

# Leadgate Primary School – Friday Newsletter

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**Friday, March 10th 2017**

## This day in history

**1876** Alexander Graham Bell made the first successful call with the telephone. He spoke the words "Mr. Watson, come here, I want to see you."

**1886** Cruft's Dog Show was held in London for the first time. Previously it had been held in Newcastle. The organizer was Charles Cruft, general manager of a dog biscuit firm



**"MR. WATSON, COME  
HERE – I WANT TO  
SEE YOU."**

First words ever spoken on  
the telephone, by Alexander  
Graham Bell.

## Whole School Attendance

Year 1 = 92.6 %  
Year 2 = 97.8 %  
Year 3 = 97.6 %  
Year 4 = 95.5 %  
Year 5 = 97.4 %  
Year 6 = 96.8 %



## Congratulations

Well Done Year 2 for the best attendance in Lower School and Year 3 for the best attendance in Upper School.

**Our school target is 96%.**

## Diary Dates

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 3 Class Assembly

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 4 Class Assembly

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 6 Class Assembly

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 5 Class Assembly

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March**

Year 2 Class Assembly

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**

Year 1 Class Assembly

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March**

Reception Class Assembly

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March**

Red Nose Day

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March**

Langdon Beck Residential

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April**

Lower School Easter Egg Competition

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April**

Upper School Easter Egg Competition

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April**

Lower School Easter Coffee Morning

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April**

Upper School Easter Coffee Morning

## Mother's Day Lunch

Mother's Day Lunch will be on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> of March for Lower School and Monday 27<sup>th</sup> for Upper School.

Mums or a female relative are invited to join their child in school for lunch at 12 o'clock until 1 o'clock. Places will be limited to a first come first served basis, although, we will try and accommodate as many mums that would like to come as possible at Lower School. Upper school numbers will be limited to 25 due to limited space.

The menu is as follows

Gammon and Pineapple with Roast Potatoes or Fish Portion with Chips

Sweetcorn, Peas, Baked Beans, Salad Selection

Iced Chocolate Cake, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt

The cost of the lunch is £2.40. Please return the slip by Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Unfortunately, we will not be able to accommodate requests/replies after this date as the kitchens will have already ordered the supplies.



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## PARENTS – Useful Contacts

Leadgate Junior School – 01207 610361

Press 1 to report an absence

Press 2 for Lower School Office

Press 3 for Upper School Office

Leadgate Surgery - 01207 583555

Don't forget to ask for an appointment card

Leadgate Pharmacy - 01207 502774

Consett One Point - 03000 261 121

101 - The police non-emergency number

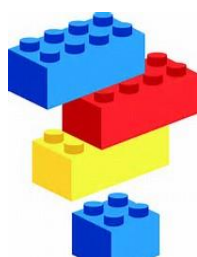
## Athletics Competition

Big congratulations to Year 5 and Year 6 who won 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the Indoor Athletics Competition on Monday at the Louisa Centre at Stanley. We are very proud of their achievement!



## Breakfast Club Toy Appeal

If anyone had any old board games or Lego, we would be grateful for any donations for our Breakfast Club. If you do have any donations please drop them off at Lower School Office.



## Red Nose Day

The kitchen at Upper School will be offering a special menu of Pepperoni Pizza or Fish Goujons and Chips to help celebrate Red Nose Day on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> of March.. If your child normally has a packed lunch and would like to have a school dinner on this day please let the school office know. A school dinner is £2.00.



## School Nurse Drop In

Our school nurse, Karen Humphries, will be running a Parent Drop in on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March from 8.30am to 10.00am at Upper School and Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at Lower School.

This is a great opportunity to meet with the school nurse to discuss any health issues or concerns you may have about your child.

## Easter Holidays

School breaks up for the Easter holidays on Friday the 7<sup>th</sup> of April and re-opens on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> of April 2017.

