



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

POPPY DISPLAY



This is our fabulous poppy display made by the children in KS2. Thank you if you sent a bottle in.

ATTENDANCE BY YEAR GROUP

As we all know, children who attend regularly at school (i.e. over 96%) make more progress, build better friendships and do not miss out on key learning. We thought it interesting to show attendance by year group. Well done to Year 5 and Year 2 - the highest attendance of all!

Reception	97.3%
Year 1	97.4%
Year 2	97.9%
Year 3	97.3%
Year 4	96.2%
Year 5	97.9%
Year 6	97.3%

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Please make sure you return your child's Christmas Dinner request and payment via ParentPay, by this coming Monday 26th November at the latest. The kitchen will need to know numbers by this date. If you do not return the form please will you make sure you provide them with a packed lunch on the day, Tuesday 18th December.

STARS OF THE WEEK

	Week 9	Week 10
6CH	Anna	Molly
6B	Oscar	
5J	Lucas	
5C	Matteo and Ayrianna	Ellis
4S	Juliet	Julian
4F	Chayse	Mika and Millie
3DW	Jacob	Alex
3J	Ruby	Betty
2CP	Oliver	Henry
2P	Harry	Thomas
1N	Mia and Izabella	Theo
1S	Evie	Herbie
RP	Charlie	Mary
ROW	Jacob	Lara

PLAYGROUND STARS OF THE WEEK

Week 9 - Kate 1S, Isaac 2P, Sophie 5C and Corey 6B

Week 10 - All of Reception, Daisy 2CP, Susannah and Preston 6B

CHILDREN IN NEED

Thank you to all who donated to Children in Need on Friday by either sending cakes in, buying cakes or wearing spotty and stripy items (or all three!). We raised an amazing £410. A special well done to the school councillors who assisted Mrs Porter and Ms Johnson so well.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

If your child attends an after school club, you must inform us if for any reason they are not going to attend on a particular day. We do keep registers for each session and we **MUST** know if your child is not attending. Thank you for your cooperation.

TOYS IN SCHOOL

Please remember that children should not be bringing in toys (including squishes) from home as they may lose them, they could go missing or could cause arguments.

FLU VACCINE FOR RECEPTION TO YEAR 5

Please make sure you have returned your child's flu vaccination form. They will not be able to receive the vaccine if the form has not been returned.



This term we are thinking about **'Generosity'**



FRIENDS' NEWS

There's a lot in the news these days, most of it negative or sad, some if it fake. But not here, it's all true and it's all good! The first bit of news is that the quiz night held on the 9th November was a roaring success. Not only did everyone that attended have a great time, we also raised £520, which has got us off to a great start towards our fundraising target. The only downside was the teachers winning!

Next up, Christmas is all but here, the lights are being switched on in the village on the 24th November I'll be there hunting mince pies and mulled wine and hope to see many of you there! Doesn't differ too much actually from what I'll be doing on SATURDAY 1ST DECEMBER at the Christmas Fayre! The Friends team are currently working hard putting in place the final arrangements for this event. It's one of the biggest in our calendar and I really hope you can make it, get into the festive spirit and enjoy yourselves.

And finally, the Christmas Raffle tickets have now been distributed in book bags. Please, I beg of you, do all you can to sell these. The tickets are a great fundraising stream and an easy way for you to contribute to the overall target. If all the raffle tickets being put into book bags were sold, that would equate 7 new laptops for the school!! Now that would be a great bit of news to report in the next newsletter!!

Carl Shorthouse

Chairman of the Friends of Wellesbourne School

CHURCH ON LAST DAY

As our numbers have grown so much, in order to make it safer for the children, we will have our church Christmas service at St Peter's Church at 10.00am in the morning and then return to school. This will make dismissing so much easier for all concerned. We will therefore finish school at the normal time on the 21st December.

Our next newsletter will be on Friday 7th December.

Have a good weekend.

Mr T Hewitt
 Head of School



SEVERE WEATHER

As the weather starts to change it is timely for us to remind you of the procedure if for any reason the School and Nursery need to be closed, although this is very rare. Firstly, ensure you have signed up to Parentmail for alerts or follow the school twitter account. If not ask for instructions at the school office. Secondly, subscribe to WCC text and twitter alerts through www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolclosures

ROAD SAFETY COMPETITION

I received a brilliantly written letter from Georgia in Y6 about parents, carers and children not using the correct crossing place when crossing Newbold Road. Therefore, she has decided to run a school wide competition to create a poster to ensure children (and just as importantly, adults) use Mr Schumann to cross Newbold Road. A letter about the details will come out next week - written by Georgia herself!

GYMNASTICS



Fifteen children from KS2 took part in the Wade Gymnastics Club Schools Individual Competition on Sunday 18th November. Each gymnast had to do a vault and perform a floor routine. The standard was very high and all of our children were a credit to our School. A huge 'well done' to them all.

DIARY DATES

Please be aware that, sometimes, it is necessary to change these dates.

Non- School Uniform Day (Bottles)	Friday 23 rd November	KS2 Performance (Years 3 to 5)	Wednesday 12 th December 6.00pm
Annexe Certificate Assembly 4F Class Assembly	Friday 23 rd November 9.05am Friday 23 rd November 2.45pm	KS2 Performance (Years 3 to 5)	Thursday 13 th December 6.00pm
Non- School Uniform Day (Chocolates)	Friday 30 th November	Pantomime for (Year 1 to Year 6) at the Spa Centre	Monday 17 th December
Annexe Certificate Assembly KS2 Certificate Assembly	Friday 30 th November 9.05am Friday 30 th November 2.45pm	Children's Christmas Dinner	Tuesday 18 th December
Christmas Fayre	Saturday 1 st December 2.00pm - 4.00pm	Christmas Singalong	Tuesday 18 th December 6.00pm-7.00pm
Flu Vaccination for Reception to Year 5	Monday 3 rd December	Pantomime for Nursery and Reception in School	Thursday 20 th December
NO Assemblies for the Annexe and KS2	Friday 7 th December	Christmas Carol Service at St Peters Church	Friday 21 st December 10am
Rec/KS1 Performance KS2 Performance (Years 3 to 5)	Monday 10 th December 9.30am Monday 10 th December 2.00pm	Teacher Training Day	Monday 7 th January 2019
Rec/KS1 Performance	Tuesday 11 th December 6.00pm	Teacher Training Day	Friday 5 th July 2019
Rec/KS1 Performance	Wednesday 12 th December 2.00pm		

DINNER MENUS FOR NOVEMBER/DECEMBER

Next two menus:

Week beginning 26th November - ***NEW MENU*** 1

Week beginning 3rd December - ***NEW MENU*** 2

(see website/twitter (@wellesprimary))