



# Welton Primary School

Part of the Midsomer Norton Schools' Partnership  
"Working together, achieving our best"

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## Head's start...

I hope all is well for you and your families. It has been wonderful to see the children enjoying their learning so far this year - and brilliant to see how well they are responding to our three new behaviour rules: *Be safe, Be kind, Be your best*. In fact, last week, over 2000 house points were given out to your children in just five days! Brilliant!

I have recently put together an updated home-school agreement that should be coming home shortly. This outlines what we promise to deliver in school, together with expectations for you and your children. Please read this carefully as a family and then sign a copy to return to school. Thank you for your support with this.

Finally, I am delighted to say that as a staff we are looking for new ways to meet and communicate with you, especially now that restrictions have been lifted. You will see from this newsletter that we are hosting a Quiz Night (no children on this occasion) on Friday 15th October 7.30pm in the school hall. These have always been enjoyable occasions in the past so we hope that you are able to join us! We are also planning to host a termly café which will be a great opportunity for you to informally network with Welton colleagues and visiting professionals. See the information below for the date and time of the first session.... With best wishes, Mr Snell.

P.S. We're looking forward to our first Welton Wellness Week NEXT WEEK. Details in this newsletter!

## Parent Cafe

Please come and join us at our first parent cafe on Thursday 21st October 9-9.30am in the school hall.



We will be serving drinks and snacks with time to meet other parents and friends. We will also have a short talk from our behaviour expert Mrs Jenny Blackmore. She will be sharing some helpful tips on how to manage your child's behaviour at home. We are also really excited to be welcoming our new school nurse Rachael Sheppard who will be available for informal chats. We look forward to seeing you!

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## School blogs

As you know, teachers will be communicating with you through the class blogs. Just to let you know that we are still waiting for our blog service to set these up so they may not be ready until next week at the earliest. We will let you know when they are 'live'. These will eventually be accessible via the school website by clicking on the class bird pictures. Hopefully not long to wait now!



Click on the bird icons above to view blogs!

## Outdoor Play and Learning (OPAL)

We are currently looking for the following donations to support our play at Welton: Buckets, spades and sand play toys in good condition! If you have any that you no longer need, please bring to school. Thank you.

At the end of term 6 the PTFA kindly donated funds which allowed us to purchase 8 new scooters and helmets. We would like to express our thanks for this donation. The children are really enjoying using them at lunchtime!

Finally, we are looking to source a container (similar to the one here) to store den building materials on the field. If anyone has anything that we could use - in good condition - please see Mrs Stevens (Y1). Many thanks!



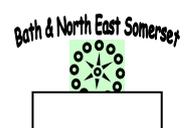
## Car Park

Thank you so much for helping to keep our school community safe by not parking in the car park, especially at the beginning of the day. It has made an enormous difference to the safety of our children. Thank you again!

## Welton Wellness Week (w/b 27th September)

We're looking forward to a week of activities learning about how we can live and maintain a healthy lifestyle. Exercise, sleep and making healthier food choices are just a few of the areas we plan to look at over the course of the week. Bath Rugby will be coming in on Thursday to run a session with children in Years 2-6 and some of our Y5's will be off to Midsomer Norton Cricket Club for an afternoon of activities there. We will also be holding our first ever Sports Fair (weather permitting!) on Friday afternoon which will be hosted by children in upper KS2. Make sure you have a look on our Twitter page to see pictures of the action!

Please could all children in Y1-Y6 come in wearing their PE kits on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> September and all children in Y2-6 come in wearing kit on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> September.



DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH AWARD



## Dates for your diary:

w/b 27th Sep	Welton Wellness Week - details in this newsletter.
Mon 27th Sep	PTFA meeting in the school hall, 6pm. New members welcome!
Fri 1st Oct	Harvest assembly - no parents this year or food donations.
w/b 4th Oct	Y6 Camp at Heatree Activity Centre, Devon
Weds 13th Oct	Individual and sibling school photos (morning)
Fri 15th Oct	OPEN DAY FOR PROSPECTIVE PARENTS - See information below
Fri 15th Oct	Quiz night for parents and staff - see poster for information
Wed 20th Oct	Y6 Evacuee Day - details to follow
Thurs 21st Oct	Parent Café 9am in the school hall. All welcome.
Fri 22nd Oct	INSET DAY 3 - School closed to pupils
Fri 22nd Oct	Last Day Term 1
Mon 1st Nov	First Day Term 2
Mon 1st Nov	Provisional flu vaccination for children
w/b 8th Nov	Maths Week at Welton
Fri 17th Dec	Last Day Term 2
Mon 3rd Jan	Bank holiday
Tues 4th Jan	INSET DAY 3 - School closed to pupils
Weds 5th Jan	INSET DAY 4 - School closed to pupils
Thurs 6th Jan	First Day Term 3

# Harvest!

We will be celebrating harvest in school on Friday 1st October. Although we will not be inviting parents this year, the local foodbank have also requested that donations of food are also not sent in as they now only have a small warehouse. If you would like to send in a small money donation to support their essential work instead, that would be very kind.



Scooter fun at Welton!



## OPEN DAY

### Welton Primary School

Friday 15th October 2021

9.30-11.00am & 1.30-2.30pm

*Will your child be starting school in September 2022?  
We'd love to show you our wonderful, friendly school.  
Come and see us in action...*

*'Welton Primary School is a happy and welcoming school' Ofsted June 2019*

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# Welton Primary School PTFA

# QUIZ NIGHT

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October

7:30pm

£5 per ticket per person (including  
Ploughman's style supper)

Teams will be formed on the night

Over 18s only

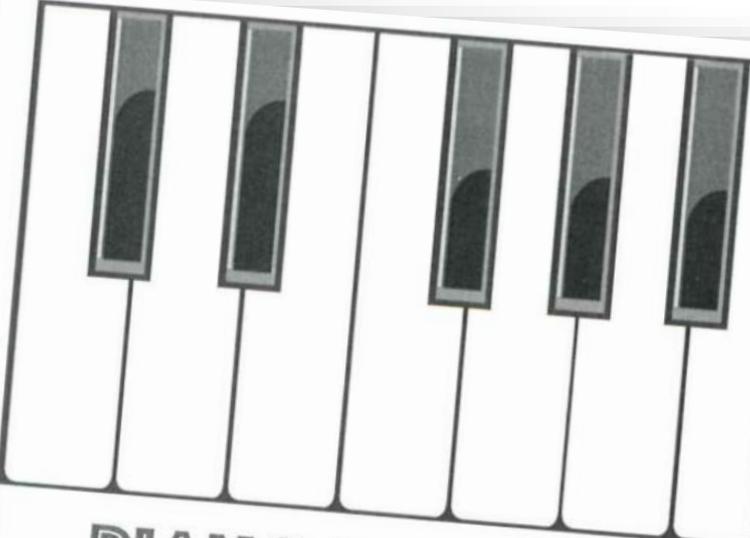
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Tickets available on ParentPay or after  
school at the PTFA stall



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## PIANO LESSONS

Sam Dalton (Piano Teacher)

Contact: [sam.dalton33@hotmail.com](mailto:sam.dalton33@hotmail.com)

or enquire through Welton Primary  
school

See back for further details



### ABOUT ME

I am a kind, inspiring teacher with a focus on creativity and exploration of the piano.

#### **My experience includes:**

- BA Music degree (specialising in Jazz)
- Grade 8 piano ABRSM with merit
- Experience with beginner through to advanced players
- Experience working with children with SEN

### INFORMATION

My teaching days are Tuesday & Wednesday at the school or private tuition is available after school hours

#### **Teaching fee:**

£14 per half hour session  
or  
£56 per month

Please get in touch with me via my email on the front