# **Leadgate Primary School – Friday Newsletter**

# Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

## Friday, January 27th 2016

## This day in history

1888 National Geographic Society Founded

1880 Thomas Edison patents electric incandescent lamp



## **Whole School Attendance**

Year 1 = 96.8%

Year 2 = 99.3%

Year 3 = 93.1%

Year 4 = 95.9%

Year 5 = 99.0%

Year 6 = 92.1%



## **Diary Dates**

## Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> February

Valentine's Disco

Valentine's Dinner Upper School

## Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February

Break up for Half term

## Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February

Return to school after Half Term Holidays

### Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

World Book Day

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

Year 3 Class Assembly

Reception Trip to Jack & The Beanstalk Festival at The Louisa

Centre Morning Only

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

Year 4 Class Assembly

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

Year 6 Class Assembly

## Tuesday 21st 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 24th March

Red Nose Day

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

Langdon Beck Residential

# **Congratulations**

Well Done Year 2 for the best attendance in Lower School and Year 5 for the best attendance in Upper School.

Our school target is 96%.

## **Parent Workshops**

# Parent Workshops organised for Nursery and Reception Parents

Parents are offered the opportunity to attend a short workshop session where your child's teacher will present a range of strategies and activities which you can implement at home to support your child's progress, achievement and success in their learning. These sessions will be held before the end of the day so that parents and carers can attend and be on site to collect their children at the end of the day.

Nursery Parents Workshop:
On
6<sup>th</sup> of February at 2.15pm

Reception Parents Workshop:
On
7<sup>th</sup> of February at 2.15pm

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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

## **World Cancer Superhero Day**

We are supporting World Cancer Day on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> of February. The children can dress up as superheroes if they have an outfit or just come in non-uniform. We are asking for a donation of £1 to support this great cause.



## Valentine's Day Dinner Upper School

On Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> of February Upper School are having a special Valentine's Day dinner of Fish Fingers, Pizza and Chips with Baked Beans, Peas and Salad. Dessert is Chocolate Cake and Custard or Heart Shortbread or Fruit/Yoghurt. If you normally have a packed lunch and would like to have a Valentine's dinner on this day, please let the school office know by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> of February.



## **Reception Class – School Nurse Visit**

The School Nurse will be delivering a talk on Hygiene to all classes stressing the importance of washing hands especially around meal times and after using the toilet.

She will also speak to the children about the importance of brushing their teeth.



# Holocaust Memorial Day 27<sup>th</sup> January

This week we have shared resources from the Holocaust memorial day trust with our children in Upper School Assembly and discussed the terrible way some people have treated each other and promising to try and stop people from hurting others.

At the end of our assembly to took time to think about the way we need to remember to treat each other with kindness and respect. We also need to remember to celebrate different people – different cultures, different beliefs and different ideas, rather than treating people badly just because they may be different from us.

To find out more please visit: http://hmd.org.uk/

