



Weekly Newsletter – Wednesday 14TH October 2020

Hello Yellow Day

We are pleased to confirm that we raised a total of £199.26 for the charity 'Young Minds' and we would like to take this opportunity of thanking you for your continued support.

Harvest Festival

Thank you for the generous donations we have received so far this week. Just a reminder that we will be collecting items until Friday 16th October, and if you would like to still contribute, please see the suggested items below.

- Tinned fruit (400gms)
- Dried pasta (500gms)
- Breakfast cereals
- Toilet Roll
- Fish
- Instant mash
- * Tea bags (80's)
- * UHT milk (1 litre)
- * Biscuits
- * Sponge puddings / desserts
- * Squash

Parent Consultations

All parents should have received an invitation to book an appointment for a telephone conversation with your child's class teacher. If you have still not received your invitation via Parentmail, please contact the School Office who can make an appointment for you.

Parent Forum

We would like to invite parents/carers to attend a virtual Parent Forum on Monday 19th October at 6:00 p.m. to hear about our school improvement plans and support us in our review of behaviour. If you would like to attend, please let the School Office know (office@wpa.education), as a link will be sent to enable you to join the meeting.

Flu Vaccination

We have been asked to share some information from the NHS in respect of the Nasal Flu Programme which takes place in school on Thursday 12th November. Apparently, some parents are concerned that if their child develops a high temperature after having the vaccine, they won't know whether to isolate and book a test or not for Covid-19. We have been advised that the nasal spray flu vaccine can cause a mild fever which should respond to paracetamol. Therefore, the key thing is that a temperature following the vaccine will respond to paracetamol, whereas Covid won't. [This poster](#) emphasises why it is important to get the flu vaccine and this link <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/child-flu-vaccine/> gives further information.

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An Invitation from Mrs Broad – Secretary of the P.T.F.A

The P.T.F.A. will be holding a meeting via zoom on Thursday 22nd October at 7.30pm. This is our first meeting back since the Summer, so we have a lot to catch up on and look forward to this school year. We would love to invite you all to join in and see what we do. As this will be a normal meeting, we are hoping to chat about how we might be able to fundraise for the school this coming year and also set a date for our Annual General Meeting (AGM) which is where we will be looking to recruit a new Chair and Treasurer and hopefully new members.

Should you wish to join us, please let us know by requesting the link at Warboys.secretary.ptfa@gmail.com

Bonfire Menu

On Thursday 5th November we are offering children a special school dinner to celebrate Bonfire Day and for your information we have attached the menu choices.

Independence

You may recall that within our Risk Assessment we asked parents and carers to help with children's independence before returning to school in September. We are continuing to minimise contact in school as far as possible so help to ensure children can do some of these tasks independently, would be much appreciated:

- **Going to the toilet.**
- **Getting dressed.** Being able to fasten zips and buttons or buckles if they have them.
- **Putting on shoes.** Children need to be able to fasten their shoelaces or if they can't perhaps have shoes with Velcro fasters.
- **Eating.** This includes using a knife and fork, opening their lunchbox, and being able to open everything in the lunchbox (some yoghurt tubes and drink cartons can be tricky).

Dates for your diary:-

19 th October	Parent Forum @ 6:00 p.m. (virtual)
21 st October	Videographers in school
26 th to 30 th October	Half-Term
2 nd to 13 th November	Parent Consultations
12 th November	Flu Immunisation (All Year Groups)