



Weekly Newsletter – Wednesday 7th October 2020

Hello Yellow Day

This Friday to support the charity 'Young Minds', we would like to invite children to come to school wearing an item of yellow clothing for a voluntary contribution of £1.00. For further information on this charity, please follow this link:- <https://youngminds.org.uk/get-involved/how-to-fundraise/helloyellow/>

Harvest Festival

As mentioned previously, our Harvest Festival celebrations commence on Monday 12th October and will last all week. To support our Harvest Festival, we would like to request a donation of a food item which will be taken to Ramsey Foodbank. Donations can be placed in one of our boxes in the playground from Monday 12th October. The main items needed are listed below, but of course any donation will be greatly received. Thank you

- 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

Individual School Photographs

Please note that all P.E lessons are cancelled on Tuesday 13th October as children will be having their school photograph taken.

Coats/Shoes

As the weather turns colder and wetter, could we please request that your child comes to school with an appropriate coat and suitable footwear. Thank you

Parent Consultations

You will shortly receive an invite via Parentmail to book a consultation with your child's class teacher. Due to the current situation, appointments will be via telephone calls and will last no longer than 10 minutes. Please note that you might receive a call a little before or after your allotted time, due to this unusual method, but hopefully it will not be more than 15 minutes either side of your appointment. On this note, can you please ensure we have your correct up to date telephone numbers. Thank you

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Secondary School Applications

The process of applying for secondary school for next September 2021 is now open for our Year 6 families and this will close on the 31st October 2020. This is the link to the Cambridgeshire online application process:- <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/children-and-families/schools-learning/apply-for-a-schoolplace/secondary-school>

If parents do not wish to make their application online, paper application forms are available on request. Please contact - 0345 045 1370.

Warboys Promotional Video

We are very excited that on Wednesday 21st October a film crew (2 people) will be spending the day with us to make a promotional video centred around our wonderful school. The video will be shared with prospective parents who would normally join us to discuss their child's school place in September 2021. On the day of filming, children, and staff and possibly a handful of parents/carers, will be interviewed, and we would like your help in ensuring that children come to school looking very smart in their uniform. If you do not wish your child to be in the video, please contact the School Office (office@wpa.education). Currently, we have a small number of children who are not permitted to be photographed, but if you have changed your mind, please let us know.

School Car Park

As we approach winter, more families will be driving to school. We would like to take this opportunity to remind all parents and carers that safety of children and adults alike is our priority. Considerate, safe parking is therefore essential, particularly at the start and close of the school day, when many people and vehicles are moving around. Please be considerate of local residents and their driveways, grass verges and double yellow lines.

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.

New School Staff

We are pleased to confirm that we have appointed two new Teaching Assistants. Both Mrs Tabraham and Miss Pennell will join our team after October Half-Term.

Dates for your diary:-

9 th October	Hello Yellow Day
12 th October to 16 th October	Harvest Festival Celebrations
13 th October	Individual School Photographs
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)