

# Walpole Cross Keys Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter - 17th June 2022



On Tuesday morning some of our Year 5 & 6 pupils went to Lynnsport to take part in the SSP **Quadkids Athletics** event which involved 75m sprint, 600m endurance run, standing long jump and vortex howler throw.

On Tuesday Lillyrose (Yr5) & Sam (Yr6) represented our school at the **Falklands Liberation day** service held at the King's Lynn War Memorial. The Falklands Liberation Day marked the day in 1982 when the islands were liberated from the control of Argentine invaders. This was the end of the Falkland War between the UK and Argentina.

Lilac Moon visited us yesterday to take **class photos**, once we have the proofs we will send these out to you. All orders will be made online. Please do not share any images on social media.

**We are experiencing lots of lovely sunshine, please remember to apply sunscreen before school and send in sun cream, hats & water bottles (all clearly named).**

As always, we would like to ensure that your experience at Walpole Cross Keys Primary is a positive one. If you have any concerns, in the first instance, please telephone (01553 828680), email the school office ([office@walpolecrosskeysprimary.co.uk](mailto:office@walpolecrosskeysprimary.co.uk)) or speak with the **class teacher**.

**Best Wishes**  
Ms J. Borley, Executive Head Teacher

### Next week ...

#### Monday

Yr5&6 Bikeability (please remember bikes & helmets)

Hayley Roberts visiting public speaking pupils

Armed Forces Day service (selected pupils)

Yrs 4-6 dance with Kate Whyborn (PE kits)

#### Tuesday

Yr5&6 Bikeability (please remember bikes & helmets)

#### Wednesday

**NO SWIMMING LESSONS THIS WEEK**

Class 1 & 2 Hunstanton Trip (registration @ 8:35am)

PTA tuck shop 3:15pm

#### Thursday

Yrs 3,4,5&6 cookery club 3:15pm-4pm

#### Friday

Yrs R,1,2 & 3 PE day (PE kits)

Music lesson (please remember instruments)

Yrs 3&4 tackling tables club 3:15-4pm

Yrs 1-6 football club 3:15-4:15pm

**STARS: Edward (YrR), Beau (Yr3) & Mia (Yr5)**

**KINDNESS: Eli (Yr3) & Maria (Yr5)**

**HANDWRITING: Glenn (YrR), Evie (Yr3) & Harry (Yr4)**

**GOLDEN BROOM: Class 2**

**THANK YOU WINNERS: Edward (YrR), Alfie (Yr3), Mya (Yr6) & Miss Sewell**



## Attendance

Reception: 92.59%

Year 1: 95.83%

Year 2: 87.5%

Year 3: 94.44%

Year 4: 98.15%

Year 5: 100%

Year 6: 87.3%

Whole school: 93.71%

Congratulations Year 5 (100%)

Attendance bear winners: Class 3

**Please check following pages for future diary dates.**

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## Queen's Platinum Jubilee

On Friday 10th June we had a visit from Cllr Squire who handed out commemorative coins to each pupil. We also handed out some lovely keepsake books for each child, sent to us by the DFE.



**Quadkids  
Athletics  
14th June  
2022**

**Falklands  
Liberation  
Day Service  
14th June 2022**





✓ Bikeability Yr5&6 20th & 21st June: Checklists were given to the pupils who are taking part & reminders sent by text today. Please remember to bring bikes & helmets to school on Monday and Tuesday.

✓ Class 1 & 2 Hunstanton Trip 22nd June: Today is the deadline for consents and payments on ParentPay.

✓ Yrs 1 & 2 Active Kids Festival: Please provide your consent by 24 June on ParentPay.

✓ Class 3 Leicester Space Centre 8th July: Payments must be made in full via ParentPay by Friday 1st July.

### **Diary Dates**

**\*Please be aware that dates are for guidance only and are subject to change\***

<b>Monday 20th June</b>	<b>Armed Forces Day Service @ King's Lynn War Memorial (selected pupils)</b>
	<b>Yr5/6 Bikeability day 1 (bookings only)</b> <b>*please remember bike &amp; helmet*</b>
<b>Tuesday 21st June</b>	<b>Yr5/6 Bikeability day 2 (bookings only)</b> <b>*please remember bike &amp; helmet*</b>
<b>Wednesday 22nd June</b>	<b>Yrs R,1,2&amp;3 Hunstanton Trip</b> <b>*consents &amp; payments deadline 17th June*</b>
<b>Tuesday 28th June</b>	<b>Yrs 1&amp;2 Active Kids Festival @ Lynnsport</b> <b>*consent via ParentPay by 24th June*</b>
<b>Friday 1st July</b>	<b>Yrs 3&amp;4 Mini Tennis @ Lynnsport</b> <b>*information to follow*</b>
<b>Monday 4th July</b>	<b>Junior Leadership Team cinema trip</b> <b>*online consent asap please*</b>
<b>Wednesday 6th July</b>	<b>Primary Maths Challenge @ Springwood High School (selected pupils)</b> <b>*online consent asap please*</b>
<b>Thursday 7th July</b>	<b>St Clements High School Yr 6 Transition Day</b> <b>*information to follow*</b>
<b>Friday 8th July</b>	<b>Yrs 4,5&amp;6 Leicester Space Centre</b> <b>*full payment due 1st July*</b>
	<b>Yrs R,1&amp;2 Top Link Festival @ St Clements High School</b> <b>*information to follow*</b>
<b>Sunday 10th to Wednesday 13th July</b>	<b>Yr 6 Hilltop Residential</b>
<b>Tuesday 12th July</b>	<b>St Clements High School Yr 5 Opportunity Day</b> <b>*information to follow*</b>
<b>Thursday 14th July</b>	<b>Sports day *information to follow*</b>
<b>Monday 18th July</b>	<b>Yr 4,5&amp;6 WNAT Dance Festival @ Springwood High School—show starts 6pm</b> <b>*information to follow*</b>
<b>Wednesday 20th July</b>	<b>Yr 6 Leavers Assembly *Yr6 parents/carers invited to attend - information to follow*</b>



# LUNCHTIME CO.®

Commencing: 2nd May, 23rd May, 20th Jun, 11th Jul, 5th Sep, 26th Sep, 17th Oct  
Allergen Key: Barley (B), Celery (C), Egg (E), Fish (F), Gluten (G), Lupin (L), Milk (MK), Mustard (MU), Sesame Seeds (SE), Soya (SO), Sulphites (SU), Wheat (W)

## Week 3

### Monday

### Tuesday

### Wednesday

### Thursday

### Friday

#### Main Meal

Beef Meatballs in a Tomato Ragù Served with Spaghetti, Herby Bread & Broccoli  
(G) (W) (MK)

Chicken Pie served with Mashed Potato, Carrots and Cabbage  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Hot Dog in a Roll served with Potato Wedges, Mixed Vegetables and Tomato Ketchup  
(G) (W) (SU) (SO) (SE)

Farm Assured Roast Chicken with Potatoes, Carrots and Broccoli, Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Fish Fingers served with Chips, Garden Peas and Baked Beans and Tomato Ketchup  
(G) (W) (F)

#### Meat Free

Vegetable Meatballs in a Tomato Ragù Served with Spaghetti, Herby Bread & Broccoli  
(G) (W) (SO)

Roasted Vegetable pie, Served with Mashed Potato, Carrots and Cabbage  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Quorn Dog in a Roll served with Potato Wedges, Mixed Vegetables and Tomato Ketchup  
(G) (W) (B) (MK) (E) (SE)

Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes, Carrots and Broccoli Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Vegetable Nuggets served with Chips, Garden Peas and Baked Beans and Tomato Ketchup  
(G) (W)

#### Jackets

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Baked Beans served with Fresh Salad  
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#### Lunchtime Lunchbox

Cheese Sandwich Pasta Salad Salad Sticks Choose one of our Fabulous Desserts  
(G) (W) (MK) (E) (SE)

Ham Salad Sandwich Cheese Straw Salad Sticks Choose one of our Fabulous Desserts  
(G) (W) (MK) (E) (SE)

Chicken Mayo Sandwich Pizza Finger Salad Sticks Choose one of our Fabulous Desserts  
(G) (W) (MK) (E) (SE) (SO)

Tuna Mayo Sandwich Cocktail Sausage Salad Sticks Choose one of our Fabulous Desserts  
(G) (W) (F) (E) (SE) (SO) (SU)

Cheese Sandwich Pasta Salad Salad Sticks Choose one of our Fabulous Desserts  
(G) (W) (MK) (E) (SE)

#### Desserts

Choose One of Our Fabulous Desserts Ginger Cake Fresh Fruit  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Choose One of Our Fabulous Desserts Chocolate Sponge Fresh Fruit  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Choose One of Our Fabulous Desserts Carrot Cake Fresh Fruit  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Choose One of Our Fabulous Desserts Out & Raisin Cookie Fresh Fruit  
(G) (W) (MK)

Choose One of Our Fabulous Desserts Chocolate Decker Fresh Fruit  
(G) (W) (E) (MK)

Available every day:

A selection of fresh vegetables and tasty salad

Delicious freshly baked bread

Fruit platter and natural yogurt with toppings



If your child would like any school lunches please order for the week using **ParentPay**, the deadline for orders is midnight on Sunday. If you miss the deadline please email the office by 9am on Monday with your child's choices for the week.  
Thank you



# What Parents & Carers Need to Know about TWITCH

Twitch is a livestreaming service which tends to focus on gaming. Users can publicly broadcast their gameplay and commentary online for other users to watch. It's a community-driven platform where viewers can support their favourite streamers' channels through PayPal donations, "Bits" and more. Each streamer or group creates their own community for fans to interact with each other. Twitch has more than 15 million daily active users and includes non-gaming topics such as music, cooking and art. Anyone can create a channel to livestream or watch videos.

## WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

### UNCENSORED STREAMS

Uncensored content obviously carries a greater risk of inappropriate language and behaviour (streamers can, however, list their broadcast as unsuitable for children). Twitch has strict rules for streamers to follow, but requires viewers to report any streams which breach these guidelines. Each livestream is accompanied by a text chat which it is the streamer's responsibility to moderate.

### INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

Most people are already aware that some video games feature adult content such as violence, sexual content, profanity and so on. Twitch does prevent certain games from being streamed on the platform, but most are still allowed. It is relatively simple, then, for a child to find livestreams of games that aren't suitable for them – including horror games.

### HIDDEN COSTS

Twitch is free to use because it's supported by advertisers. Removing the ads requires a subscription to Twitch Turbo – or the Twitch Prime package (free for anyone with an Amazon Prime account), which blocks the ads and offers additional goodies such as bonus games. Streamers earn most of their income by asking users for direct donations or gifts of the virtual currency Twitch Bits.

### CONTACT FROM STRANGERS

As well as streamers talking directly to their audience, Twitch enables viewers to use text chat to speak to the person they're watching. It's a social platform which also allows viewers to interact with each other via text while they are watching livestreams – including exchanging private messages. This raises the possibility of a child being approached and messaged online by total strangers.

### WEBCAM SHARING

It's common for streamers to use their live webcam footage. This allows better interaction with their viewers, but also adds risk: the stream might include sponsored content or product placement that isn't child friendly. Using a webcam in livestreams increases the chance of malicious viewers finding out where the streamer lives and provides bullies with visual reactions to their hurtful behaviour.

### PRIVATE CHAT ROOMS

Twitch encourages streamers to create their own communities, which extend beyond its platform. Many create a public Discord group, for example, for viewers to join and communicate with each other. Discord is a completely separate entity to Twitch and offers a higher risk of predators, grooming and cyberbullying if your child gets involved in the voice or video chat with strangers.

## Advice for Parents & Carers

### EXPLORE IT YOURSELF

Twitch doesn't have any parental controls, but it is possible to block troublesome users if it becomes necessary. The best solution is to watch some Twitch channels by yourself or with your child to find some that are suitable. Watching some streams by yourself is also a good route to understanding the sort of content that your child would be consuming regularly on Twitch.

### LEARN HOW TO BLOCK

'Security and Privacy' in Twitch's settings lets your child block messages from specific users. Teaching your child how this works will help them avoid online abuse. If they livestream, knowing how to block people in the chat also helps to prevent cyberbullying or harassment. Evading online interaction is impossible, of course, so talk to them in advance about boundaries and safe online communication.

### WATCH WHAT THEY WATCH

Twitch does have a lot of child-friendly content; some streamers use a 'family friendly' tag to highlight material that's suitable for children. However, anyone can use this tag – including users who (accidentally or otherwise) stream games with less appropriate adult themes. The best way to counter this is to view different streams and follow suitable channels for your child to watch.

### LIMIT PAYMENT OPTIONS

Reduce the chance of accidental purchases by ensuring your bank card isn't saved on Twitch or the Amazon account that Twitch Prime could be linked to. Restricting access to your PayPal account is also wise if your child watches Twitch on the device you use to make purchases. Explain to your child that they don't need to subscribe to channels to watch them and that donating or gifting 'Bits' is optional.

## Meet Our Expert

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