



Welburn Hall Weekly

Friday 24 January 2025

Hello and welcome to our weekly Newsletter.....



School dinner arrears

We are £147 in arrears for school meals.
 Can parents please clear any dept.
 School lunches must be paid in advance. Automatic top-up, for as little as £5, can be set up on Parent Pay.

Thank you for your understanding

Spring Term Food Tech Contributions

Payments can now be made towards Spring Term Food Tech.
















So, if you are able to contribute, please do so via **ParentPay**. Thank you



Parent Pay activation letters have now been sent home in book bags.

If you haven't already done so, can we please request that you log in and activate your account. Even if your child has free school meals we still need parents to have their own Parent Pay account.

Your help is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Lunch Week 1	Main	Vegetarian	Pudding
Monday	chicken & veg pie, gravy, roast potatoes 	pizza & potato wedges 	Flapjack 
Tuesday	chicken curry & rice 	cheesy bean nachos, & rice 	apple crumble & custard 
Wednesday	sausages, gravy & mashed potatoes 	mac & cheese, garlic bread 	carrot cake 
Thursday	Chinese 5 spice chicken & noodles 	autumnal veg & potato bake 	rice pudding & peaches 
Friday	fish & chips 	BBQ burrito & chips 	orange shortbread 

We are a nut aware school



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Heads-up!

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are looking forward to seeing you all in person or online on Monday night at Parents' Night. This is a golden opportunity to meet teachers and discuss your child's progress. We hope that the NHS nursing team and the NYC Careers team will join us. Tea and coffee will be available.

We have some fundraising ongoing, please join us at the events themselves or donate what you can. As you will be aware, funding is an ongoing challenge and we need all the help we can get!

Hope to see you Monday

Marianne



This quiz is to raise money for our school farm. Darren, our site manager, looks after the farm and is always trying to make it better. In the past few years' improvements have included new raised vegetable beds, new paths to allow wheelchair access, an outdoor classroom and secure fenced paddocks for our large and very small furry friends.

All of our learners regularly access the farm and really enjoy spending time with the animals; it's a real asset to our school. Perhaps more importantly learners help carry out day-to-day tasks required for animal welfare, ensuring that they exist in an environment that is always up to the highest standard.

Fund raising plays a large part in helping with the general upkeep, as well as future development of the farm, including purchasing new animals and veterinary care. We are very grateful for all the support we receive.

The quiz is being organised by Ellie and Ebony and they are asking for donations for raffle prizes – please state that it's for the Farm Quiz. They also would like as many people as possible come along and join in!!

Thank you for your continued support.

Parents Evening is Monday 27 January 2025, from 4pm to 7pm.
If you have not booked your appointment please do so as soon as possible.



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The Thursday recycling group have been busy sorting the class recycling boxes into cans, plastic bottles and card.

We had lots of items that could not be recycled and so we sent an email to remind classes of what they could recycle. We even had an unopened Mars Bar!

Welburn Hall – Healthy Schools Award

Designed to help schools develop a whole setting approach for the health and wellbeing of pupils and staff, the Healthy Schools Award covers a number of themes. Schools can achieve Bronze, Silver and Gold in the following areas:

- Emotional health and wellbeing
- Active Lives
- Healthy Food
- PSHE/PSED
- Staff Wellbeing



Healthy Schools
North Yorkshire

Each theme has its own action plan, with the school providing supporting evidence to achieve the award.

For Bronze, schools have to complete the requirements for one theme; for the Silver award, it's two themes and then four to achieve Gold.

Welburn Hall has achieved Bronze at the end of last year for Emotional health and Wellbeing and is currently working on Healthy Food for the Silver award.

We are delighted to have reached this milestone and are enjoying the process of undertaking a recognised framework to promote health and happiness. We will of course keep parents/carers updated on our progress towards Gold!

Charity Quiz night, Thursday 13 February The Sun Inn, Pickering

Our HSA's next fundraising event is back to The Sun Inn in Pickering for their brilliant pub quiz!

It's 6 per team/table – if you would like to join us, please phone Rob asap on 07727 569505 to book. All money raised is for Welburn Hall School, so please come along.

Our HSA are also asking for raffle prizes – so please send donations into class for them.

Let the games begin...



You might remember in December that our York College group learners had been working hard on producing their own game.

We are happy to report that this week they've been able to bring their creations back to school!

Learners employed a range of woodworking skills to build them, as well as designing and painting to decorate their work. Everyone worked together really well and the games all look amazing, well done!



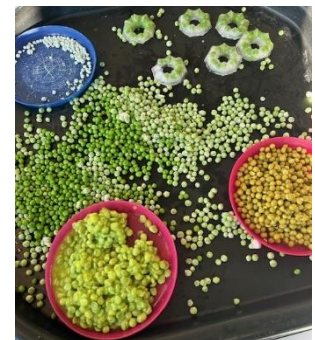
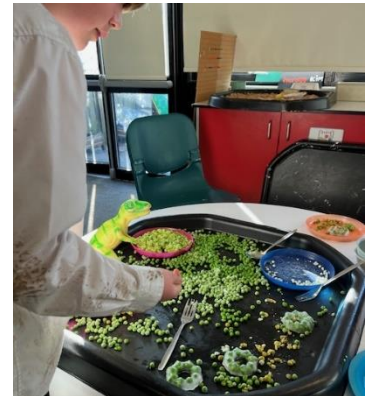
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Our Pre-Formal class are currently reading Supertato and introducing different vegetables mentioned in the book to their weekly, sensory food sessions. This week they've explored the wonderful world of peas.

They have smelt them, squashed them, mushed them in their hands, moved them around the tray and compared the colours and textures. At the end of the session, it was obvious that peas are not a favourite vegetable for some of our learners to eat!



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Wellbeing & Safeguarding



North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership (NYSCP) aims to ensure all children in North Yorkshire are safe, happy, healthy and achieving.

If you are worried about a child – this is the duty number: 0300 131 2 131
Or see their website here:



<https://www.safeguardingchildren.co.uk/about-us/worried-about-a-child/>



FREE online workshops about **gaming and gambling harms** that can affect the young people you work with.

Choose from two workshops:

Mon. 10th Feb
14:00 – 16:00pm



Mon. 10th Feb
18:30 – 20:30pm



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