



Welburn Hall Weekly

Friday 10 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 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,

I hope you had a lovely Christmas and New Year, thank you for all the support with activities in and outside of school!

This term we will have our annual Parents' Evening on 27th January in person and if needed, some appointments can be on the phone or online. This is the annual opportunity to physically meet and talk to your child's teacher and I would really encourage you to attend if you can. Refreshments will be provided and written evidence of your child's progress in every subject.

You will be aware that we have been awarded several accolades recently and I will be organising an official press release once we have the final reports. Thank you to all parents who were involved, well deserved recognition for all the hard work of staff, learners and parents!

I thought you would also like to know that at time of writing, all building works are on schedule to finish on time in June and we are hoping to have a celebration event to mark the reopening of the House. Please contact the Home School Association if you wish to be involved, their email is homeschool@welburn-hall.n-yorks.sch.uk.

Marianne



Miss Young's class have begun the physics unit for their OCR Science course, which means that for the next 6 weeks they are learning all about the electromagnetic spectrum. It's kicked off with a deep dive into visible light.

To prove Isaac Newton's theory of light, they've created Newton's discs; where they spin the multi-coloured disc and observe that a white light appears as the colours blend together.



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In spite of the storm putting them back a week, we are delighted to report that our College learners did in fact make it to The Feathers Hotel in Helmsley, in time for their annual Christmas lunch.

Everyone had a jolly time; enjoying lovely food, a visit from Father Christmas and general all-round frivolity.

We must say thanks to the Feathers for being so accommodating – we'll no doubt see them again in December!



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Demi Leatham, class teacher, for our Pre-Formal learners has worked really hard to create these brilliant kitchen and shop environments for imaginative play.

This kind of resource really helps with communication, recognition of objects and as an introduction to real life shopping and kitchen experiences.



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Thank you to everyone who bought a ticket for Ronnie the Reindeer and Hamper, as well as one of the Christmas badges, made by Kay, taxi escort.

£158 was raised in total! This money will go towards funding the forthcoming Peat Rigg trip for Miss Young and Mrs Clapton's classes.



Kirkbymoorside Christmas Tree Festival 2024

Welburn Hall School was delighted to take part in Kirkbymoorside's Christmas Tree Festival held at the Methodist Church. A local Kirkbymoorside resident donated a tree for our learners to decorate.

Whilst it wasn't strictly a fundraising event, donations from the exhibition totalled £462.56 and the monies will go to both the Kirkbymoorside Environment Group and Ryedale Carers.



One of Miss Young's learners has been very busy making his own keyrings for sale. He was part of our stall at the Kirkbymoorside Primary School Christmas Fair on 6 December. As a result, he has very kindly donated £10 to our Home School Association – so many thanks for that!!



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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/>



Self-Esteem Webinar

A Wellbeing in Mind Team webinar to understand:

- What low self-esteem is and how it is presented in children and young people.
- To learn about the importance of having high self-esteem and the impacts that low esteem has on our mental health, social relationships, and academic performance.
- To have a wider knowledge of how to support a young person when they are experiencing low self-esteem and how the WIMT can support if needed.

Date and Time

Monday 20th January at 6.00pm – 7.00pm

To Join the Meeting
Click on the LINK below:
Microsoft Teams

[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 363 816 123 967

Passcode: 3s3RV6XT

<https://events.teams.microsoft.com/event/d3b6c6f1-ad1a-4d9f-ba2a-882ccb65a109@37c354b2-85b0-47f5-b222-07b48d774ee3>

Please email: tevv.wellbeinginmind@nhs.net if you have any queries or require further information.

Wellbeing in Mind Team – Team of NHS staff working with schools to provide advice, support, and training on wellbeing issues, as well as forming a link between school and other services supporting young people. This work includes direct support for young people experiencing mild to moderate mental health, such as anxiety and low mood, support to utilise online resources and develop skills, as well as classroom-based educational sessions in conjunction with the school's pastoral team to improve knowledge and understanding about wellbeing.

[The Teams link is here - click to join the webinar.](#)