



Welburn Hall Weekly

Friday 15 November 2024

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



School dinner arrears

We are £87.50 in arrears for school meals. Can parents please clear any dept. School lunches should be paid in advance. Automatic top-up, for as little as £5, can be set up on Parent Pay.

Thank you for your understanding

Autumn Term Food Tech Contributions

Payments can now be made towards Autumn 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 2	Main	Vegetarian	Pudding
Monday	meatballs in tomato sauce & pasta 	vegetarian shepherd's pie 	Australian crunch 
Tuesday	cheese whirls, potato wedges & baked beans 	homemade veg sausage roll, wedges & baked beans 	sponge & custard 
Wednesday	beef stew & dumpling, with mashed potatoes 	tomato & cheese pasta 	fruit jelly & ice cream 
Thursday	chicken casserole, boiled potatoes 	ratatouille rice pot 	jammy shortbread 
Friday	fish fingers & chips 	loaded fries 	chocolate cake 

We are a nut aware school



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Heads-up!

Dear Parents and Carers

Just a reminder to all parents and carers that we are preparing for the Bronze Award within the Healthy Schools Award. We are focussing on lunches again between now and Christmas. For those pupils who bring in packed lunches, we really would like to see more fresh fruit and vegetables or healthy sandwiches and fewer processed items. Cath McGill, who is now a support worker for the Special Schools Nursing Team, is helping us with this and will be working directly with the pupils in their groups to help educate them towards healthy choices.

If any parents wish to be directly involved, please let us know!

I would like parents to be aware that the building works are still extremely dangerous, loud and restricting and we cannot plan ahead for any public Christmas events I'm afraid. The staff and students are planning certain events such as College Christmas Lunch and panto visits in other venues, but the state of the school site is too compromised for anything else at present. Thank you so much to parents for all the support during this time.

Marianne



Mrs Clapton's class have been investigating stone age houses in their Design Technology lesson.

The students then had a go at creating their own versions. We think the results are pretty good!!

Thank you for your Children in Need donations today. We've raised £70!

If anyone still wishes to donate, [please click here](#) to make the suggested £1 donation.



As part of their history qualification, Miss Young's class visited York Dungeons to learn more about York's gruesome history!

They learnt about the Black Death, the witch trials, Guy Fawkes and Dick Turpin. It was scary, educational and tonnes of fun!



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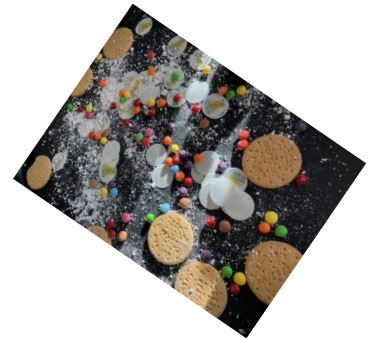
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Pre-Formal class had a fabulous time in their sensory food session this week.

They decorated biscuits ready for today's Children in Need. The tuff tray was filled with a selection of biscuits, sweets, rice paper decorations, sugar and icing.

What a delicious activity it was!



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For parents/carers who haven't seen our Facebook page here are the details of our next holiday activity days.

FEAST vouchers will be emailed to eligible parents on Monday 25 November. For those parents without access to transport, this can be arranged via the FEAST website below.



Christmas Holiday Activity Days Welburn Hall School



Join us this Christmas Holiday for lots of fun, seasonal activities.

As usual there will be freshly prepared, delicious food and all in familiar surroundings.

Dates

Monday 23 December

Monday 30 December

Time

9am—5pm

Each day includes:
Breakfast ~ Lunch ~ Dinner
& healthy snacks



Parents who get FEAST vouchers can book for free via the website here:

www. <https://northyorkshiretogether.co.uk/feast-activities/>

For those not eligible for FEAST, we have 5 paid for places available at £50 per day.

Please email Jenna Kendell, Safeguarding & Inclusion Manager, if you would like your child/young person to attend:

J.kendell@welburn-hall.n-yorks.sch.uk



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Joanna's class have been preparing tasty, hot snacks as part of their course work. One group made poached eggs and the other scrambled eggs, both on toast, of course. The students utilised lots of different skills and very much enjoyed eating the finished results.



One of Miss Young's students is a member of the 1323 Ryedale Squadron RAF Air Cadets and as such took part in the Remembrance Day Procession in Malton last Sunday.

Here he is looking very smart in his uniform.



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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/>

Introducing

Change Direction



Change Direction, part of North Yorkshire Youth, is a prevention/early intervention support scheme for young people aged 10-17, who may be committing antisocial behaviour, with the intention of diverting them away from the Criminal Justice System.

A Change Direction Keyworker provides nurture and support, to help address any underlying causes of future criminal behaviour. The scheme is trauma-informed and features wide-ranging methods of intervention; led by the interests of the young person. The scheme is goal orientated, with achievable outcomes, dependent on the young person's needs. The young person's involvement with Change Direction is on a voluntary basis.

Key components of Change Direction include:

- An initial assessment of needs and strengths and the production of a tailored support plan
- The offer of one-to-one and group work
- Practical/emotional trauma-informed support where required
- Advocacy to access specialist services
- The delivery of in-house interventions
- Referral to existing commissioned services and other specialist services
- Planned exit with an offer of peer support
- Measurement of progress against identified needs

Community Outreach

Driven by local intelligence and informed by key local issues, the Change Direction scheme includes a community outreach programme to encourage engagement from young people within their community.

Community outreach has a particular focus on identifying young people from hard-to-reach groups or communities, for example from BAME or socially isolated rural communities across North Yorkshire and the City of York.

Referrals are welcome from a range of agencies, including schools/education settings, Community Safety Hubs and North Yorkshire Police.

Other services from North Yorkshire Youth include:

- Buddy Network
- Free training for young people and volunteers
- Youth Directories – A-Z of clubs and projects for young people in areas around North Yorkshire.

See their website for further details: <https://nyy.org.uk/>