

Leadgate Primary School – Friday Newsletter

Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

Friday, 6th June 2018

This day in history

793 Vikings raided the abbey on Lindisfarne Island in Northumbria. The event is commonly accepted as the beginning of the Scandinavian invasion of England.

1944 The US and Allied troops invaded Normandy. This was the largest air, land, and sea invasion in history.



Whole School Attendance

Year 1 = 94.4 %
Year 2 = 93.9%
Year 3 = 95.4%
Year 4 = 86.7%
Year 5 = 90.9%
Year 6 = 93.2%



Calendar Dates

Transition Meetings to meet your child's new teacher for Sept 2018

Monday 11th June, 2.30 – New Reception Parents Meeting
Tuesday 12th June, 2.30 – New Year 1 Parents Meeting
Thursday 14th June, 3.00 – New Year 6 Parents Meeting
Monday 18th June, 2.30 – New Year 2 Parents Meeting
Tuesday 19th June, 2.30 – New Year 3 Parents Meeting Upper School
Wednesday 20th June, 3.00 – New Year 5 Parents Meeting
Thursday 21st June, 3.00 – New Year 4 Parents Meeting

Wednesday 13th June – Year 5 visit to French Bus
Thursday 14th June – Father's Day Picnic, Upper School
Friday 15th June – Father's Day Picnic, Lower School
Tuesday 19th June – Mrs Hannon transition work with Year 2
Thursday June 21st June – Year 2 Transition to Year 3, Morning
Tuesday 26th June - Year 2 Transition to Year 3, Morning & Lunch
Wednesday 27th June – Key Stage One Transition, children will have an opportunity to spend time in their new classes with new teachers.
Thursday 28th June – Upper School Summer Fayre
Friday 29th June – Lower School Summer Fayre
Monday 2nd July – Sports Day Upper School p.m.
Tuesday 3rd July – Year 6 Induction Day, Consett Academy
Tuesday 3rd July – Upper School Transition Day – all pupils spend half day in the new class from Year 2 to Year 5
Wednesday 4th July – Sports Day Lower School p.m.
Thursday 5th July – 2nd Lower School Transition p.m.
Tuesday 10th July – Lower School Parent's Evening
Wednesday 11th July – Lower & Upper School Parent's Evening
Thursday 12th July – Upper School Parent's Evening
Thursday 12th July – Lower School Trip to the Beach
Wednesday 18th July – School Picnic, Upper School Field, p.m.
Thursday 19th July – Leavers Party / Disco, Year 2 and Year 6, p.m.

End of Year Class Assemblies

Monday 16th July – Year 1, 9.10am & Year 3, 10.30am
Tuesday 17th July – Reception, 9.10am & Year 4, 10.30am
Wednesday 18th July – Nursery, 9.10am Year 5, 10.30am
Thursday 19th July – Year 2, 9.10 am Year 6, 10.30am

Congratulations

Well Done Year 1 for the best attendance in Lower School and Year 3 for the best attendance in Upper School.

Our school target is 96%.

Family Fun Night Tombola Donations

Miss Debbie is organising a Family Fun Night to raise money for the school on Friday 15th June at Consett Football Club.

We are asking for any donations you may have for the Tombola. Please drop your donations off at the School Office.

Tickets for our FUN NIGHT are available from the School Office



Wear Yellow for Cystic Fibrosis

On Friday June 22nd we will be having a Wear Yellow Day to raise awareness of Cystic Fibrosis, a cause close to our hearts. This is not a non-uniform day but your child could wear something yellow to show support. No contribution is required but any voluntary donations would be passed on to the Cystic Fibrosis Trust.



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Attendance Heroes

Sophie, from Vision for Education, came in to Lower School this week to hold the draw for a £5 Argos voucher for 100% Attendance last half term.

The lucky winner was Leo S in Year 1. Well done to all the children who achieved 100% last term and we look forward to even better attendance this term!

Sophie is coming to Upper School next week to speak to the children and hold the draw there.

Mathletics Hall of Fame

1st James M (Y2)
2nd Brandon J (Y2)
3rd Naomi N (Y1)
4th Alex T (Y4)
5th Maisie-Leigh R (Y3)

Keep up the good work!



Non Uniform Day

Next week on Friday 15th June we will be having a non-uniform day for all children on both Upper and Lower Site. We are requesting that instead of the usual £1 donation children bring into school something for the Summer Fayre instead. We would be extremely grateful for any donations to help make our Summer Fayres the roaring success they have been in previous years.

We would like to suggest different year groups bring in the following donations but of course we welcome anything suitable for prizes/raffle/tombola or indeed the bottle stall.

Reception- Sweets (Mini Haribo/Lollies/Packets of Sweets)

Year 1 – Tombola Prizes/Smellies/Bottles

Year 2 – Teddies old or new

Year 3-6 - Any donations towards Raffle, Tombola Prizes, Bric-n-Brac, Books, Soft Toys, Bottles for Bottle Stall and obviously Cakes!

Father's Day Picnic

Our annual Father's Day picnics will take place on Thursday 14th of June for Upper School and Friday 15th of June at Lower School. The picnics will take place on the school fields of each site and Dads or male relatives are invited to attend. There will be a small charge of £2.54 for the picnic lunch for the adults.



After School Clubs

Clubs begin again on Monday. If there is a charge for the club you child is attending please send the money in on Monday as we cannot guarantee your child's place if payment is not received.

Online Safety Update

As part of #WakeUpWednesday campaign, the National Online Safety Team have created a free guide for parents & carers about 'Live Streaming' – a growing trend amongst children and young people across the globe.

The guide is designed to inform parents and carers about the dangers of live streaming for their children and how they can help control the associated risks.

The free guide for parents is available at <https://twitter.com/natonlinesafety/status/1004385008562462722>

Derwent Valley Lit Fest

The Derwent Valley LitFest which will run from Sat 16th June - Sat 23rd June

During the week there are some great child orientated events

- Neil Sullivan on the Weds at Blackhill Park Lodge
- Adam Bushnell on Thursday at Prospect Park
- Noriko Matsubara on Friday at Prospect Park
- Nathalie Paris on Saturday at Prospect Park

Tickets are available from www.eventbrite.co.uk

After School Book Fair

We are hosting an After School Book Fair on Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th of July at Upper School and Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th of July at Lower School. So come along and stock up on some summer reading for your children during the holidays. All sales will help the school to acquire even more books for our libraries. We look forward to seeing you!

