NEW LUBBESTHORPE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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November 2021



We have a very busy few weeks ahead of us with lots of things to look forward to.

We are busy rehearsing for the Christmas performances. We will be aiming to provide performances in the school hall on the times listed below:

EYFS - Friday 3rd December 2021 9:30am & 2pm

Year 1&2 - Tuesday 7th December 2021 2pm & 6pm

KS2 - Wednesday 8th December 2021 2pm & 6pm

We will be issuing two tickets for each performance for each family, we may have to limit this to one ticket per performance if Government guidance changes over the festive period. We will keep you updated with any changes. More information will follow on a letter from your class teachers.

We look forward to seeing you all at the community light switch on and craft fair, our PTA have been working hard to organise this event, I would like to thank them for all of their time and dedication. Our school choir will be performing in the community square before the light switch on at 5:45pm.

School Milk

In order for your child to receive a carton of milk each day, please sign up to https://www.coolmilk.com/

For children who are four years old, this milk is free of charge until their 5th Birthday(but must be ordered through the website for your child to receive the milk). If your child is five years old or older but would still like to receive milk, please sign up and pay via the website.

Anti-Bulling week

The children have been learning about Anti- Bullying. We have been talking to the children about the school definition of bullying. The children understand the need to be kind to their peers and know what to do should they see someone being unkind. S.T.O.P – Several times on purpose

Please see our website page for more information and a copy of our child friendly policy and parent guide.

School uniform

We believe that our uniform encourages a sense of pride in appearance and a feeling of belonging to the school family. This assists in developing high standards in other aspects of school life. All children are expected to wear our uniform and the rules concerning uniform are very clear and continually enforced.

Please can I remind you to name all of your children's belongings. This will make it easier for us to ensure they all get the right clothes back at the end of the day.

Please can I ask for all children to be in black school shoes. Children should only wear trainers when requested in PE lessons.

You can purchase school uniform directly from www.yourschooluniform.com or you can also call in at the office for information or see our uniform page on our school website. PE bags and book bags can also be purchased from this site.

We have iron on badges priced at £1.50 and water bottles at £2 which can be purchased at the school office.



School Governors

We currently have a vacancy on our Governing Board for a Co-opted Governor:

Co-opted Governor is an individual from the community who has the skills and experience which the Governing Board require. They will be appointed by the existing board, following an interview. If you know anyone who would be interested in applying to be on the governing body please ask them to contact Mrs Kirkham in the school office for an application form.

Our governance structures across all of the schools within the OWLS Multi Academy Trust are described below: Tom Copson is our current Chair of Governors.

This will be:

A Local Governing Body with a maximum of 14 members allowing for 1 Head

Teacher

4 Parent Governors

3 Staff Governors

6 Co-opted Governors.

All Local Governing Bodies should then aim to have at least 12 governors in position; that is to say that the operational minimum should be 12 governors.

Dates for your diary

Friday 26th November

Community Light switch on & Craft fair

Friday 3rd December

EYFS performance 9:30am & 2:00pm

Tuesday 7th December

Y1&2 performance 2.00pm & 6:00pm

Wednesday 8th December

KS2 Christmas Carols 2.00pm & 6:00pm

Tuesday 14th December

EYFS Party Afternoon

Wednesday 15th December

Y1&2 Party Afternoon

Thursday 16th December

KS2 Party Afternoon

Friday 17th December

End of term

Golden table

4/11/21 - Kara and Che 18/11/21 - Archie and Grace

For all showing excellent manners in the school hall at lunchtimes and around the school.

Well Done!

Diamond Awards

Hares (EYFS - Miss Brookes)

12th November - Bethany, for constantly trying her best in all aspects of her work.

19th November - Louie, For always showing enthusiasm in his phonics learning.

Rabbits (EYFS - Mrs Gittins)

12th November - Iris, for always putting in maximum effort with her homework every week.

19th November - Dhyan, for demonstrating excellent learning behaviour and effort during whole class lessons.

Kangaroos (Year - 1 Miss Simionato)

12th November - Daniel, for always showing respect and being ready to learn.

19th November - Ari, for always showing good manners, following instructions and respecting everyone and everything.

Koalas (Year 1 - Miss Daly)

12th November - Freddie, for working hard in all lessons and joining up with some amazing vocabulary to help with his story writing.

19th November - Esshan, for being a kind and considerate member of the class and for always engaging in lessons and showing amazing resilience even when things are tricky.

Penguins (Year 2 - Miss Gallagher)

12th November - Marcia, for always being kind and polite to everyone and for working hard on her handwriting.

19th November - Elizabeth, for super listening skills and persevering in maths lessons.

Polar bears (Year 2 - Miss Hancock)

12th November - Miya, for always trying her best with all work and always looking out for others, having a truly caring attitude.

19th November - Ollie, for amazing team work, sharing and super listening.

Dolphins (Year 3&4 - Miss Hill)

12th November - Olivia, for working hard in all lessons and always checking on others to see if they are ok.

19th November - Kamil, for being polite and using his manners.

Turtles (Year 5&6 - Miss Frearson)

12th November - Jeevan, for working consistently hard across lessons and producing work of a high quality.

19th November - Lilly, for showing a positive and determined attitude towards her work and being a kind friend.



Happy Lunchtimes

Happy Lunchtimes Award

We are currently working towards achieving the 'Happy Lunch Time Award'. The children and staff are working towards the following success criteria:

- · Using the zone to provide a new activity each Lunchtime
- · Children show kindness and consideration during play
- · Using a positive behaviour system to encourage good behaviour
- · Children have good manners and table manners
- · Children show respect for staff, equipment and one another

Everybody is enjoying the new system, pupils say they enjoy the different activities in the Play Zone and staff have noticed pupils having a go at new games. We are very proud of our pupils and staff and look forward to achieving this prestigious award.

Anti-Bullying pledge

Our New Lubbesthorpe Anti-bullying pledge I make a COMMITMENT to take a stand against bullying. I will treat others with **RESPECT** and **KINDNESS**.

I will have the COMPASSION to not be a bully and the COURAGE to not be a bystander.

It is my RESPONSIBILITY to help others being bullied and to report bullying.

I will be TRUSTWORTHY and stay SAFE and encourage the safety of others both in person and online.

Christmas dinner and jumper day

This year we will be having our school Christmas dinner on Friday 10th December.

Children can wear their Christmas jumpers on this day too.

PTA

The PTA would like to say a huge thank you to everyone for your support with our fundraising so far this year.

The Donut sale held before October half term was a huge success and we will definitely be repeating this and ordering more donuts for the next one!

For our Christmas activities this year we have so far had the Christmas card orders, and Letters from Santa orders and the exciting Christmas Raffle launches today!

Coming up we have the Christmas Fair and Light Switch On taking place on Friday 26th November, 4-7pm and at which we will be running a craft activity for children to take part in and Santa's Grotto (now fully booked) alongside the Fair itself. We hope to see lots of you there.

We are always looking for volunteers to help with our events, if you want to find out more about how you can help please email newlubbesthorpepta@outlook.com.

Thank you all for your support.