

## NEWSLETTER W/C 11.09.23

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## TRUTH OPPORTUNITY CELEBRATION

# Westmoor Primary School



### Dates for your Diary

**22/09/2023** - Jeans for Genes Day £1 contribution to wear denim to school

**25/09/2023** - Rec to Year 6 Go Smarter pedestrian training

### Routines

We warmly welcome our full Reception class this week into full days. I am sure that they will soon settle into routines. As school meals are free to children up to and including Year 2, please persevere, even if your child states that they do not like them. School and catering services can work with parents to assist, so please speak to school staff in the first instance. The rest of the school have settled well with consistency of approach across school. Specific year group communication will come via the class teacher or phase leader through SeeSaw. General communications come through school Gateway, so please regularly check both forms of communication. If you are having any issues with access, please contact the school office and our Apprentice ICT Technician, Beth Hargreaves, will endeavour to assist you.

### RAAC

**11/10/2023** - Local

Author visit TBC

**27/10/23** - Muddy

Fun run TBC

## Menu Changes

Due to supply issues, some changes will be made to the menu this week. A shortage of margarine means cake may be replaced by biscuits. School has some meatballs, but there may be a change to sausage in a bun.

## GDPR

You will receive a GDPR (General Data Protection Regulations) statement this week to complete and return to school. Please return this promptly to ensure that we are compliant with your wishes.

## Earrings

Please ensure that stud earrings are removed on PE days or that they are covered with tape or plasters.

*None on Site*

We fortunately do not have aerated concrete on site. The Local Authority is the responsible body who communicated this to The Government on behalf of North Tyneside Schools.

## Water Bottles

Children now all have a water bottle for use in school. You may wish to fill it prior to your child coming to school. However to avoid any leakages, it may be advisable for your child to bring their empty bottle and fill it on school site and take their empty bottle home for washing.

## Recycling

*A message from 1<sup>st</sup> Forest Hall Brownies based at Springfield Park*

As part of our fundraising activities, we collect old, broken and run out pens, markers, highlighters and felt pens. They are then forwarded onto a company called Terracycle where they are broken down and turned into products such as outdoor furniture and decking, flooring tiles, athletic fields and so much more (see link for further information [TerraCycle](#)).

Please see the poster in outside notice boards for guidance. Your children can bring items into school for recycling.

## OOSC

*Welcome Back!*

We are settling in to our new room after the removal of the mobile building. Parents please ring the bell on the window to the left of the main doors to get the attention of OOSC staff. We appreciate that some parents require provision beyond the times that we offer and may wish to use an outside provider who already drops off and picks up at our site. If you require any further information, please contact the school office.

## Y3/4 Swimming

Swimming for these Year groups is now on a Monday. Previously it fell on Tuesday which coincidentally was a PE day. To ensure consistency with practice across school, standard uniform is to be worn for 3 days a week and PE kit for days when the children are having PE activities.

## Armistice Day

Remembrance day falls on a Sunday this year. Previously, School Council would represent our school at this gathering of reflection, at The White Swan Centre. The Westmoor Community is welcome to attend this event.



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