



Cross Country Competition

The cross country competition is **now open to any child from Years 1 to 6** that would like to take part. The first competition is taking place on **Monday 17th September 4.00pm-5.00pm at Mountbatten School**. Thank you.



Individual Health Plans and Medication Forms

As part of statutory requirements we need to review all medications that we currently hold within school, together with children's individual health plans, in September of each academic year. If your child has medication in school, and or an ongoing medical condition, we will be sending home new IHP and Medication forms for you to complete for the new academic year. Please return the form by Monday 24th September and please remember to sign and date the second page of the Parental Agreement for School to Administer Medicine form. If your child no longer requires the medication to be kept in school please inform the school office and collect any medicines. Thank you.

Staff Car Park

May we politely remind parents that the staff car park must not be used for dropping off or picking up your children from school.

If you need to use the school drive and staff car park to drop off/collect your child for breakfast club, After School Club or illness, please drive slowly and with caution. Parents dropping at breakfast club may use the car park until 8.10am after which access is unauthorised for the safety of all children. Similarly, access is restricted until 4.15pm after which parents collecting from the After School Club or Pre-School may use the car park. Please help us provide a safe environment for our children and visitors. Thank you.

Car Parking in Laybays

It is essential that all parents/carers parking cars at the beginning and end of the school day, do so responsibly and safely. Please ensure that driveways are not blocked and highway markings are



observed. We like to maintain good relations with our neighbours so we thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Pre-School Drop off and Collection

May we politely request that parents do not walk up or down the school driveway to access the Pre-School. The safe route to the Pre-School is via the school playground and round the side of the school house – using the fenced off path. Thank you.



Wellow
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18th October 9th November 19th November

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adminoffice@wellow.hants.sch.uk
www.wellow.hants.sch.uk

Open Days

For parents thinking of choosing Wellow School for their child next year, we have open mornings on 2nd October, 10th October, 18th October, 9th November and 19th November. If you would like to come and see our school with your child, please call the office on 01794 322201 to book an appointment. We look forward to seeing you!

Welcome Mr Sheerin and Miss O’Callaghan

We are very pleased to welcome Mr Sheerin and Miss O’Callaghan to Wellow School who have both joined us as student teachers through the Schools Direct Programme, working in our Year 6 and Year 2 class respectively. Mrs Finlay, our LSA from our Year 5 class last year, has also been successfully appointed as a student teacher via the programme and will be working in our Year 5 class.

Clubs for the Autumn Term

All clubs have now started (gym will commence next week); if your child would like to sign up for one of the after school clubs please check availability and collect a letter from the school office.

A clubs schedule (detailing start dates and cost) is available on our website and is also on the noticeboard outside the school office.



If your child has signed up for an after school activity club and they are going to be absence for any reason on any session please let the school office know so we may inform the coach of the non - attendance. Thank you.

Dance Club

There will be no dance club on Monday 24th September – it will be made up on Monday 17th December. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Payments to the School Office

We are ever working towards a 'cashless' office and therefore request that where possible all payments for school trips, after school clubs & dinners will need to be paid via the online Scopay website. This is the safest, most convenient and our preferred way for you to manage your payments to school.

Details of how to register for Scopay payment have been sent home in book bags this week for those parents that are not already registered. If you have not received your letter please speak to the school office. Thank you.

Training Orchestra at Mountbatten School

Training Orchestra is held at Mountbatten School on Tuesday afternoons 3.45pm to 4.45pm. If your child has been learning an instrument for more than a year and they would be interested in joining an orchestra please contact the Mountbatten School Music Department on 01794 502502 for more information or pop along to one of the sessions.

Brass Lessons



After a successful year, Jan Boler will be continuing her Brass lessons which will commence on Thursday 13th September. The very talented Jan Boler teaches many Brass instruments at Wellow School including the trumpet, cornet, horn, trombone, baritone & euphonium. Lessons are available for Year 3 upwards. Instruments are available for children to learn on and take home to practice



with. Please contact the school office if your child would like to take up this opportunity. Thank you.

Guitar Lessons

Guitar lessons with Mr Goddard commenced on Wednesday 12th September. Please ensure payment for the term is provided to Mr Goddard directly or hand it into the school office. Thank you.

Gym Club

Gym Club will commence next week on Wednesday 19th September and Thursday 20th September. Thank you.

Letters Home



What	Who	When
Stonehenge Trip	Year 3	6 th September
Netball Club	Years 4,5 &6	7 th September
Cross Country Competition	Years 1-6	7 th September

INSET DAYS – Friday 20th October 2017 & Friday 9th February, Friday 25th May, Monday 23rd July 2018

Calendar Dates		
September		
17 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Cross Country Competition at Mountbatten School
21 st	1.30pm-4.00pm	Year 3&4 New Age Kurling (Selected Children)
24 th -28 th		Year 6 IOW residential
October		
2 nd	9.00am	Wellow School Open Morning



3 rd	Morning	Wellow Walk
3 rd	9.00am-3.00pm	Bronze Ambassadors at Mountbatten School (selected children Year 6)
9 th	9.15am-12.00pm	Harvest Festival at St Margaret's Church
10 th	9.00am	Wellow School Open Morning
12 th	All day	Year 5 Seacity
15 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Cross Country 2 Competition at Mountbatten School
18 th	9.00am	Wellow School Open Morning
19 th	9.00am	Fraser Portraits Siblings and Individuals
19 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Girls Football Competition
22nd-26th		HALF TERM
November		
3 rd		WSA Fireworks Event
9 th	9.00am	Wellow School Open Morning
9 th	1.00pm-4.00pm	KS2 Gym Competition at Mountbatten School (Selected Children)
13 th	All day	Year 4 Anglo Saxon Trip
16 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Tag Rugby KS2 at Mountbatten School (Selected Children)
19 th	9.00am	Wellow School Open Morning
19 th	All day	KS1 Gym Festival (Selected Children)
December		
3 rd	1.15pm-3.15pm	Young Shakespeare Company visit KS2 Performance
7 th	1.00pm-4.00pm	Indoor Athletics KS2 at Mountbatten School (Selected Children)
14 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Basketball Competition Year 5&6 (Selected Children)
21st		Last Day of Term
January		
7 th		First Day of Term