Walpole Cross Keys Primary School Weekly Newsletter - 3rd December 2021





This week the weather has turned much colder, please ensure your child comes to school dressed for the weather with **warm outerwear**. Children will be outside for break times unless it is torrential rain.

We are pleased to let you know that we have secured two teachers to work in Class 3 after Christmas. Mrs Hurn, who is our Cover Supervisor, will be teaching Mondays and Fridays. Mrs Mortimer, who is new to this school but a very experienced teacher, will be teaching Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. They will be supported by Mrs Mead, Mrs Loomes and Mrs Wenn.



Could we kindly remind all parents/carers there is no supervision on the playground until 8:45am, please do not drop your children earlier than this time.

Our school buildings remain closed (access via appointment only) to parents/carers therefore if you

have any concerns please contact our school office via phone (01553 828680) or email office@walpolecrosskeysprimary.co.uk.

Best Wishes, Ms J.Borley Executive Head Teacher We have Midday Supervisor roles at our West Lynn and Clenchwarton Primary schools, please check the West Norfolk Academies Trust website.

- ◆ Stars: Adam (Yr1), Ava-Grace (Yr3) & all of Class 3
- + Kindness: Ivy.H (YrR) & Ella.K (Yr3)
- Handwriting: Amelia-Rose (YrR) & Clay (Yr3)
- ◆ Golden Broom: Class 1
- Thank you winners: Leo (Yr1),
 Molly (Yr2), Alan (Yr4) & Mrs
 Mead



Attendance

Reception: 94.44%

Year 1: 87.5%

Year 2: 100%

Year 3: 95.83%

Year 4: 87.04%

Year 5: 86.11%

Year 6: 93.65%

Whole school: 92.99%

Congratulations Year 2 (100%)

Attendance bear winners: Class 2

Next week

Monday

Yr5/6 JLT meeting 12:30pm-1pm

Yr4/5 recorder lessons

Tuesday

Class 3 Romans Day @ Clenchwarton

Primary School

Yrs2-4 multiplication club 12:30-1pm

Wednesday

PTA tuck shop 3:15pm

Thursday

Yrs1-6 gymnastics (PE kits required)

Christmas Lunch (bookings only)

Yr3-6 poetry club 12:30pm-1pm

Friday

Class 1 & 2 PE day No football club

Please check final page for future diary dates.

Tel: 01553 828680 Email: office@walpolecrosskeysprimary.co.uk Governors: chairofgov@clenchwartonprimary.co.uk www.walpolecrosskeysprimary.co.uk





Class Assemblies

Each class would like to invite parents/carers to watch a 'show and tell' class assembly. Due to the current situation regarding Covid we are limiting attendance to 1 parent/carer per family, please see below for dates and times:

Class 1—Wednesday 8th December @ 2:45pm

Class 2—Thursday 9th December @ 2:45pm

Class 3— Friday 10th December @ 2:45pm

Online forms have been sent via text and email, please ensure you complete the form to let us know whether you are attending. May we kindly request all attendees to wear a mask and to complete their own lateral flow prior to attending.

Hey Ewe!

This year's Christmas Performance "Hey Ewe!" will be performed by Years R. 1, 2 and 3. Rehearsals are starting to take place and the performances will be as follows:



Wednesday 15th December, 2:00pm start

Due to the current situation with regards to Covid we are limiting attendance to one ticket per family for Class 1 and 2 parents/carers only. Tickets are free, please complete the online form sent to you. We are hoping to video record the performance and share this with you so that nobody misses out on seeing their child perform. The dress rehearsal will take place on Monday 13th December, your class teacher will advise regarding your child's role and the outfit required.



All classes will be having their own Christmas party during the afternoon of Thursday 16th December. This is the day of our whole school panto trip therefore our kitchen will be closed, children may bring a small packed lunch but please bear in mind they will be enjoying party food aswell.

This year, rather than asking parents/carers to send in items of food and drink, we are kindly asking you to donate money via ParentPay. We will then purchase the food and drink from a supermarket. Please make any donations by Friday 10th December.

Thank you

Next week's menu:

Fruit platter and natural yogurt with toppings

Delicious freshly baked bread

A selection of fresh vegetables and tasty salad



If your child would like a school lunch please order for the whole week using **ParentPay**, the deadline for orders is midnight on Sunday. If you miss the deadline please email the office by 9am on Monday with your child's choices for the week.

Thank you



- ✓ Roman Day (Yrs4/5/6): Today is the deadline to complete consents & make payments via ParentPay.
- Today is the deadline for you to place any orders for school photographs.
- ✓ Class assemblies (all years): Please complete the online form sent out on Tuesday.
- ✓ Class Christmas parties (all years): Please make donations via ParentPay no later than Friday 10th December.
- ✓ Hey Ewe! (YrsR-3): Class 1 and 2 families please book your ticket
 (1 per family) by completing the online form sent out this week.
- ✓ Please ensure your child's PE kit is kept in school all week from Monday to Friday.
- ✓ Order school lunches for the week by midnight each Sunday (ParentPay).

Diary Dates

Please be aware that dates are for guidance only and are subject to change

Tuesday 7th December	Class 3 Romans Day @ Clenchwarton Primary
	consents & payments by 3rd December
Wednesday 8th December	Class 1 (YrsR&1) assembly @ 2:45pm
_	*1 parent or carer per family invited*
Thursday 9th December	Christmas lunch
<u>-</u>	*If you have not ordered a lunch for your child please
	send a home packed lunch*
	Class 2 (Yrs2&3) assembly @ 2:45pm
	1 parent or carer per family invited
Friday 10th December	*CHANGE OF DATE* Christmas jumper day
_	*children may come to school in a festive jumper,
	donations to Save the Children on ParentPay*
	Class 3 (Yrs4-6) assembly @ 2:45pm
	1 parent or carer per family invited
Monday 13th December	Christmas play dress rehearsal
Tuesday 14th December	Hey Ewe! 9:30am performance
	Class 1&2 parents invited—1 ticket per family
Wednesday 15th December	Hey Ewe! 2:00pm performance
	Class 1&2 parents invited—1 ticket per family
Thursday 16th December	All years Beauty and the Beast pantomime
	King's Lynn Corn Exchange 10am
	kitchen closed—home or school packed lunch only
	Class Christmas parties
	monetary donations via ParentPay please
Friday 17th December	Last day of school
	*children may come in non uniform and bring a toy—
	no electronics please*
Monday 20th December to	School Closed—Christmas Break
Monday 3rd January	
Tuesday 4th January	School Closed—Inset Day