



Weekly Newsletter – Wednesday 4th November 2020

Welcome

We would like to wish our two new members of staff a warm welcome to Warboys Primary Academy. Mrs Pooley has joined the Starfish Class covering Miss Ireland's maternity leave and Miss Pennell has joined Lower Key Stage 2 (Pumas Class) as a Teaching Assistant.

Parent Consultations 2nd to 13th November

All parents should have received an invitation to book an appointment for a telephone conversation with their 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.

Social Distancing

We have noticed that some parents are not following the guidance which was put into place when we returned in September, especially around the social distancing rules in the EYFS Playground. We have once again attached the original guidance should you need to familiarise yourselves with the measures we have put into place.

On this note, we are pleased to confirm that the path around school has been widened over the half-term which will help with social distancing. Thank you for your continued support.

Photograph Deadline

Please note that the deadline to purchase your child's photograph free of postage and packaging is tomorrow (Thursday 5th November). All orders and payments should be returned to the School Office by 3:10 p.m.

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 next Thursday (12th November). Some parents are concerned that if their child develops a high temperature after having the vaccine, they will not 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 will not. [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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School Office

Please note that from Thursday 5th November during the national lockdown the School Office will be operating on a skeleton staff. Emails, telephone calls etc. will still be answered, but please bear with us if your query is not answered immediately.

P.T.F.A Christmas Raffle - Advent Calendars

The PTFA will be offering children the chance to purchase raffle tickets with prizes to include a Smiggle, Lego City and Lego Harry Potter Calendars. This year, due to the restrictions, they are holding the raffle online. Therefore, to purchase tickets please email warboys.pta.chair@gmail.com or message them on their Facebook page. Raffle tickets are 50p each and the draw will take place at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday 26th November.

Dates for your diary:-

12th November

Flu Immunisation (All Year Groups)

4th December

P.T.F.A Dress Down Day (details to follow)