MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Carers

This week has been a special and memorable one here at school.

On Tuesday, we held a non-uniform day in memory of our much-loved School Business Manager, Elaine Winn, who sadly passed away during the Easter break. Elaine was a truly valued member of our school community and is deeply missed by both staff and students. I'm delighted to share that we raised an amazing £895.55 on the day. This will be donated to Elaine's fundraising page for the British Heart Foundation, a cause close to her heart.

On Monday, our Year 11s enjoyed their annual Retro Sports Day – a fantastic afternoon packed with laughter, teamwork, and a welcome break from the pressures of revision and exams. It was lovely to see them let their hair down and enjoy some good old-fashioned fun. We're sure they made some great memories.

Next week, we have some exciting MFL trips departing for the Rhineland and the Opal Coast. Let's hope the weather is good for them! We can't wait to hear all about their adventures when they return.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support.

Warm regards,

Pete Leatherland—Principal



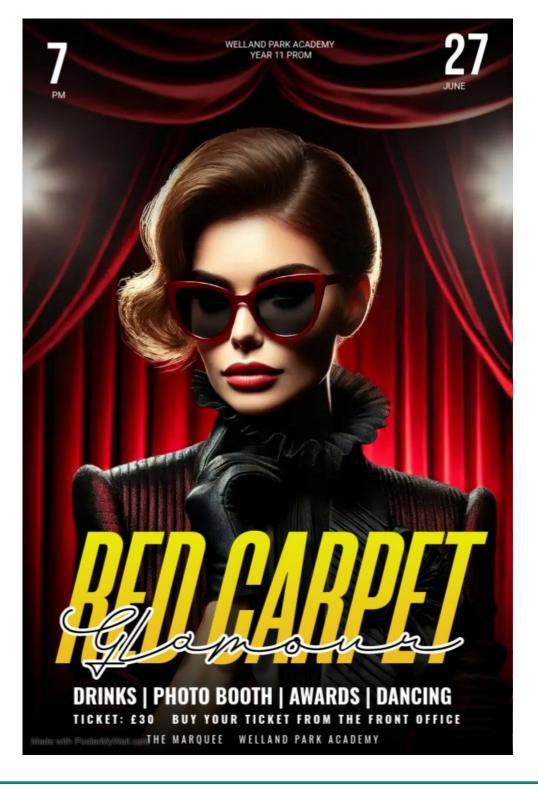




YEAR 11 PROM

Deadline for purchasing a prom ticket is Friday 13th June 2025.

We are also looking for donations of cans/bottles of pop or water. These will be used during the course of the evening. Any donations can be dropped off at the front office.







WE HAVE SUPPORT STAFF VACANCIES TO START IN AUGUST 2025

POSITION, PLEASE CONTACT MRS BURGESS

burgessn@wellandparkacademy.com

TEACHING ASSISTANT

A Teaching Assistant will work under the direction and supervision of a teacher to assist with teaching and learning and associated activities in accordance with school policies and procedures. This may include: assisting with planning, delivery and evaluation of learning activities; supporting in whole classes; and working with individuals and small groups of students.

To assist with the planning, delivery and evaluation of whole class learning objectives, including identifying how the students can best be supported.

To help prepare, monitor and maintain a safe and secure learning environment in line with the teacher's lesson plan.

To promote the development of students self-reliance, self esteem and emotional resilience.

To support the physical, intellectual, emotional and social development of students, facilitating children and young people's learning and development.

To promote the development of positive relationships and acceptable behaviour in accordance with Academy policy.

There may be other responsibilities such as student personal care. These will be discussed at interview.

SCIENCE TECHNICIAN

Welland Park Academy Science Department are looking to appoint an enthusiastic technician to join our dynamic Science team.

The successful candidate would need to be hardworking, adaptable, work well within a team but also be self motivated. Duties would include setting up equipment and preparing chemicals for experiments with overall emphasis of enabling high quality practical experiences for the students within a safe environment. Being organised, methodical and having attention to detail are requirements of the role.

A good all round Science knowledge would also be preferable but not essential as full guidance would be given.

UPCOMING EVENTS

29th April – 10th June: Leicestershire Police Hate Crime Talks (Years 8 & 10, running weekly)

• 10th June: Second Year 10 Financial Awareness Talk

• 17th June: Motivational Talk by Ruebyn Ricardo (Year 7)

• 24th June: Summer Concert

• 26th June: Year 11 Presentation Evening

• 27th June: Year 11 Prom

• 8th July: School finishes for the Summer break

W	Welland Park Academy		
	Learning For Life		

Welland Park Academy Lunch & Deli Menu Week commencing 9th June 25

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Concept	Indian	Italian	Best of British	Asian	Chip Day	
Option 1	Oven-baked Tandoori Chicken	Beef Lasagne	Roast Loin of Pork Stuffing & Gravy	Chicken Curry	Chicken Breast Nuggets	
Option 2	Spicy Vegetable Wrap	Mushroom Risotto	Broccoli Cheese Bake	Sweet Thai Chilli Vegetable Stir-fry	Vegan Sausage Roll	
Sides	New Potatoes Salad /Garlic Mayo	Herby Diced Potatoes Mixed Vegetables	Roast Potatoes Roasted Vegetables	White Fluffy Rice Sweetcorn	Chips Baked Beans	
Authentic Italian	Authentic Italian Pizza and Pasta Bar					
Hot Deli	Panini	Panini	Panini	Panini	Panini	
	Jacket & Topping	Jacket & Topping	Jacket & Topping	Jacket & Topping	Jacket & Topping	





Welland Park Academy is looking to appoint School Appeals Panel Members

Are you ...

- Interested in education?
- A good listener?
- Objective?
- Approachable?
- Able to make balanced decisions?

We are seeking committed and impartial individuals to join our School Admission Appeals Panel. Panel members play a vital role in ensuring a fair and transparent appeals process for school admission decisions.

No prior experience is required, and full training will be provided. This is a voluntary role and involves both virtual and occasional in-person meetings. If you are interested in supporting our community and helping families with their school admission appeals, we would love to hear from you.

To apply or find out more, please contact doveyc@wellandparkacademy.com



STAY HYDRATED

As the weather is getting warmer please ensure your child has a water bottle that they can refill during the day. We have water stations throughout the school that can be accessed at break and lunch.

