



Opening Minds, Shaping Futures.

Forthcoming Dates:

- 24.10.19:** 5M Class Assembly
- 24.10.19:** PTFA Halloween Disco
- 25.10.19:** Break up for Half Term today
- 4.11.19 :** Back to school.
- 4/7.11.19:** Y6 Bikeability
- 8.11.19:** Rock Star Day—more info to follow next week

WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL

Please remember not to include any snacks which may contain nuts.

Year 5/6 Football

Footballers from Y5/6 took part in Round 1 of the School Games/WAKAPS (Wombourne and Kinver Area Primary Schools) football this week, hosted by St. Benedict Biscop. Everyone played extremely well for their first outing together, drawing against St. Benedict Biscop 0-0 and winning 2-0 against Blakeley Heath. Charlie D and Harry F scored the two goals.

We waited in anticipation during the last game to see whether we would make it through, realising towards the end of the final game that we had indeed made it! Westfield have qualified as winners of Round 1 and will play in the district final on Monday 21st October at Cheslyn Hay Academy.



Well done and good luck to Westfield!

Website Communication

We are pleased to see parents are now accessing our newsletters on the school website, www.westfield.staffs.sch.uk. Thank you for bearing with us with the change over to the new website and returning the permission slips attached to the bottom of letters. We are now pleased to share with you a new way of communicating with parents through the ParentPay system already used in school for payments. Letters will be sent out as an attachment from a ParentPay email address and can also be viewed in your ParentPay account. We will still continue, for now, to send a text to alert parents when a new communication is available. Newsletters will still be accessed on the school website.

Any parents who are yet to set up a ParentPay account can do so by contacting the school office who will be able to send home details on how to set up an account.

GDPR—Parental Consents

Following the introduction of the Data Protection Act 2018, we revised the parental consents for the use of children's digital and video images during Autumn 2018. We would like to remind parents they able to update this consent at any time if they wish to grant or withdraw a consent. Please contact the school office if you wish to review and/or update your consents.

Cross Country Competition



A sudden downpour of rain did not deter the determination of our cross country runners. Everyone who took part gave their very best. Next week we will find out if we did enough to move up to the next round. Watch this space for an update.

Year 2 Castle Building

What a marvellous time Year 2 have had building their castles this week. The children worked hard constructing castle walls and turrets. The end results were amazing. Well done everyone and a big thank you to all the parents who were able to come in and help glue, stick and paint.



House Points : Weekly Total Results:

1st - Autumn 2nd - Spring
3rd - Winter 4th - Summer

Parents' Evening

It has been good to see so many parents in school this week for the different events. We hope you found parents' evening informative and are assured as to how well your child has settled and how they are currently performing in class.

Thankyou for your support.

Halloween Disco

The Westfield PTFA Halloween disco takes place next week on Thursday 24th October. At a cost of just £2 per child. The fun starts at the following times:

KS1 3.30pm—4.15pm

KS2 4.30pm—5.30pm

Could children please bring their disco/Halloween clothes to school with them on the day in a clearly labelled bag.

There will be a tuck shop available and all children must be responsible for their own money for this. Please ensure it is in a purse or wallet labelled with your child's name.



Becky Hollis will be starting her Maternity Leave from Friday 25th October. We send all our best wishes as she looks forward to the birth of her baby.

School Photographs



On the 22nd November the school photographer will be returning to take photos of any children who were absent earlier this term.

Extra Curricular Clubs—November to December 2019

We are pleased to offer the following extra curricular clubs during the second half of the Autumn term.

Places are offered on a first come, first served basis and will only be secured by clicking the club name, to give parental consent, in addition to receipt of payment by one of the methods below. We are unable to give a refund if your child does not attend any of the sessions.

Payment can be made via ParentPay, cash or cheque - except for Football Coaching—please see note below regarding payment. Your child should bring the payment into school in an envelope clearly marked with the club title, their full name and class by **Friday 25 October 2019**. Cheques should be made payable to 'Westfield Primary School'.

Club	Dates/Times	Led by	Available to
Choir Football Coaching £3.50 per session paid by cash to Darryl on collection of your child at the end of the session	Monday 4 November - Monday 9 December inclusive. 3.20 - 4.20pm Monday 4 November - Monday 9 December inclusive. 3.20 - 4.20pm	Miss Timpany & Mrs Cole 1st Class Football Coaching (Darryl Smith)	Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6 Y1, Y2, Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6
Tennis Breakfast Club £4.50 per session = £27.00 Christmas Tree Decoration Club £3.75 per session = £22.50 Street/Jazz Dance Club £3.75 per session = £22.50	Tuesday 5 November - Tuesday 10 December inclusive. 7.45 - 8.40am Tuesday 5 November - Tuesday 10 December inclusive. 3.20 - 4.20pm Tuesday 5 November - Tuesday 10 December inclusive. 3.20 - 4.20pm	Total Tennis (Dan) Mrs Evans Innovation Dance (Leah)	R, Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 Y2, Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6 Y1, Y2, Y3
Cross Country Netball / Athletics Coaching Drama Club £3.75 per session = £22.50	Wednesday 6 November—Wednesday 11 December inclusive. 8.00 - 8.40am Wednesday 6 November—Wednesday 11 December inclusive. 3.20—4.20pm Wednesday 6 November—Wednesday 11 December inclusive. 3.20—4.20pm	Dawn Fallon Sports Coach Nicola Byrne	Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6 Invited children - Y5, Y6 Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6
Gymnastics £3.75 per session = £22.50	Thursday 7 November—Thursday 12 December inclusive. 3.20—4.20pm	Alex Taylor	Y1, Y2, Y3
KS1 Football (Max 15 children) £3.75 per session = £22.50	Friday 8 November—Friday 13 December inclusive. 3.20—4.20pm	Sports Coach	R, Y1,Y2