



Parent Information Update – June 2023

Staff Changes

We are saddened to announce that Mr Duce, after a long service with the Trust, has secured a new role in a Lincolnshire school closer to home. Mr Duce has been an invaluable member of our school community in his role as Deputy Headteacher. He will be very much missed by our students and our staff alike. We wish him every success at his new school.

We are delighted to announce that Ms Ashfield, currently Deputy Headteacher at Springwood High School, will be seconded to Marshland as Mr Duce's successor. Ms Ashfield brings with her a wealth of experience as a senior leader in education over many years. We look forward to welcoming her. Further staff updates will be shared with you in our end of term letter.

Industrial Action Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July 2023

As in the case of previous NEU industrial action days, Marshland remains open to ALL students on both days. Our thanks go to all staff for their support in the continuing education of our pupils.

Marshland High School Creative Design Exhibition

We are pleased to invite you to our Creative Design Exhibition on **Friday 14th July from 4pm to 6pm**. Taking place in the creative design block, we invite students and families to view this year's work. Email office@marshlandhigh.co.uk if you would like further information.

Food Account and Loans

Please remember it is against Trust Policy to give loans for children to buy food in school. Parents and carers must monitor their child's ParentPay account and top up before a child gets food at break and lunch each day. A significant number of students are asking finance to phone home which is causing considerable issues and may result in children not getting food during the day. Please remember bagels are available free of charge every day for breakfast. If you require support through Free School Meals, please see our [website](#).

Blazers

All students have been advised that during hot weather, they should bring their blazers to school for events and assemblies, however they are not required to wear them in lessons or breaks.

Uniform Ordering Cut Off Dates

Please be aware the cut-off date for ordering new uniform from Price and Buckland for September will be 1st August 2023.

Marshland High School Summer Concert

We invite you to this year's end of term summer concert on **Wednesday 19th July at 6pm** in the main hall. The estimated finish time is 8pm. Year 10 pupils have decided on '80s and 90s' as the musical theme this year, and pupils from all year groups have been preparing a variety of performances, along with our ukulele group and school choir. There will also be a final performance from our Year 11 band who are about to move on from Marshland. Tickets can be purchased on ParentPay for £2.00, and refreshments will be available to buy in the interval. Please note we are now a cashless site and only accept card payments.



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West Norfolk Academies Trust Community Music Week

We are pleased to announce that this year's WNAT Community Music Week will be taking place at Springwood High School from Monday 3rd to Thursday 6th July 2023. Admission Free. Gates open 20 minutes before each performance. Bring a blanket/chair and picnic and enjoy some great music.

Monday 3rd July – 'Pot Pourri' - 4pm Primary instrumental showcase, 5pm Trust Transition Orchestra, 6pm Birdland Musical drama, 7.15pm Small Ensembles and Jazz Night

Tuesday 4th July – 6.30pm Rock and Pop Showcase with soloists and bands from across West Norfolk

Wednesday 5th July – 6pm WNAT Vocal Celebration – 100 Years of Disney

Thursday 6th July – 6.30pm Grand Band and Orchestra Finale

Sponsorship

Ryan, one of our students, has been selected to represent GB in the U16 horseball team but needs sponsorship to go to Italy to compete. You can find out more information at

<https://www.wisbechstandard.co.uk/news/23613723.wisbech-team-gb-horseball-teen-needs-sponsorship-money/>

Thomas Squire Charity

A small local charity that makes grants to young people attending university/college, aged 18 to 25 living in the parishes of Elm, Emneth and Friday Bridge including Coldham. Application forms available from the Post Offices of Elm, Emneth and Friday Bridge.

Big Norfolk Summer Holiday Activities – Booking now open

Summer activities will run during the holidays, between 24th July – 5th September 2023!

The [Big Norfolk Holiday Fun \(BNHF\) activity programme](#) is run in partnership with Norfolk County Council, and provides holiday activities for children and young people aged 5 -16 in Norfolk (or aged 4 if the child is in school.)

Children eligible for means-tested free school meals can claim free spaces on the activities, whilst paid spots are available on most activities for those who don't. Find out more online on the Active Norfolk website.

Norfolk Deaf Festival

Norfolk Deaf Festival is returning to the Forum in Norwich on Friday 7th and Saturday 8th July 2023. We have lots of fun activities planned for all ages and a much bigger range of talks this year than ever before – we really hope that all ages will benefit from some of these talks in the heritage room. We will even have a 'Hunt for the Norfolk Hearing Aid' game for children to participate in. Adults are welcome to give it a go if they like!! The event is free, for anyone with any hearing loss or their families/friends or even just someone with an interest in hearing loss. We also have a wide range of stalls inside and outside –34 different services/organisations and deaf led businesses joining us on both days from VSSS, to Advanced Bionics, to handmade crafts made and sold by young deaf people. Check out www.norfolkdeaffestival.co.uk for more information



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