to Coombe Abbey River Study - a.m. only
10.10.19	KS2 SATs evening for Yr 6 parents 6.00 start
10.10.19	Hello Yellow Day - Mental Health awareness - dress in yellow - pay £1 towards charity
14.10.19	Rev Gail to deliver Harvest Assembly
17.10.19	3.15 till 4.15 and 5 till 6 - Phonics evening for parents Rec/KS1
18.10.19	Yr 6 WW2 Experience Day
18.10.19	2.15 Yr 4 Class Assembly for parents
21.10.19	Flu Immunisations for Rec to Yr. 6
21.10.19	3.30-6.00 Parents' Evening
22.10.19	Yr 3 to Birmingham Botanical Gardens - all day
24.10.19	4.30-7.30 Parents' Evening
25.10.19	2.15 Yr 5 Class Assembly for parents
25.10.19	2.45 EYFS Celebration Assembly
25.10.18	School finishes 3.15
w.c. 28.10.18	Half term
04.11.18 (Mon)	INSET Training Day
05.11.18 (Tues)	Children back in school
07.11.19	Reading evening for parents 3.15 till 4.15 and 5 till 6.
08.11.19	2.15 Yr 6 Class Assembly for parents
11.11.19	Anti-bullying week
13.11.19	NSPCC Assemblies for whole school
18.11.19	NSPCC workshops for Yrs 5 and 6

INSET

Monday 4th November
+1 more to be decided

PLEASE NOTE

Coventry school holidays may differ to Warwickshire for October, February and May half term. Please check websites for details.

YR 94%	Y3 98%	Winner this week is  Y5 with 99% Well Done!
Y1 97%	Y4 98%	
Y2 98%	Y6 96%	

Attendance for week commencing 30th September overall was 97%. Very Good Attendance achieved.

Extra-curricular activities

Monday			
Tuesday	Tag Rugby	Y5 & Y6	12.30 - 1.00
	Dodgeball	Y3 & Y4	3.15 - 4.15
Wednesday	Football	Y3 & Y4	12.30 - 1.00
	Multi skills	Y1 & Y2	3.15 - 4.15
Thursday	Football	Y4/5/6	3.15 - 4.15
Friday	Penalty Shoot-out	KS2	12.30-1.00

Assembly focus

This week's focus is on mental health. We learnt about physical health and mental health in our assembly yesterday. The children learnt that to make sure we have good mental health it is important to:

- Eat well
- Sleep well
- Drink plenty of water
- Talk to people we trust about how we feel
- Do activities we enjoy
- Have good friends
- Work towards our goals

I shared my 'hat-trick of happiness' - three things that make me happy.



We have asked children to bring their own 3 things in on Thursday to share with their class.

Phonics evening

Please pop along to our phonics evening for parents for EYFS/KS1 on Thursday 17th October (disco night). Lots of useful information will be given by Mrs Harris regarding the new expectations for phonics.

Police - Parking

Warwickshire Police are introducing a new initiative called 'Operation Snap' (see letter attached). They are advising parents, members of the public and residents to submit digital footage showing potential traffic offences. Fines will be issued by post directly to drivers. We regularly receive complaints from residents who have been blocked in or out of their driveways and dangerous parking on pavements while our children are dropped off or collected from school. We shall be advising anyone who complains to take photographs and upload them to the Warwickshire Police website



<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/operationsnap>

Donations from Castle Wood School

A big thank you to the Governors at Castle Wood School, Coventry who have donated many quality resources and items to our school. These will be used to top up our topic resources on Egyptians, Victorians, WW2 and R.E. topics.

PA Events

Our wonderful P.A. have mapped out their plans for the coming year and have some exciting events for the children and families.

08.10.19	P.A. meeting 2p.m. - 3p.m. in school
17.10.19	School Disco 5-6 Rec/KS1 6.15 -7.15 KS2 £3.00 to include drinks and either a glow stick or a glitter tattoo (no extra money needed for toys)
13.11.19	Bags to school - fundraising for school
06.12.19	Christmas Fair (3.30) and Santa's Grotto Day - more details to follow
	More events from January - just finalising dates

The P.A. provide a wonderful service for the children and families of the school. They are only a small band of four parents and without their effort last year we would not be able to subsidise our Christmas trips again this year or purchase recorders for Year 3 children. If you can spare any time to support their events then please let them or Mrs Hull know. Any help is greatly appreciated.

Harvest produce

We will be holding our annual Harvest Assembly **for the children only** on Monday 14th October. Rev Gail will be joining us in the morning to remind us all how important the work of farmers is and how lucky we are in our country where we have a plentiful supply of food.

If you would like to donate produce for our Harvest Assembly then please begin to send tins and packets in with your child. All donations will be sent to Bedworth Foodbank - a worthy cause.

Family Drop-in Centre

This is a new resource in the area for families to access. Our local drop-in centre is at St Michael's School, Bedworth. Families who may need a little help and support can access many services through the drop-in centre. Please see attached poster for details.

Relief Midday Supervisor and Cleaner

We are again short of Midday Supervisors at school - it is extremely hard to recruit the right kind of caring adults for only an hour a day. If you or anyone you know who may be interested in being a Relief Midday Supervisor and also a Cleaner to cover absences for us, please contact Mrs Hull at the school office for details. All applicants will require a DBS Police check.

Nasal Flu Vaccination

Thank you for returning the forms.

The Nasal Flu Vaccination will take place in school on **Monday 21st October** for Years Reception to Year 6 inclusive.

If you have any concerns or require any information on this please visit:

www.nhs.uk/child-flu

or

www.gov.uk/government/news/vaccines-and-gelatine-phe-response



For the attention of all Parents / Guardians

As the dark winter nights draw closer, your local Safer Neighbourhood Teams have decided to make a big push towards the problems of parking around local primary and secondary school.

Please be considerate to road users and pedestrians around the school especially during dropping off and picking up times.

Police Officers and Police Community Support Officers are now issuing tickets for those causing unnecessary obstruction of the highway.

We are aware that the situation regarding parking is a bone of contention for all those affected, either picking up a student, leaving the immediate vicinity or local residents accessing or exiting their own homes. We are also aware that with the presence of marked Police vehicles and uniformed officers, the matters seems to resolve itself for the period of time we are there. Therefore, we can now introduce 'Operation Snap'.

Operation Snap was set up to help reduce demand for frontline Policing. Members of the public can now, via a secure online form, submit digital footage showing potential traffic offences. It has many other uses, but can utilised for unsafe and illegal parking near to schools. Fines can then be directly issued from this.

The secure forms can be accessed on the following link:

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/operationsnap>

All students and staff deserve the opportunity to leave the school safely and get home uninjured.

If you have any further issues, or something you would like to discuss further, then please contact your local Safer Neighbourhood Team by accessing the team e-mail address on the Warwickshire Police website.

Kind regards,

Warwickshire Police



**CHILDREN
& FAMILY
SUPPORT**



**CHILDREN
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CENTRE**

Drop in for support and advice For all families in Warwickshire

For families, children and young people 0-19 years old, or 0-25 years with additional needs

Monday – 1:00pm – 3:00pm

**Stockingford Children and Family Centre
St Pauls Road, Nuneaton CV10 8HW**

Tuesday – 9:30am – 11:30am

**Riversley Park Children and Family Centre
Coton Road, Nuneaton CV11 5TY**

Thursday – 1:00pm – 3:00pm

**Camp Hill Children and Family Centre
Hollystitches Road, Nuneaton CV10 9QA**

Friday – 9:30am – 11:30am

**St Michaels Children and Family Centre
Hazel Grove, Bedworth CV12 9DA**



**The Early Help and Targeted
Support Team**

