



WELLSPRINGS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Ukraine crisis

Another fantastic amount of donations for Ukraine! Thank you so much to each and

everyone who has sent in either items or money.

We are no longer collecting donations at present at school although there are still active groups which can be found on social media.

Once again, enormous thanks and well done to all for your kindness and donations. Our heartfelt thanks also go to our two families at school who have been instrumental in setting up this operation and for organising/co-ordinating the collections and deliveries. Thank you!

Comic Relief day

Thank you to all the children who supported the Comic Relief day- by wearing red noses, or wearing an item of red clothing or contributing some money to the good cause.



We raised £179.94 from the day which will all go to good causes which help many children and families around the world, not least in the UK.

Dates

- 25.03.22 School newsletter out
- 08.04.22 School newsletter out
- 08.04.22 Last day of the Spring term
- 25.04.22 INSET day
- 26.04.22 Children start back after the break

COVID cases

As I am sure you are aware, the number of COVID cases has significantly increased, nationally and locally. Wellsprings school has not been immune to this increase, and we have had our highest number of COVID cases recorded in the last couple of weeks.

As yet, we have not had to ask any classes/year groups to work from home, although our staffing arrangements have been severely stretched. As we have previously stated, we know many schools have had to resort to 'closing' classes. Wellsprings will do everything to avoid this happening, however, we must warn parents/carers that if cases continue to rise (specifically in our staffing), we cannot rule out resorting to remote learning for key classes. It is really important we continue to operate the COVID-arrangements we have had all-year, and minimise the risk of the virus coming into school in the first place.

As a reminder, if your child tests positive, the following Government guidance should apply:

- Your child should self-isolate from day 0 (the day of first symptom or positive LFD test) to the end of day 7.
- On day 6 and day 7, your child can take an LFD test.

- If both tests are negative within 24 hours of each other, your child may return to school provided.
 - a. They are well enough to do so;
 - b. They do not have any COVID symptoms.

Polite reminder

We know that the vast majority of parents/carers and their children are extremely thoughtful and show good respect for each other, and the local residents around Wellsprings.

However, we have had some recent reports of children (and adults) not taking care to show the respect to local residents, and their properties, as we would hope for.

Can we please make sure children are supervised, so the resident's properties are not accessed without permission. An incident earlier, resulted in a wall being damaged by a child, with flowers from a local property being taken from their garden, obviously without permission.

Parking in front of people's drives has also happened again recently. As we have mentioned before, there is plenty of parking spaces further up around Bagborough Road and Weacombe Road, where there are no dropped kerbs/driveways to block.

We appreciate, as we mentioned from the outset, this does not apply to the vast majority of parents/carers and family. As ever, we appreciate your support.

Easter Bingo

The PTA are organising an Easter Bingo evening to be held on Thursday 7th April. Doors open at 5.30pm and eyes down at 6.00pm . More details to follow nearer the time.

We will be holding a MUFTI day on the same day. In return for coming to school in non-school uniform, the PTA are asking for donations of chocolate for the tombola.

EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



Happy Healthy Holidays Somerset is back running over the Easter holidays, to provide fun-packed activity clubs that include food.

Find FREE activities local to you by visiting:
www.sasp.co.uk/happy-healthy-holidays

For more information email:
HHH@sasp.co.uk or call 01823 653992

For children aged 5 - 16 years If you signed up to Playwaze in the summer or winter – you can log in and book your activity
BOOKINGS OPEN SOON

SCAN ME!



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Please get your unique booking code from your school

***FREE places for children eligible for benefits related free school meals**





Easter The Dates and Information

Holiday Camps



WEEK 1

APRIL 11 - 14 Monday - Thursday 9am - 3pm each day

- Northgate Primary School, Bridgwater - Multi-sports Camp
- Northgate Primary School, Bridgwater - Champions League Football Camp
- Lyngford Park, Taunton - Multi-sports Camp
- St Cuthberts Junior School, Wells - Multi-sports Camp
- Woolavington Village Primary - Multi-sports Camp
- St Benedicts, Radstock - Multi-sports Camp

WEEK 2

APRIL 19 - 22 Monday - Friday 9am - 3pm each day

- Northgate Primary School, Bridgwater - Multi-sports Camp
- Northgate Primary School, Bridgwater - Dodgeball Camp
- Lyngford Park, Taunton - Multi-sports Camp
- St Benedict's, Radstock - Multi-sports Camp
- Castle Cary Primary School - Multi-sports Camp



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If your child is on 'Free School Meals', you will be eligible for a FREE place. Contact us for more details.

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We are so proud of all the children who took part and helped us raise so much money.

Emails have been sent out to all the winners on how they can claim their prize!

The winner are

Reuben (Reception)

Barney (Reception)

Logan (Y1)

Eva (Y1)

Emilia (Y2)

Alex (Y2)

Ellie-Rae (Y3)

Scarlett (Y3)

Leonor (Y4)

**The next school newsletter is out on
Friday 8th April 2022.**