



Lodge Farm Primary

School Newsletter

Friday 15th December 2023

School Events:

18.1.24 – Y2 Quiz Night
24.1.24 – Y6 Residential Parent Meeting
1.2.24 – Y1 Craft Evening
2.2.24 – NSPCC Number Day
5.2.24 – World Mental Health Week
7.2.24 – Reading Bonanza
8.2.24 – Y6 Valentine Dinner for parents
26.2.24 - 1.3.24 – Y6 Residential
29.2.24 – EYFS Cinema Night
WB 4.3.24 – Class assemblies (dates TBC)
7.3.24 – World Book Day and the Big Book Swap
12.3.24 – Science Week
15.3.24 – Red Nose Day
20.3.24 – Parents' Evening
21.3.24 – Parents' Evening
21.3.24 – National Poetry Day, Reading Bonanza
26.3.24 – Easter Egg Competition (KS2)
27.3.24 – Easter Bonnet Parade (EYFS and KS1)
17.4.24 – World Circus Day
25.4.24 – Y5 Are You Smarter Than A 10 Year Old?
1.5.24 – Reading Bonanza
Please see the school website for term dates

A very fond farewell!

We are very sad to say goodbye to Miss Smith and Miss Holton at the end of this term.

Miss Holton joined us last year and has been a fantastic member of the Lodge Farm team. We know that her class will miss her very much and we wish her all the best for the future.

Miss Smith has been a huge part of Lodge Farm life. She has supported so many children through the years and we know that she will be hugely missed. Thank you for everything that you have done and we hope you enjoy your new role.

Goodbye and good luck!

Uniform Policy

It has come to our attention that there has been some discussion regarding the uniform policy.

We would like to confirm that there is no specific hairstyle set by the school. The uniform policy outlines that long hair should be tied back. This is primarily to reduce the risk of head lice.

Tied back hair may be in any style of your choice. However, we do request that hair accessories be carefully considered, i.e. no large bows.

Thank you for your co-operation.



Y5 and Y6 Film Night

The children had a lovely time at the film night yesterday, although we aren't sure if they heard much of the film! They enjoyed chatting to their friends and lounging on the mats in the hall.

Thank you to the teachers for facilitating the evening!



Attendance

The whole school attendance this week is 94.5%

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

1D 92.4%

1W 96.2%

2H 92.2%

2R 91.7%

3W 95.1%

3H 93.8%

4L 94.6%

4O 97.0%

5T 98.2%

5K 95.4%

6PT 93.0%

6D 97.5%



Sewing Club

The children have worked hard in sewing club this half term, sewing their own colourful mats. Some of the children have also added loops so that they can be used as a hanging Christmas decoration first. Well done everyone!



Children's Achievements

Huge congratulations to **Feshika** and **Kaira** who have achieved a pink and yellow medal at gymnastics. Well done for all your hard work!



Lunchtime Awards Our Midday Supervisors have been working alongside the House Captains to put forward the names of children who have been showing fantastic examples of the lunchtime behaviours that we expect to see every day. These children are awarded a certificate by the House Captains in Friday's celebration assembly. The House Captains felt that these children deserved a reward so they thought of the idea of Lunchtime Luxuries! This means that the child who gets the lunchtime award is allowed to go up first for lunch with a friend. Their certificate is their ticket!

Well done to Ellie-Mae and Logan who got the award this week. We hope you enjoyed your luxury!