



2<sup>nd</sup> November 2018

## PE Kits

Reminder: If your child took their PE kit home over half term, please ensure this is returned to school. For indoor PE, children should wear shorts, socks (not tights) and either pumps or barefoot. For outdoor PE, children may wear trainers and track suit trousers.

## PTA Meeting

The next PTA meeting is to be held on Monday, 5th November at 3.30pm in the staffroom. Everyone is welcome. We will be planning out the Christmas Fair so if you have any ideas to share please come along. A warm welcome awaits.

## Poppies

Y6 will be selling a variety of merchandise to help raise money for the annual British Legion Poppy Appeal. Pencil - 50p, Ruler - £1, Eraser - 50p, Reflector - 50p, Sharpener - 50p and Snapbands - £1. The suggested donation for a poppy is 20p.

## Year 6 Assembly

Year 6 will be performing their Remembrance Assembly on Friday, 9th November at 9.15am in the school hall. Parents and grandparents from all classes are cordially invited to this poignant and moving assembly.

## What's On?

Bonfire Lunch	Monday 5th	Games & Jigsaws Y1-Y6 Gymnastics
Flu vaccinations R-Y5	Tuesday 6th	Gardening Y1-Y6 Reading Y1-Y6
Y5/6 Sports Hall Athletics Competition	Wednesday 7th	Guitars Y3-Y6 Junior Craft Y3-Y6 High 5 Y5/Y6
Non-uniform for a Christmas item	Thursday 8th	Music Y1-Y6 Infant Craft Y1-Y2
Remembrance Assembly Y6 @ 9am	Friday 9th	Football Y3/Y4 Drama Y3-Y6

## After School Clubs

Apologies for the cancellation of some after school clubs last week due to the club leaders having to attend prior or unforeseen work commitments. Hopefully, everything should be back to normal next week.

## Twitter

If you use Twitter, please follow us on Twitter (@lancylane).

## Non Uniform Day

Thursday, 8th of November is a non uniform day for those children who bring in an item for the Christmas Items tombola. This could be: Christmas wrapping paper, a box of Christmas cards, a fancy Christmas decoration or baubles etc etc This stall was extremely popular at the fair last year. Please only send your child in non school uniform if they bring an item in.

## Silent Soldier

You may have noticed the Silent Soldier which has been erected in the grounds by the school entrance. The statues have been created by the Royal British Legion as part of their "Thank You" campaign to those who experienced the First World War and who served, sacrificed and changed our world. If you wish to learn more about this they have a website which you can visit by following this link.

<https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/remembrance/ww1-centenary/thank-you/>  
Our Silent Soldier will, quite rightly, will hold pride of place within our school and has been located in an area of school that we have plans to develop.

## Bonfire/Fireworks Tickets

If you're attending to go the annual bonfire / fireworks event held at Worden Park on Monday, 5th November please purchase your tickets beforehand from school. It is cheaper than paying on the night and a small percentage of the ticket cost goes into school funds.

## Hallowe'en Disco

Thank you to the PTA members who organised the PTA Disco and to the staff who supported the event. The children's behaviour was spook-tacularly good and their costumes were amazing! A great time was had by all.

## Christmas Singalong

Children from Rec – Y6 are all welcome to join the Christmas Singalong Club which starts on Tuesday, 6th November at 12.30pm in the Y6 Classroom.

## Children in Need Day

The School Council has decided on a PJs day for Children in Need this year. On Friday, 16th November your child can come in PJs in exchange of some small change.

## Outside Achievements

Beth from Y4 and Lucy from Y1 attended a gymnastics competition, Beth received 2 bronze medals for vault and floor and received a silver overall whilst Lucy received a rosette for her pumpkin numbers board. Riley D in Y2 completed his Stage 2 at swimming. Well done to all of you.



Year 4 using LBO tablets to research for a non-chronological report.



PTA Hallowe'en Disco



Our Silent Soldier.



## Early Learners Pre-School



Early Learners enjoyed celebrating Halloween by dressing up, bobbing for apples and making potions.

## Special Mentions this week.

<b>Reception</b> Madison	<b>Year 1</b> Angel F	<b>Year 2</b> Princess	<b>Year 3</b> Nathan	<b>Year 4</b> Jack	<b>Year 5</b> Jake	<b>Year 6</b> Jessica N
<b>Mrs Geldard's choice is</b> Summer <b>in Year 4</b>		<b>Mrs Gray's choice is</b> Jessica <b>in Year 1</b>			<b>Mrs Anstey's choice is</b> Isaac <b>in Year 2</b>	
Team points this week – <b>ROBINS 268</b> – <b>SQUIRRELS 178</b> – <b>BEAVERS 313</b> – <b>DOLPHINS 370</b>						

## Online Safety:

When your child is using internet search engines at home, there is a number that are child friendly.

[www.swiggle.org.uk](http://www.swiggle.org.uk)  
[www.safesearchkids.com](http://www.safesearchkids.com)  
[www.gogooligans.com](http://www.gogooligans.com)  
[www.kidsclick.org](http://www.kidsclick.org)  
[www.kidzserch.com](http://www.kidzserch.com)  
[www.kiddle.co](http://www.kiddle.co)  
[www.factmonster.com](http://www.factmonster.com)  
[www.kidrex.org](http://www.kidrex.org)  
[www.ipl.org/div/kidspace](http://www.ipl.org/div/kidspace)



## Upcoming Dates



Monday, 5th November - Bonfire Lunch  
 Monday, 5th November - PTA Meeting @ 3.30pm  
 Tuesday, 6th November - Flu Vaccination Rec - Y5  
 Thursday, 8th November - Non - uniform - please donate a Christmas item  
 Friday, 9th November - Y6 Remembrance Assembly @ 9.00am  
 Tuesday, 13th November - Reception and Y6- height and weight check  
 Thursday, 15th November - Family and Individual Photos  
 Friday, 16th November - Children in Need Day - PJs please bring small change  
 Friday, 23rd November - Non - uniform - please dontate chocolate  
 Friday, 30th November - Christmas Fair @ 4.00pm  
 Thursday, 6th December - Reception and Early Learners Christmas Play @ 9.30am  
 Friday, 7th December - After School Clubs end  
 Tuesday, 11th December - Y3/Y4 Christmas Play @ 9.30am  
 Wednesday, 12th December - Whole school visit to the Pantomime