

Lodge Farm Primary School Newsletter

Friday 3rd November 2023

Book Fair

We are excited to invite you to our Book Fair next week. The fair will be available to visit 3:15-3:45pm each afternoon in the KS2 hall from



Friday 10th November to Wednesday 15th November.

The books range from ages 2 years and up. You will be able to peruse the books and buy any that take your fancy! Books can be bought via online payment using the QR Code at the fair. Please see the attached flyers for more information.

****We know times are tight**... If your child would like one of the books on display at the fair, but you are not able to purchase it for them at this time, please email <u>admin@lodgefarm.herts.sch.uk</u> and address your email to Alexa Simpson. Please tell us which book your child would like and why and submit your email by Tuesday 14th November. We have several £5 vouchers to give away which will contribute towards the cost of a book. We want every child to develop a love of reading! Please note, we will do our best to accommodate as many of you as possible but we appreciate your understanding that these are not unlimited.

If you drive to or from school, please be aware

of our children!

Please make sure you always look before you move off and drive at an appropriate (slow!) speed. <u>Help to keep our children safe</u>.



Year 3 Quiz Night

A huge thank you to our Year 3 staff for hosting the Year 3 quiz night. Lots of fun was had with four rounds of questions, including a 'Guess the movie soundtrack' round and a Disney emoji round.

We hope the Year 3 children had lots of fun and that guessing the teacher from the baby pictures wasn't too tricky!



School Events:

6.11.23 – Y5 Bikeability 6.11.23 – Y3 Celtic Harmony trip

10.11.23 – Book Fair in school for 1 week

10.11.23 – Armistice Day

13.11.23 – Anti-bullying Week and Odd Socks Day

16.11.23 – Y4 Bingo Night

17.11.23 – Children in Need

20.11.23 – Reverse Advent Calendar

23.11.23 – Christmas Jumper Swap

30.11.23 – Christmas decoration morning

4.12.23 – EYFS Xmas Production (dress rehearsal)

5.12.23 – KS1 Xmas Nativity (Y1)

6.12.23 - KS1 Xmas Nativity (Y2)

7.12.23 – EYFS Nativity (RZ and Nursery)

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12.12.23 – Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day (Rec, Y2, Y3, Y5)

13.12.23 - Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day (Nursery, Y1, Y4, Y6)

19.12.23 – Y5/6 Film Night

18.1.24 – Y2 Quiz Night

24.1.24 – Y6 Residential Parent Meeting

1.2.24 – Y1 Craft Evening



Nursery Places from January! We are very happy to be offering a January Intake into Nursery. If your child turns 3 on or before the 31st of December 2023 you can

apply for a space in our wonderful Nursery via the school office.



Sewing Club

Mrs Dear's sewing club have been very busy making some beautiful pieces of sewing. They made wonderful bookmarks and very sweet squishy ladybirds!



Remembrance Day

As we approach Remembrance Sunday, some of our students will be selling poppies and other items in the school from Monday to raise funds for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

If your child would like to buy one, they will need to bring cash in to purchase items. These range from £1 to £2.



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<u>Attendance</u> The whole school attendance this week is 94.9%

As a school, we are aiming for 97% attendance. Please be aware that if attendance drops, this begins to have a much larger impact on your child's education. If you have any questions about this or would like any support in improving your child's attendance, please contact Alexa Simpson or Mary Bull

Year group	Attendance
Reception	94.5%
Year 1	93.6%
Year 2	94.1%
Year 3	94.9%
Year 4	94.8%
Year 5	97.0%
Year 6	95.3%

Children's Achievements

On Saturday, Ethan competed in a JKAE open competition where he won the gold medal for Kumite in his division.

This was Ethan's 3rd competition he had participated in so this was a very big achievement for him. His

sensei said he is incredibly proud of not just Ethan's ability in Karate but with the attitude and determination he brings along too.

Well done, Ethan! You are very inspiring!

