



Walton-le-Dale

Wednesday Weekly Newsletter

"Through working together, the best is yet to come"

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Dear Parents,

MESSAGE OF THE WEEK

You will have received this week a letter (one per household) regarding the Parent Governor Elections with an attached Ballot paper/envelope. Completed ballot papers, in their envelopes must be returned to school and placed in the ballot box, located in the main entrance, by 12pm on Monday 21st May. An extra ballot paper per household is available from the school office.

Please use your vote, the work of the parent governor as a member of the whole governing body is extremely valuable to this school.

SPORTS DAY

A warm (and hopefully dry) welcome awaits you if you are planning to come and support your children on their Sports Day. Please feel free to take photos of your child but only for personal use rather than social media.

Children will require their PE kits next week with their coloured team shirt. We do hope that you will be able to join us for your child's event.

Monday 21st May

Year 1 & 2: 10.00am-11.00am

Year 3 & 4: 1.30pm-2.30pm

Tuesday 22nd May

Year 5 & 6: 10.00am-11.00am

Years 1 – 6 Races- 1.30pm-2.30pm

Thursday 24th May

Nursery and Lemur – 10.30 - 11.30am

Nursery and Chinchilla– 2.00pm – 3.00pm

YEAR 6 ENTERPRISE DAY

Year 6 will be organising an Enterprise Event on Wednesday 23rd May and all children from Reception- Year 6 are invited to attend. Please allow your child up to £3, in a named envelope, to take part and enjoy this event. The Year 6 children will be working hard to plan the day and all funds raised will be put towards the cost of their leaver's trip and hoodie. Many thanks for your support!

PUPIL INFORMATION PRIVACY CONSENT FORM – URGENT (NURSERY- YEAR 5)

School has still not received over 60 Pupil information Privacy Consent Forms. We need these all returned due to the new General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). Please can all parents ensure that this is completed and returned to school no later than 25th May as this is when the regulations come in to affect.

ROTA KIDS

Each year, our Year 4 children work with the local Rotary Club to raise funds for a local charity. This time Year 4 will be raising money for Scotty's Little Soldiers. As you may or may not already know, Millie lost her Dad, Darren, in 2017 when he was killed in a tank explosion at a Military base. Scotty's Little Soldiers is a charity that has supported Millie and her family throughout the last year. On Friday 25th May we would like to invite the children to attend school dressed in Rota kids colours, which are red, yellow and blue, for a donation of £1. We will also be holding a cake sale

that day, so if possible could we please ask you to send the children with an extra 50p to buy cakes/biscuits. Thank you for your support.

PIANO LESSONS

Mr Thomas, the piano teacher, has 2 or 3 vacancies for piano lessons which are held on Friday afternoons in school. If you are interested in your child learning to play the piano please contact him directly on 07745076975.

TEMPEST PHOTOS

Tempest Photography will be coming in on Monday 11th June, the first day back after the half term holidays. These will be whole class pictures and children will need to be in full school uniform and looking smart!

SUN CREAM

The weather seems to have been a little brighter recently and parents have been requesting information regarding sun cream. It would be most helpful if parents apply sun cream (long lasting 12 hour +) at the start of the day before they arrive at school. Staff are unfortunately not permitted to apply sun cream to children themselves, but it may be brought in if it is easy to administer themselves (spray creams) with minimal assistance from staff.

CRICKET CLUB- CHANGE OF DAY

The club will now be held after school on Fridays.

SWIMMING FEES FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION TO YEAR 3

Following my message last week, I am writing to say how very grateful we are to the parents who have now contributed towards their children's school swimming lessons. To ensure that lessons can continue next year and beyond, the school relies heavily on these contributions made. The children at our school enjoy this fantastic facility and it helps them learn a valuable life skill... but it does need your support to keep it functioning. I felt that I needed to share this thought before further possible cuts occur in the future. Thank you.

JULY 2ND – VISITING CHINESE GUESTS FROM QUN XIAO PRIMARY

We are once again receiving visitors from China at the start of July from Qun xiao Primary in Fuzhou and they will be with us for a week from the 2nd to the 6th July. We have welcomed guests from China over the last three years and our children have really enjoyed and obtained much from the experience of hosting our guests. Two or three pupils will join each class and buddy up with our own children in class for the week. They will also have a visit to Walton le Dale High School during the week and spend a day out in the local community seeing as much as possible! Our guests will be staying at the Preston Central Premier Inn throughout the week but we would like to appeal to our junior parents to take them home for tea on the Monday night only and then deliver them to their hotel from 7.15pm to 7.30pm. This will give the visiting children a chance to see a British home and have good British tea! If you are interested, you may have one or two guests for the evening before they return to the hotel.

ACTIVE SCHOOLS MULTI SKILLS CLUB

The final session will be held on Monday 21st May.

THE READING CLOUD

Our infant and junior children have been introduced to our new 'Reading Cloud' library platform. This is to be found within *Digital Wings* – (www.wldps.com/digitalwings). Your child will need their login details for digital wings to access the **Reading Cloud**. (This will be wld + first name & first letter of surname in most cases e.g. *wldmatthewt*.) Your child will then have their own password which they hopefully should already know! Infants can also login and will be guided through the platform this week. Reading Cloud is a very effective method of getting our children interested in different authors and new books and allows them to reserve books they like within our own library, download over **1000+ EBooks** which we have subscribed to this year and even allows the children to ask the school to buy books they are interested in but we don't already have! They can spend time at home making their profile and avatar to use to identify them when using Reading Cloud. Please have a look at this with your children as it is really impressive and used regularly will do much to help your children develop a love of reading and read more! Children will be returning books independently in their classes using scanners and thumbprint scanners in the library to take out books. We hope to invite you to an 'official launch' session allowing you to see this new resource in action soon.

Mr Richardson is planning to lead two workshops for parents to make them aware of this valuable resource. It will only be necessary to attend one of these however! This will allow parents to access EBooks with their children over the summer break! These will occur on Wednesday 23rd May at 2.20pm and 5pm.

WALTONFEST

Waltonfest final release tickets are now on sale! These are the last few tickets to this wonderful family event. Please look at the Facebook page **Waltonfest** to see the line-up of acts and the stallholders that are attending. All you need to do is book a ticket, bring a chair or blanket and enjoy the atmosphere... Last year was a sell-out. Prices: Adults are £10, Children are £5 and under 1s are free. If the site states "sold out" contact the PTFA directly.

MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE - CHEQUES

As we are now receiving more and more payments through Parentpay we are finding that we do not need to bank each week. From April, we will therefore bank once a month. If you do happen to send in a cheque payment, this may not be presented to the bank until the end of the month. We would just like you to bear this in mind. Thank you.

REPORTING A CHILD ABSENT

Please do not report your child's absence on Class Dojo as this is designed for sharing children's learning. Instead please ring the school and leave a message on the answer machine. Alternatively you can report your child's absence via email to shodgson@wldps.com or armstrong@wldps.com Thank you.

SCHOOL DINNER PAYMENTS

Please can you ensure that payments are up to date for school dinners. Unfortunately, we do not offer further meals if arrears build up to more than £25. Parents are welcomed to pay in advance for their children's meals through ParentPay to avoid this occurring.

CURRENT TRIPS AVAILABLE TO PAY ON PARENTPAY

The following items can be paid on ParentPay –

Year 5 London trip- £30 (£15 by Friday 4th May and the next payment of £15 by 15th June)

Year 3 Yorkshire Sculpture Park trip- £8.15

Brass tuition - £42 due for this half term

(Current Year 3) Borwick Hall

Y6 Boreatton Park – final payment due by the end of April

China - monthly payments of £84

Nursery Fees

Lunch payments

Swimming lessons- Reception to Year 3 £12.00 per term/ £36 for the year

SPECIAL LUNCHES

Royal Wedding- Friday 18th May

Football World Cup-13th June

Football World Cup-27th June

Yours sincerely,

C. Shields

Monday 14 th – Thursday 17 th May	Year 6 Assessments – SATS (all tests take place)
Wednesday 16 th May	New Parents' Induction and Information Session – 6pm
Thursday 17 th May	Year 3 visit to Yorkshire Sculpture Park
Friday 18 th May	Year 6 Pyjama day Year 4 Tri Golf Event – Browndedge St Mary's High School 9.30 – 11.30am
Monday 21 st May	Year 1 & 2 Sports Day – 10am Year 3 & 4 Sports Day – 1.30pm Year 6 Residential PGL Boreatton Park – Parent Meeting – 5pm
Tuesday 22 nd May	Year 5 & 6 Sports Day – 10am

	Years 1 – 6 Races Sports Day – 1.30pm
Wednesday 23rd May	Year 6 Enterprise Day Parent launch of the 'Reading Cloud' – KS2 Hall Meeting 2.20pm & 5pm
Thursday 24 th May	Nursery and Reception Class (Lemur) Sports Day – 10.30 - 11.30am Nursery and Reception Class (Chinchilla) Sports Day – 2pm – 3pm
Monday 28 th May- Friday 8 th June	Half Term
Monday 11 th June	School reopens Tempest Class Photos Father's Day Maker- 3.15pm- 4.30pm
Tuesday 19 th June	Year 5 Visit to Lostock Hall Academy
Friday 22 nd June	Year 5 to visit WLD High School Year 6 depart for Boreatton Park at 1pm
Monday 25 th June	Year 6 return from Boreatton Park at approx. 4pm
Wednesday 27 th June	WLD High School sampling day for Year 6
Thursday 28 th June	WLD High School sampling day for Year 6
Saturday 30 th June	Waltonfest 1.30pm
Monday 2 nd July	Resources - Governor's Meeting 5pm Curriculum - Governor's Meeting 6pm
Thursday 5 th July	Priory Academy sampling day for Year 6 Parents' meeting for China 2019 – Walton le Dale High School 6pm
Wednesday 11 th July	Year 5 History Outreach (Ancient Greece) Meet the new teacher: Transition afternoon for all classes – 1.30pm – 2.45pm (please collect your child from the usual classroom)
Thursday 12 th July	PTFA Summer Disco – 5-6pm Infants/6.30pm-7.30pm Juniors
Monday 16 th July	Full Governors' Meeting – 6pm
Wednesday 18 th July	Y6 Leavers' Assembly with parents
Thursday 19 th July	Provisional date: Leavers' trip for Year 6 pupils

SUPER PUPILS

Congratulations to our "Super Pupils" from last week:

Bison Class – Luke

Manatee Class- Jessica

Falcon Class –Stuart

Eagle Class – Emilia

Jaguar Class –Harry

Leopard Class- Cameron

Loris Class- Karol

Kakapo Class- Charlie

Gorilla Class-Tyler

Orangutan Class-Will

Elephant Class-Jayden

Rhinoceros Class-Nathaniel

Dear Parents,

On May 25th 2018, the United Kingdom is adopting the largest change in Data Protection in 20 years. The new General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) are significant for educational establishments as we hold the information of children.

We are writing to you to inform you that we are GDPR compliant. Full details of how and why we use your child's information are on www.wldps.com > **Leadership > Privacy**. It is important to note that prior to GDPR, we used the same information with the same services. Now that GDPR is imminent, we have ensured that all our existing services are compliant with GDPR. This means they do not share any information that is in their systems with anyone else, without consent. We will do the same with any future services.

Attached to this letter is a replacement for our existing 'Images and video consent form'. With GDPR's introduction, we need your consent for all personal data used by our school.

Without consent, you and your child will not be able to access services that support learning in many areas, such as:

- **Communication:** SMS text messaging system, Class Dojo communication with class teachers and viewing learning through pictures and videos posted
- **Reading:** Our library system, online book banded schemes, access to 1100 ebooks at school or home
- **Maths:** Services to development fluency in number bonds and times tables, access to the textbooks your child uses as a leading part of our Maths curriculum
- **Writing:** Online packages that currently give KS2 children opportunities to write their own stories with professional artwork
- **SEN:** Services specific to children with special educational needs such as dyslexic support

For more information on GDPR, visit <https://www.eugdpr.org/>

Yours Sincerely,

Alison Armstrong (Data Protection Officer), Mr Shields, Mr Richardson and Mrs Tunstall

Pupil Information Privacy Consent Form

By signing this form, you are consenting to our school using the data fully explained on:

www.wldps.com > Leadership > Privacy

This enables us to comply with our statutory duties with the Department for Education (DfE) and local authority (LA). It also allows us to share data with specific external services in order to deliver a high-quality, rich curriculum. We only partner with services that comply with General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR).

Full details about our current services and what data is shared with each is listed on the privacy web page detailed above.

Name of child _____

Current class _____

Parent or guardian name _____

Parent or guardian signature _____

Date _____

WALTONFEST BOOKING FORM

Event	Waltonfest 2018
Venue	Walton Le Dale Primary School, Severn Drive, Walton le Dale
Date & Time	Saturday 30 th June 2018, 2:00pm - 7:30pm (doors open 1.30pm)

YOUR DETAILS

NAME	
ADDRESS	
POST CODE	
CONTACT NUMBER	
EMAIL ADDRESS	

TICKET INFORMATION

Ticket Type	Price	Tickets Required	Total Amount
Adult	£10.00		£
Child <i>aged 1-18 years</i>	£5.00		£
Infant <i>under 12 months</i>	Free		£
BOOKING TOTAL			£

TICKET OPTIONS

 Please choose how you would like to receive your tickets:

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PAYMENT DETAILS

Total Ticket Amount	£
Total Ticket Options Amount	£
TOTAL PAID IN CASH TODAY	£

Please read the terms and conditions overleaf. Tick here to say you have read and agree to the terms and conditions

SIGNED

PRINT NAME..... DATE.....

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. You need a valid ticket that must be produced to gain entrance to the festival
 - a. Over 18 years of age, adult ticket
 - b. Under 18 year of age, child ticket
 - c. Under 1 year of age, infant ticket (these are free but they need a ticket)
2. All children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult over the age of 18
 - a. if the ticket holder is under 18 and not accompanied by an adult over the age of 18 then they will be refused entry - no refund will be given
3. The festival organisers ask that there are no more than 3 children per 1 adult
4. The festival security staff have the right to refuse entry if they feel the person is a risk to fellow festival attendees
5. Please don't be offended if the festival security ask to look in your bag – to ensure everyone's safety they may have to conduct searches
6. The festival security have the right to remove any attendee that is at risk of or causing a disturbance, there will be no refund of their ticket
7. No alcohol is to be brought into the festival
8. No smoking on school property
9. No dogs can be brought on to school property, except for assistance dogs
10. Parents/Guardians are responsible for their children at all times
11. If you look under 25 years of age please don't be offended when we ask you for ID, Waltonfest operate the "Challenge 25" policy
12. Please respect the school area and use the bins provided for all rubbish
13. Only in the event of the festival being cancelled will we refund your ticket minus booking fee adult (.99p) children (.71p)
 - a. PayPal bookings incur a extra 20p per ticket charge, this will be also be deducted prior to refund
14. Under no circumstances will duplicate tickets be issued for lost tickets KEEP THEM SAFE
15. Every effort is made to ensure the full, advertised acts perform, this ticket is for an event not a specific act. Waltonfest organisers reserve the right to change the bill/running times without prior notice
16. The festival organisers do not take any responsibility for any lost or damaged property
17. Attendees consent to the photography/ filming/sound recording as members of the audience, which may be used for promotional activities
18. Amplified sound and strobe lighting will be used at this event
19. Walton le Dale Primary School has standard rules and these still apply at this event
20. The 'Waltonfest' organisers reserve the right to amend the terms and conditions of entry into the festival in accordance with any new laws, legislation or school policies.