



Reception have been making scarecrows



Half Term

The staff and governors wish the children and their families a happy and safe half term holiday. School is closed next week and will re-open on Monday, 29th October.

After School Clubs

After school clubs will restart on Monday, 29th October. Unfortunately, Y3/4 Sports Hall Athletics will **NOT** be on as Mr Wood has to attend a meeting.

Singalong

Christmas *Singalong* will start on Tuesday, 6th November in Y6 classroom at 12.30pm. Even Mrs Mills and Mrs Geldard won't sing Christmas songs in October!

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.

School Uniform

In our entrance hall, there is a large selection of second hand good quality school uniform. If you would like to purchase any, choose what you want from the rail and all we ask if a small donation towards school funds.

What's On?

School re-opens @ 8.55am	Monday 29th	Games & Jigsaws Y1-Y6 Gymnastics
Hallowe'en Disco	Tuesday 30th	Gardening Y1-Y6 Reading Y1-Y6 Dodgeball Y5/Y6
	Wednesday 31st	Guitars Y3-Y6 Junior Craft Y3-Y6 High 5 Y5/Y6
	Thursday 1st	Music Y1-Y6 Infant Craft Y1-Y2
	Friday 2nd	Football Y3/Y4 Drama Y3-Y6

Yellow Lines

For the safety of your child and everyone else's child, please do not stop or park on the yellow zig zag lines outside school.

Twitter

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

Racing to Read Competition

This half-term in our *Racing to Read* Competition, Year 1 came 3rd, Year 4 came 2nd and Year 6 won 1st place. The Year 6 children who have read three times each week were entered into a Prize Draw and Alex won a voucher to buy a book of her choice. Well done, Alex!

Next half-term, the race will start again! Please ensure that your child reads at least three times each week and that this is recorded in their Reading Record so that they can earn points for their class.

PTA Hallowe'en Disco

There will be a Hallowe'en Disco held in school on Tuesday, 30th October. Tickets are £1 on the door and refreshments will be on sale (drinks, cakes, hot dogs etc). Children will be able to buy tattoos and have their faces painted – any volunteers to do face painting will be welcomed with open arms – please see Mrs Geldard. The disco runs from 4pm – 4.55pm for Early Learners, Reception and infant children with junior children (Years 3 – 6) from 5pm – 6pm. Children in Early Learners and Reception will need to be accompanied by an adult. Fancy dress is optional.

Pupil Parliament

Fenn and Millie's cake sale raised £167 for the Cystic Fibrosis Trust. They, along with a group of helpers from Y6 (Lydia, Angus, Nellie, Efini, Alex, Paige and Esme) and Amanda did themselves and the school proud. They are a credit to us all. Thank you to all those who sent in cakes, it is very much appreciated.

Class Dojo

Class Dojo is a wonderful communication tool between home and school. However, if your child is absent from school you must inform the school office and not the class teacher via Class Dojo.

Money Envelopes

There is a secure post box in the entrance hall for parents and children to deposit money without the need to wait. Please use the correct colours: yellow = school, salmon = stoppers and blue = PTA.

Outside Achievements

Kayden in Y2 won a trophy at tennis for being the best player, Riley D in Y2 achieved his 1st Fair Trade badge at Beavers, Ruby in Y2 came 6th in her first cheer competition, Thomas in Y2 received star player at football, Dylan in Y3 won a medal at First Football, Summer in Y4 won 2nd and Chloe in Y4 won 1st in a recent gymnastics competition. Well done to all of you.



Year 6 walked to Leyland Memorial



Year 2 shared their writing with Year 4



Y1 repeating patterns work.

Early Learners Pre-School



This week we have been baking and decorating cakes. An activity which was suggested by the children.

Special Mentions this week.

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Nolan	Maiyah	Jasper	Noah A	Şeth	Megan	Efini
Mrs Geldard's choice is Ethan M in Reception		Mrs Gray's choice is Esme & Paige in Year 6			Mrs Anstey's choice is Zack in Year 4	
Team points this week – ROBINS 167 – SQUIRRELS 216 – BEAVERS 174 – DOLPHINS 185						

Online Safety:

Just as you teach your child “stranger danger” in the real world, reinforce the same messages when they are in the online world.



Upcoming Dates

Monday, 29th October - School reopens @ 8.55am
 Tuesday, 30th October - PTA Hallowe'en Disco
 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, 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

