



Wistaston Weekly

Week 32

Friday 24th May 2024

Our new birthday menu starts on the return to school on Tuesday 4th June. Thank you to everyone for voting for their favourites, we hope you enjoy the new options. The new menus are detailed below and you can also view them on Arbor. We are now investigating an online ordering system which would allow you to pick your menu choice for the day ahead on Arbor, so will keep you updated on this development. To celebrate the launch, we will be holding a 'mystery plate' competition every Thursday where one lucky diner from each year group will receive a special celebratory surprise. Please note only children eating a school dinner will be in with a chance but I'll definitely be playing as its Macaroni cheese which is my favourite!

I hope you have a happy half term and I look forward to seeing you back in school on Tuesday 4th June , (remember Monday is an INSET day for staff)

Kind regards

Mrs Elsley
Principal

Useful Dates for Diary

Further details are shared nearer to the time.

Any new dates added to this will be highlighted in green.

Important dates can also be found on the School Calendar at: <https://www.wcla.co.uk/108/school-calendar>

Week Beginning 27 th May	Mon 27 th – Fri 31 st	Half Term
Week Beginning 3rd June	Monday 3 rd	INSET Day – School will be closed to pupils for the day
	Tuesday 4 th	School reopens as normal
	Tues 4 th – Fri 7 th	Whole School Writing Project – Oceans
	Wednesday 5 th	Brine Leas, Malbank & St Thomas More to visit Year 6
	Thursday 6 th	Year 3 Information Evening for Whitemoor Lakes Residential in October 2024 (15:30)
Week Beginning 10th June	Monday 10 th	Helping Children Deal with Loss Course for Parents
	Mon 10 th – Fri 14 th	KS1 Phonics Screening
	Tuesday 11 th	EYFS Parent Assembly (14:30)
	Tuesday 11 th	Smart Uniform Click and Collect (3-3:30pm)
	Friday 14 th	Open Morning KS2 – Maths (8:40-9:30)
	Friday 14 th	Break the Rules Non-Uniform Day (Donations for the Friends stall will be welcomed – See below for more details)
	Saturday 15 th	Wistaston Community Fair & Parade (Parade starts at 1pm)
Week Beginning 17th June	Monday 17 th	Town Sports Field Events (By invitation only – Reserve date is Monday 1 st July in case of inclement weather)
	Monday 17 th	Year 4 Maya Workshop
	Monday 17 th	Helping Children Deal with Loss Course for Parents
	Tuesday 18 th	Year 2 Parent Assembly (14:30-15:00)
	Tuesday 18 th	Story in the Park for New September 2024 Reception Children (14:00-14:45)

	Wednesday 19 th	Town Sports Track Events (By invitation only – Reserve date is Wednesday 3 rd July in case of inclement weather))
	Thursday 20 th	Sports Day
	Thursday 20 th	World Refugee Day
Week Beginning 24th June	Monday 24 th	Helping Children Deal with Loss Course for Parents
	Tuesday 25 th	Cygnets Open Morning for New Prospective Parents
	Tuesday 25 th	Year 3 Parents Assembly (14:30-15:00)
	Wednesday 26 th	Stay & Play Sessions for New September 2024 Reception Starters (9:30-10, 10:15-10:45 & 11-11:30)
	Wednesday 26 th	Whole School Transition (9:15-12:00)
Week Beginning 1st July	Monday 1 st	Helping Children Deal with Loss Course for Parents
	Monday 1 st	KS2 Cross Country at Crewe Vagrants (15:30-17:30)
	Tuesday 2 nd	Year 4 Parent Assembly (14:30-15:00)
	Wednesday 3 rd	Year 4 Music Concert (13:00-15:00)
	Wednesday 3 rd	New Reception Parents Meeting (September 24 starters – 18:30)
Week Beginning 8th July	Tuesday 9 th	Year 2 Beach Day at New Brighton
	Tuesday 9 th	Smart Uniform Click and Collect (3-3:30pm)
	Wednesday 10 th	Year 3 Portals to the Past Egyptian Workshop
	Wednesday 10 th	Year 5 Primary College
	Thursday 11 th	Year 6 Production (18:00)
Week Beginning 15th July	Monday 15 th	Cygnets Picnic & Games in the Park (Joey the Swan 10-12)
	Tuesday 16 th	Year 5 Parent Assembly
	Friday 19 th	150 Year Anniversary Picnic starting at midday
	Saturday 20 th	Full Peal of Bells at St Mary's Church in Celebration of our 150 Year Anniversary (10-12:30)

Week Commencing 20th May will be WEEK 1 for lunches

What's New!

Year 6 events

26 th June 2024	Year 6 visit their new secondary schools	Shavington, Brain Leas, Malbank
10 th July 2024	Year 6 production	2:00pm
11 th July 2024	Year 6 production	6:00 pm
16 th – 18 th July 2024	Year 6 trip to Edinburgh	
22 nd July 2024	Year 6 celebration party	5 – 6pm
23 rd July 2024	Year 6 Leavers assembly	9:30 – 10:30am

New Menus

Menus will alternate each week. Please be aware that due to the way Arbor is set up, the system will continue to alternate during school holidays.

Please see the new menus below:

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5 A DAY



Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Yellow Option	Meatballs and Pasta	Chicken Tikka Masala and Rice	Roast Beef	Homemade Lasagne	Fish Fingers
Pink Option	Cheese Quiche and Spanish Potatoes	Vegetable Stir Fry served with Noodles	Cheese and Sweet Potato Pie	Macaroni Cheese	Quorn Nuggets
Accompaniments	Sweetcorn and Garlic Bread	Peas	Roast Potato, Mashed Potato and Seasonal Vegetables	Garlic Bread	Chunky Chips and Peas
Green Option	Cheese Sandwich	Tuna Sandwich	Roast Beef Sandwich	Cheese Sandwich	Ham Sandwich
Blue Option	Jacket Potato with either Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Jacket Potato with either Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Jacket Potato with either Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Jacket Potato with either Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Jacket Potato with either Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo
Dessert	Banana Bread	Upside Down Cheesecake	Chocolate Sponge	Ginger Biscuit	Fresh Fruit and Ice-Cream



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- 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY



- HEALTHY OPTION

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Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Yellow Option	Cottage Pie	All Day Breakfast	Mediterranean Chicken Wrap	Beef Burger in a Bun	Spanish Chicken Pasta
Pink Option	Vegetable Chow Mein	Vegetarian Hot Dog	BBQ Bean and Cheese Wrap	Pizza	Potato and Cauliflower Curry & Rice
Accompaniments	Sweetcorn	Hash Brown & Baked Beans	Rice & Peas	Chips & Baked Beans	Sweetcorn
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Dessert	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Summer Berry Whip	Marble Sponge	Fruit & Jelly	Chocolate Muffin



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School will close for half term after the normal school day today (Friday 24th May). Monday 3rd June will be an INSET day. School will reopen as normal on Tuesday 4th June.

Year 5/6 Timperley Shield

Unfortunately, due to inclement weather, the Timperley Shield tournament had to be postponed. We will let relevant parents know as soon as we have a new date for the event.

KS2 Cross Country – Monday 1st July

Pupils in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 are invited to take part in a cross country event at Crewe Vagrants on Monday 1st July (15:30-17:30). Places for this event are limited and will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis. If you would like your child to take part, consent should be given through *Clubs* on Arbor by Monday 24th June. Once the event is fully subscribed, it will no longer show on Arbor.

Parents will be responsible for transport to and from the venue. Children should be collected as normal at the end of the school day and aim to arrive at the venue as close to 15:30 as possible depending on the traffic conditions.

Current Year 3 – Whitemoor Lakes

*** Detail??? ***

After School Clubs

If your child is signed up for an after school club but will not be attending for any reason or no longer requires their place, please inform the class teacher or school office at your earliest possible opportunity. Thank you.

Smart Watches & Mobile Phones

As per our policy any pupil mobile phones must be handed in each morning on arrival.

Smart watches should not be worn for school as they also have functions which are not appropriate in the school environment. Therefore if smart watches are worn, they must also be handed in for safe keeping on arrival at school and will be returned at the end of the day.

KS2 Snack and Lunch Payments – Summer 2

Snack payments are listed under the **trips** section on Arbor. If you wish for your junior child to have a snack next half term, please make payment via Arbor. The charge for each half term is £5 per child.

Please note that lunch payments should be made **in advance** via the **meals** section on Arbor. Meals are charged at £2.35 per day.

Attendance & Fines for Unauthorised Absence

We are working closely with our Education Welfare Office to improve our attendance and prevent children's attendance from falling below 95%. Children with attendance below 90% are classed as persistent absentees. We are contacting parents by letter if we are worried that a child's attendance is becoming close to 90%. Please be assured that this is just a process and that we are here to support families as much as we can to improve attendance.

If you wish to find out more, you may refer to the following:

- School's Attendance Policy: www.wcla.co.uk/99/attendance
- Cheshire East School Attendance: www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schools/school-attendance/attendance-and-children-out-of-education.aspx
- Department for Education: <https://www.gov.uk/school-attendance-absence/overview>

If you intend to take your child out of school during term time, please complete a Leave of Absence Form and return this to the office. You should be aware that if your child is taken out of school and the reasons are not classed as exceptional, the absence will be recorded as unauthorised. The school must then inform the Local Authority and a Penalty Notice may be issued if your child is absent for 5 days or more. Please note that letters confirming receipt of your Leave of Absence Request will only be issued if the Principal has been unable to authorise absences of 5 days or more.

We have to advise you that the Penalty Notice states that there is a Penalty to be paid of £60 per parent/carer per child to be paid within 21 days. If not paid within 21 days then the Penalty rises to £120 per parent/carer per child, up to the twenty

eighth day. If full payment is not received by the twenty eighth day, then the Local Authority will prepare paperwork for a Prosecution in the Magistrates Court.

The law requires all children between the ages of 5 and 16 to be in full time education. Under Section 7 of the Education Act 1996 it is the duty of the parent/carer of a child of compulsory school age to ensure that they attend school regularly.

Please contact Mrs Watson if you have any queries about attendance.

Sports Coaching Groups After School Clubs – Summer 2

Sports Coaching Group will be running some after school clubs next half term. Please see details of the clubs below. These should be booked directly with SCG at:

[Wistaston Church Lane Primary School - Summer Term 2 \(Tue 4th Jun 2024 - Fri 19th Jul 2024\) | Sports Coaching Group | Powered by ClassForKids](#)

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

SPORTS COACHING GROUP

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SUMMER TERM 2 - 2023 / 2024
WISTASTON CHURCH LANE ACADEMY

Ks2 - Football

Tuesday

04.06.24 - 16.07.24

3:15pm - 4:15pm

£35 (7 weeks)

Ks1 - Football

Wednesday

05.06.24 - 17.07.24

3:15pm - 4:15pm

£35 (7 weeks)

Ks2 - Cricket/Rounders

Thursday

06.06.24 - 18.07.24

3:15pm - 4:15pm

£35 (7 weeks)

Ks1/2 - Dodgeball

Friday

07.06.24 - 19.07.24

3:15pm - 4:15pm

£35 (7 weeks)

HOW TO BOOK

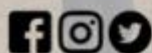
Visit our website: 'www.sportscoachinggroup.co.uk'

Click on the After School Clubs tab

Select your school, activity & Key Stage

Complete the online booking form

Make payment. This can be made via Credit/Debit Card or childcare vouchers.



01270 449770

info@sportscoachinggroup.co.uk

www.sportscoachinggroup.co.uk


FIND OUT MORE ABOUT:

HOLIDAY CLUBS
SWIMMING LESSONS
BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Sports Coaching Group Holiday Clubs

Sports Coaching Group have 4 exciting theme days planned for half term. Please see below for more details.

WCLA Holiday Club: <https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/camp/211>



✓ **CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED**

✓ **WRAP AROUND FROM 8AM UNTIL 5PM**

✓ **10% SIBLING DISCOUNT**

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WISTASTON CHURCH LANE

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MAY 28 - MAY 31

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WHAT'S ON:

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THEMES:

Tuesday 28th - SCG Bootcamp
Wednesday 29th - Nerf Gun Day
Thursday 30th - Olympics Warm Ups
Friday 31st - Dodgeball Day



ARTS AND CRAFT ACTIVITIES' THROUGHOUT THE WEEK



Contact us: 01270 449770
holidays@sportscoachinggroup.co.uk



BOOK HERE
MAY 28 - MAY 31

www.sportscoachinggroup.co.uk



Helping Children Deal with Losses of any Kind

Mrs Clifford will be running her 4-session x 1hr weekly programme in conjunction with www.griefrecoverymethod.com after half term to help children deal with losses of any kind - from friendship issues, to the absence, separation or death of a pet, divorce, loss of grandparents right through to everyday experiences such as moving class/school, losing a prized possession or loss of academic hopes, dreams and expectations. This brilliant course delivers top tips and support strategies, designed to give you a helpful toolkit of language choices – including what **not** to say! Loss is an unavoidable part of life and validating emotions, not comparing losses and active listening are just some of the tools that Mrs Clifford will explore with you. For full details and to book a free place please email Nicky Clifford – nclifford@wistaston.cheshire.sch.uk.

Location – Wistaston Church Lane Academy

Dates:

10th June 2024 – 1:30-3pm

17th June 2024 – 1:30 -3pm

24th June 2024 – 1:30 -3pm

1st July 2024 – 1:30 – 3pm



Break the Rules Non-Uniform Day – Friday 14th June

CRAZY HAIR

**Wear a costume...
or even your PJ's!**



BREAK THE *school uniform* RULES DAY

In exchange for a tombola item

Friday 14th June

**NAIL
VARNISH**

**Temporary
tattoos!**

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Payment Due Dates

KS2 Snack Summer 1 – Now due

Year 6 Edinburgh Residential – Final balance OVERDUE

EYFS Dinosaur Workshop – Payment due OVERDUE

Year 4 Maya Workshop – Payment due by 03/06/24

Year 5 Primary College – Payment due by 17/06/24

Year 2 Beach Day – Payment due by 24/06/24

Year 3 Portals to The Past Egyptian Workshop – Payment due by 28/06/24