



Newsletter No.8: 4th November 2022

We thoroughly enjoyed welcoming the children back to school on Tuesday, we started the week off with announcing to the children in assembly the wonderful news that Mrs Hulme's baby daughter had arrived early, but that Mum and baby were doing really well. Mr Rowsell will be covering Cherry class, whilst we recruit for maternity cover, a little earlier than we had planned!

It might have only been a four day week for the children this week, but we certainly kept the children and staff busy, with the children receiving their Flu immunisations, the return of our Running Club, Open The Book led a special assembly for all children, Maple class resumed their swimming lessons, Year 5 went on their class trip to the Soldiers of Gloucestershire Museum to deepen their understanding of Life in Britain during World War II, After School Clubs resumed and we finished off the week with Celebration Assembly and School Photos!

Boys' Football Tournament—Wednesday 9th November

We will be taking part in a Boy's football tournament on Wednesday at Rednock School, we would like to thank Mr McQuire for organising and wish 'TEAM CWJS' the best of luck.

Year 6 BikeAbility— Week Commencing 14th November

Year 6s will be taking part in BikeAbility. Please can all forms be completed and returned to the office by Monday 7th November.

Anti Bullying Week—Week Commencing 14th November

Antibullying Assembly—Odd Socks Day, will take place on Monday 14th November. All children are encouraged to wear odd socks on that day... staff too! There will be a real focus on this cause throughout the week during assemblies and lessons.

Y4 Class Trip to St Fagans—Wednesday 16th November

Please can all forms be completed and returned to the office as soon as possible.

Colder Weather

As the weather is turning colder, please can you ensure your children bring in their coats.

Parents and Carers Entering The School

We had an incident this week where an adult entered the school through one of the external doors in the Year 3 & Year 4 corridor at the end of the school day. This happened when some of the teachers were outside on the playground with their classes and the doors were open. We have clear procedures in place that if a parent or carer requires to collect a child at the end of the school day, that they wait for the teacher to bring the class out of the building. If the adult needs to collect the child for an appointment and needs to leave promptly, then they must go to the school office.

A polite reminder, that any visitor, parent or carer entering the school, must do so through the school office. This procedure is in place to protect and safeguard ALL children and staff.



Important Dates to Remember

Monday 7th November

Send Reviews with Parents

Y5 Music Tuition

Wednesday 9th November

Boys Football Tournament

Thursday 10th November

Running Club 8am

Y6 Maple Swimming

After School Clubs 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Monday 14th November

BikeAbility Y6 All week

Y5 Music Tuition

Wednesday 16th November

Y4 St Fagans Class Trip

Thursday 17th November

Running Club 8am

Y6 Maple Swimming

After School Club 3.30-4.30pm

Thursday 24th November

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Open Day For New Parents—September 2023

Next week we will announce our Open Day Event for parents to meet the staffing team and have a tour of the school before we break up for Christmas.

PTA needs YOU!

We are once again seeking NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS for this school year and NEW VOLUNTEERS to help with PTA events...

We are urgently looking to fill the roles of Chair and Vice Chair.

Please do get in touch with us, even if you only have a few hours to spare or just some ideas to share - both are very valuable to us in helping the PTA continue to support our children and the school with fundraising. Many of our volunteers do so on an ad hoc basis, with only a small commitment required.

No previous experience is necessary for the positions above and you will have the opportunity to shadow and learn from other members of the PTA.

Please email our PTA if you are able to help in anyway: contact@cwpta.org

Reminder: We are lucky to have early morning and afterschool club available on our doorstep by Cam Woodfield Nest, please see message below from the Woodfield Nest, for your information:

Message from Woodfield Nest:

Key Dates:

Sat 12 Nov New Pre-School Parent Open Morning.

Fri 16 Dec Last day of Term 2 All Early finish

Our Contact Details

Tel: 548248 Email: itsfun@woodfieldnest.co.uk rachel@woodfieldnest.co.uk



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Aspens
Catering Assistant Required

We are currently recruiting for a Catering Assistant to join our catering team at Cam Woodfield Junior School

Term time only
£9.50 per hour
10 hours per week
Monday to Friday

CONTACT us at the email address berkeley@aspens-services.com





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Reminder: COVID vaccines: how to access first or second doses for children aged 5-17

It isn't too late for children to access a COVID vaccination if they haven't already completed their course.

Children are eligible for:

- First or second dose – Children aged 5 to 11 (paediatric dose Pfizer)
- First or second doses – Children aged 12-17 (Pfizer)
- Third primary dose – Children aged 5-11 who are severely immunocompromised (paediatric dose Pfizer – 8 weeks after second dose), anyone aged 12+ who is severely immunocompromised (Pfizer – 8 weeks after second dose)
- Autumn booster - Children aged 5-11 who are severely immunocompromised or household contact of someone immunocompromised (paediatric dose Pfizer – at least 3 months after previous dose), anyone aged 12-17 who is severely immunocompromised or household contact of someone immunocompromised (Pfizer – at least 3 months after previous dose)

*children aged 5-15 inclusive must wait 12 weeks after a COVID-19 infection to get a vaccination

**people aged 16 or over must wait four weeks after a COVID-19 infection to get a vaccination

To access a vaccination, contact your GP Practice for advice on how to book an appointment at a local vaccination centre, use the national booking system to get an appointment at a community pharmacy or the JabVan at Gloucestershire Royal Hospital (www.nhs.uk/covidvaccination or call 119), or look out for drop-in clinics on the [local COVID information portal](#).

Please make sure to carefully check eligibility before taking your child to a drop-in clinic; depending on their age they may only have specific vaccines which will not always be available at every clinic.

More information about the COVID vaccines for children and young people is available [here](#).



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It's going to be a GREAT year with lots of exciting events ahead!

