WESTGLADE NEWSLETTER 16th May 2025



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SAT's

Well done to all our Year 6's for completing their SAT's this week. They have worked so hard and we are really proud of them.

Warm Weather

As the weather warms up, we ask that you please provide your child with a cap/sun hat and apply sun cream before attending school to protect your child from the heat. We encourage all children to bring their own water bottles in that can be replenished throughout the day to keep them hydrated.

School Parking

Can we please kindly ask when dropping and picking up your children at school that you maintain a cautious approach and do not park on the yellow zig-zags and adhere to the speed limits outside of school.

Also, can you please be mindful not to block residents drives and park courteously.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Staying safe online

We know that technology and the internet is a big part of our lives. It be can brilliant but we also know that there are challenges and worries when it comes to children being safe online. Here are some useful websites that can give you advice and guidance around keeping children of all ages safe online:

https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers

https://www.ceopeducation.co.uk/parents

https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/

Trial of new menu

Thank you for taking part in the trial of the new menu a couple of weeks ago and thank you for any feedback given.

We will be trialling the whole three-week September 2025 menu starting on the **9th June**.

The full menus and allergen information will be posted on Class Dojo nearer the time.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Sports Day —Years 2 — 6

We are looking forward to our first Sports Day of the year for Years 2 – 6 next Friday. We are amending the time slightly so that it is not as much of a rush after lunchtime and to allow children time to get changed into their PE kits. We will be opening the side gate (near nursery) for parents at 1:45pm for a 2pm start.

Please can you ensure your child has their full PE kit including trainers/plimsols, a water bottle, a cap/ sunhat and sun cream (we are hoping for nice weather).

Appeal for donations

We are appealing for any donations of school uniform, especially for nursery aged children and older children in school. We would also like to ask for any donations of school shoes, plimsols and PE kits. We would be very grateful of any donations. Donations can be bought to the School Office.

Our Safeguarding Team

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) -

Mrs Kim Wenyon

Ms Kershaw

Miss Jess Foster

Safeguarding Governor: Loretta Shepherd

At least one member of the DSL team will be available at school during the school day.

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Careers Fair

We are going to have a 'careers fair' in the second half of the summer term. We would love it if parents would be willing to come and talk to groups of children about the jobs they do. Or, maybe you have a family member or friend that could come and inspire the children. If you would like to help, please will you get in touch with the School Office.

Walesby Residential

Please ensure OV4 forms are completed and returned as soon as possible.

Miss Hyde and Miss Kirkbright will be holding a Parent Meeting for the Walesby Residential on Monday 19th May at 3:30. In the meeting they will go through the itinerary and give you more information about the residential. It would also give you an opportunity to ask any questions you may have. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible!

There are still some outstanding balances. You can view your outstanding balance and make any payments via the Arbor Parent App. Alternatively, we can take cash at the School Office.

Please ensure any outstanding balances are paid in full by Monday 19th May 2025.

Help and support for a range of issues can be found on the Nottingham City website. Just type in Ask Lion Nottingham. There is advice and support on areas such as food banks, warm spaces, what's on across the city, homes and house and SEND.

Diary dates for Summer term

Monday 19th May—Walesby Residential Parent Meeting

Friday 23rd May—Year 2-Year 6 Sports Day

Friday 23rd May—Last day of the half term

Monday 2nd June—Children return to school

Monday 2nd June—Walesby Residential

Friday 6th June—Inset day

Friday 13th June—Father's Day Breakfast & EYFS & Y1 sports Day

Friday 20th June—Inset day (children not in school)

WC Monday 30th June—Year 6 Bikeability

Wednesday 2nd July—Internal Transition Day

Tuesday 8th July—Year 6 trip to Nottingham Trent University

Tuesday 15th July—Year 5 Taster Day at Park Vale Academy

Friday 18th July—F2 Graduation

Monday 21st July—Year 2 Graduation

Tuesday 22nd July—Year 6 Performance and Graduation (after school)

Wednesday 23rd July—Westglade's Got Talent (for the children only)

Wednesday 23rd July—Last day for the children

Thursday 24th July—Inset day (children not in school)

Friday 25th July—Inset day (children not in school)

Some dates might be subject to change but we will let you know as soon as possible if they do.

New date for the diary—INSET day Friday 6th June.

The EYFS & Y1 Sports Day has been rescheduled for Friday 13th June instead.