

Parent Evenings

Letters were sent home on Tuesday for the Parent evenings taking place on Monday 28th October and Wednesday 30th. Please indicate on the reply slip as many preferences as possible and return to the school office.

Open Afternoon for new starters

We will be holding an Open Afternoon for new starters on Friday 8th November from 1.45pm -2.45pm. This is an opportunity for parents and new starters to visit and experience all we offer at Waltham Primary School.

Dates for your diary

Thursday 24th – Friday 25th - PGL Trip Year 2-6
Monday 28th and Wednesday 30th - Parents Evening
Friday 1st November – Flu Vaccinations
Monday 4th November – Wrates Photographers (individual photos)
Wednesday 6th November – Warning Zone (Y5/6)
Friday 8th November – Open day
Monday 11th November – Remembrance in Church
Friday 22nd November – Toy sale
Friday 29th November – Melton Lights Switch On
Friday 29th November – Christmas Fair 2-7pm (Church)
Wednesday 11th December – Panto (Cinderella)
Friday 13th December – Christmas Lunch
Tuesday 17th December – Christmas Play 1.30 and 6.30pm
Thursday 19th December – Christmas Party
Friday 20th December – Last day of term

Christmas Fair at Waltham Church

The Christmas Fair on Friday 29th November has changed its time to 2-7pm so there is chance to call in and pick up some Christmas gifts after work. We still need volunteers to help on the day and there are still some spaces available for stallholders. If you can spare a few hours to help raise money for the school or know of someone that might be interested in having a stall please contact Gemma – gemhill@yahoo.co.uk. The Starlight Night is approaching fast and this year we are having a toy stall to help raise some money for the school and pre-school. If you are starting to have a clear out and making space for new toys then please if you have any toys that we could have on the stall then please contact Gemma Hill or Chris from the Church, we can then arrange collection leading up to Starlight Night. Thank you – FOWS.

SchoolMoney Accounts

During the half term break please log in to your account and make payment for any dinners/afterschool club charges your child has taken during the first term.

Dear Parents,

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon – Friday 4th October

Thank you to everyone who attended the coffee afternoon on Friday after special assembly, we raised an incredible £233.97 for this wonderful charity. Thank you to everyone who made this event a huge success!



Mixed Football Match – Wednesday 9th October (Year 5-6)

The Year 5-6 mixed team had a fantastic afternoon on Wednesday taking part in the Mixed Football Match at Bottesford. The team played brilliantly and worked very hard together as a team and finished in 6th place! Well done to all the children who played. A huge thank you to Mr Morley and Mrs Savage for managing the team.



Outdoor Clothes

Please can you provide an old pair of jogging bottoms and trainers to leave on your child's peg in a named bag during the week, this is so they can (if they want to) play on the field and equipment without getting their uniform and school shoes muddy.

Hi All,

It's Messy Church this Sunday at 10.20am in Waltham Church. Our theme is Light and Dark, and we will be getting ready for and thinking about our Starlight Night Party and how we can shine our light into the world. Activities include – making star night lights, decorating star biscuits, shooting stars, painting star banners, scraperfoil art, play-dough stars, and creating shadow puppets....plus for adults...table talk.

We will have a short worship time, and afterwards have freshly brewed tea, coffee and cake! Please join us if you can.

Held on Thursday 31st October from 5-7pm, the Starlight Night Party is our "alternative to Halloween" and is a significant fundraiser for Waltham Primary School and Pre-school. We have games, crafts, stalls, popcorn, refreshments, our famous chocolate tombola, and a raffle. The fancy dress theme is "Stars" (film/pop/superhero/space) and the Pumpkin categories are: Outer Space, Funny and Movies. Tickets cost just £3.50 (which includes a hot dog and a drink) and are available from me (Chris), the school office, pre-school office or School office. The party is for under 11's and all children must be accompanied by an adult.

Best Wishes,
The Messy Church Team



Sunday 13th October

Waltham Church 10.20am

Light...and...Dark



**Crafts, activities, songs & fun!
(followed by tea, coffee and cake)**

All Ages Welcome

Waltham-on-the-Wolds CE Primary School Open Afternoon for New Starters Friday 8th November 2019 1.45-2.45pm



Brand new classrooms following
£480,000 investment.

Are you looking for a school place for Sept 2020? Come along and see what our wonderful school has to offer – there will be tours of the school from our older children and a chance for your child to spend some time with our current Reception children whilst you meet our Head of School, staff and Governors.

Have a look at our website: www.waltham.leics.sch.uk

- OFSTED rated Good, November 2017: "The provision in Reception Year is very strong" "Parents feel well informed and are delighted with the progress that their children are making"
- High standards of achievement, progress and behaviour
- Small class sizes
- Rich and exciting curriculum which matches the interests of our pupils, with a range of extra-curricular activities
- Specialist PE, dance and Spanish instructors
- Specialist music provision available
- Large playing field with play trail and woodland area
- After-school club available
- On-site pre-school for children from 2 years old



Executive Head teacher: Mrs Julie Hopkins Head of School: Miss Geeson

Waltham-on-the-Wolds C of E Primary School, Melton Road, LE14 4AJ

For more information contact the School Office 01664 464 269, email: office@waltham.leics.sch.uk



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We are still collecting and are currently at 93. We still have a way to go to meet the 300 target so please keep handing them in to the school office. Thank you for your support.

PLEASE REMIND CHILDREN TO BRING THEIR COAT TO SCHOOL. It may look lovely out of the window but it's quite chilly when they're outside!

Have a lovely half term break, see you all on Monday 21st October at 8.40am.

Yours sincerely,

Miss H Geeson

Head of School, Waltham CE Primary School



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