



# Wreningham VC Primary School Weekly Newsletter



Newsletter 7 Together Everyone Achieves More Friday 18 October, 2019


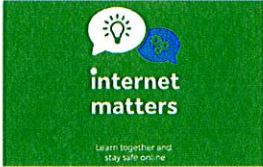
**Events coming up!**  
 w/b Mon 14 Oct Families Week  
 Tues 15 Oct Parents Eve 4.30-7PM  
 Wed 16 Oct Parents Eve 4.30-7PM  
 Thurs 17 Oct Parents Eve 3.30-6PM  
**Half Term Mon 21 to Fri 25 October**  
 Thurs 31 Oct Cl.3 in All Saints Church  
 Sat 2 Nov Open Morning 10 AM  
 w/b Mon 11 Nov Friendship Week (Anti-Bullying Wk.)  
 Mon 11 Nov Flu inoculation – whole school  
**Thurs 14 Nov 3.30 Parents Internet Safety Session** – details to follow  
 Fri 15 Children in Need  
 Mon 18 Nov Year 3 Hockey Tournament  
 Thurs 21 Nov Individual Photos  
 Tue 3 Dec KS2 Nativity 9.30AM/ 6PM  
 Thurs 5 Dec cl.1 & cl.2 Nativity  
 Fri 6 Dec cl.1 & cl.2 Nativity  
 Thurs 12 Dec Carol Singing 6PM around the village  
 Tues 17 Dec School Christmas Dinner  
 Wed 18 Christingle/Last day of term  
**School re-opens Mon 6 Jan 2020**



**Safeguarding** Please ensure the school has relevant and up to date contact details with at least 2 phone numbers that can be used should we need to make contact. Thank you.  
 All policies directly related to Safeguarding and Child protection are available on the school website.

**HOW DO I HELP KEEP MY CHILD SAFE ONLINE?**  
**'Parenting in a Digital Age' A Workshop with Jill Duman (Teaching and Learning Adviser, Educator Solutions)**  
 The school has invited Jill Duman to lead a workshop for parents on Internet Safety on Thursday 14/11/19, 3.30 PM in the school hall.  
**It will cover four key messages:**

- Educate – yourselves and your family.
- Protect – enable a safe environment where possible.
- Monitor – listen, talk, share!
- Support – if things do go wrong, where do you go for help?

A letter with a reply slip will be sent out after the half term holiday

**Quick Reminder:** Please ensure the children have their PE kit in school every day - white top, black shorts and plimsolls (trainers can be worn if the P.E. lesson is taking place outside).

**Every day and lesson counts! School Attendance is 97.86%**

**The school's Opening Morning is Saturday 2 November from 10.am to 12 noon for prospective new parents.** We welcome children from the current Reception class to come along and join in the activities we have planned.

**Can you spare a couple of hours on Saturday?**  
 Parents and children please come and join the Friends this Saturday 19 October for a 'tidy up day' from 10.30 AM. Snacks and drinks will be provided and we ask you to bring a few garden tools if you have any to hand and come and help with a variety of outdoor jobs. Do as much or as little as you like! The sort of jobs include weeding, planting, cleaning, digging over, tidy-up the nature trail and litter collection.  
 It is generally a fun-filled morning with parents typically doing most the hard-graft (as you would expect) and children assisting with clearing up and litter picking! From Friends of Wreningham School

**Stars of the Week**  
 Year R Paisley Year 1 Luke C Year 2 Reggie K Year 3 Freya B  
 Year 4 Joshua N Year 5 Hannah P Year 6 Willow O

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Dear Parents,

## **Voluntary Parent Contribution Scheme – October, 2019**

The governing body recognises the enormous value and contribution the wide range of visits, activities, and visitors in school, makes to enhancing our children's learning, and to creating the best possible learning environment for the children to succeed.

The School Fund used to support many of these activities is limited and being a small school we have not been able to take advantage of the funding economies of scale available to larger schools. The tightening of budgets continues to make it a challenge to provide the full range of education experiences many of us would want for our children. To support us in sustaining these activities, we are asking parents to make a donation of £5 per term from September (£15 per academic year or if you have more than one child in the school £20 per family group).

**The voluntary contribution is voluntary.** We know that not all families can afford to pay the amount requested and all children will be treated equally irrespective of whether their parents contribute. The financial contribution should not be seen as an alternative to parental contributions for school trips which the school will still need to seek contributions for, or for fundraising via the FOWS.

We will use the parental contributions to help fund Art, DT and Cooking projects and this could include - frames to mount art work, paint for Art club, Mod Rock, clay, wooden dowels and wheels, balsa wood, clay paint, syringes for pneumatics, ingredients for cooking, sewing club materials etc.

If your child is in receipt of pupil premium (children from families on a low income) you would not be asked to contribute. If you are not sure if this applies to you, please speak to the school office.

If you have any questions please contact either Mr Gent, Chair of Governors, or Mr Jones, Head Teacher. Thank you.

Mr Jones

**Mr Jon Gent: Chair of Governors**



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Green Flag Award March 2015