



Red Nose Day 2019



Tower Wood

There is a meeting for the parents and their children who attended Tower Wood this year in the school hall at 9.10am on Monday. There will be a photo slideshow, the giving out of certificates and individual photo posters commemorating your child's time at Tower Wood on sale for £5.

Y1 Assembly

Parents and grandparents are cordially invited to Year 1's assembly on Friday, 29th March at 9.10am in the school hall.

Reading Race

The winners of this week's Reading Race is Year 4. Remember to sign your child's diary when they read to you.

What's On?

Games & Jigsaws Y1-Y6 Gymnastics Y2	Monday 25th	Tower Wood Meeting @ 9am Y5 Bikeability
Gardening Y1-Y6 Handball Y3/Y4 Reading Y1-Y6	Tuesday 26th	Y5 Bikeability PTA Mothers' Day Craft Night
Guitars Y3-Y6 Junior Craft Y3-Y6 Running Y5/6	Wednesday 27th	EL & Rec Mothers' Day Morning
Infant Craft Y1/2 Football Y3/4	Thursday 28th	Non-uniform Day £1
Indoor Cricket Y6 Drama Y3-Y6	Friday 29th	Y1 Assembly 9.15am



Racing To Read



Your child should read at home at least three times each week. Please remember to sign their diaries so they can earn point for their class. The winning class at the end of half-term are entered into a prize draw to win a £10 book voucher.

Overall Positions:

1st Place: Years 4

2nd Place: Year 2

3rd Place: Reception

Parking

Please remember to be courteous to our neighbours and do not block their drives when parking outside school.

Twitter

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

Year 5 Fund Raising for Music Week

You will be aware the Year 5 are leading the efforts in school to raise money for our forthcoming Music Week. As a result, there will be a non-uniform day on Thursday, 28th March for a £1 donation. They are also arranging a disco on Thursday, 4th April £1 entry on the door, 4pm – 5pm for Infants (EL, Rec, Y1 and Y2) and 5pm – 6pm for juniors.

They have also arranged the following competitions:

An Easter bonnet competition for £1 entry and a colouring competition for 50p entry. Winners will receive an Easter egg prize.

They are also hoping to raffle an Easter hamper but we need your donations of chocolate or Easter items to make the hamper. All donations will be gratefully received.

There is also a spare change jar in the entrance hall which we are hoping to fill with any loose change you may have. The PTA is match funding the amount we raise so every penny really does count!

After School Clubs

After school clubs will end on Friday, 29th March. Mr Johnson will be sending out the new club list in the last week of term.

However, the number of clubs on offer will be limited due to the reduction in TA hours. Please be aware that clubs run by teachers may also be cancelled more often as there won't be TA back up in school.

SATs Meetings

Thank you to those parents who were able to attend the recent Y2 and Y6 SATs meetings. Mrs Geldard will update the Y2 and Y6 website pages of the school website with tips, dates and information.

School Website

Have you seen the gallery pages on the school website? If not, take a look! It is work in progress but we are trying to upload as many photos as we can showing the range of activities we do in school. There are photos on the class pages too.

Operation Encompass

Please read the attached letter regarding Operation Encompass.

Outside Achievements

Isobel in Year 3 won a trophy at kick-boxing, Sophie A in Year 1 gained her Stage 2 at swimming and Beth in Year 4 and Lucy in Year 1 treated the whole school to their gymnastics routine. Well done to all of you.



Year 5 have been planting seeds.



Year 4 were experiencing how Michelangelo would paint.



A Year 3 pupil made a sculpture from natural materials, based on the work of Andy Goldsworthy.

Early Learners Pre-School



The children in Early Learners have been learning about plant growth and planting their own seeds.

Special Mentions this week:

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Charley-Mae	Lucy	Olivia	Riley	Ethan	Owen	Lydia
Mrs Geldard's choice is Riley B In Year 2		Mrs Gray's choice is Lola In Year 5		Mrs Anstey's choice is Keira In Year 1		
Team points this week – ROBINS 94 – SQUIRRELS 152 – BEAVERS 105 – DOLPHINS 171						

Online Safety

6 TOP TIPS FOR PARENTS

SCREEN TIME



1. RULES
Agree on a clear set of rules in your home about screen time.



2. LEAD BY EXAMPLE
Do as you say! Modelling behaviour is the most powerful way you can influence your child's behaviour.



3. PHONE FREE ZONE
Restrict the use of TV's, mobile phones and computers in the bedroom!



4. CHARGING PHONES
Buy an alarm clock for your child's room and charge mobile phones in your room!



5. DIGITAL DETOX
One evening a week have a family digital detox and plan a family activity!



6. JOIN IN
Play your child's favourite computer game and discover the online world together.



Upcoming Dates

- Monday, 25th March - Tower Wood Celebration Assembly @ 9.00am
- Monday, 25th March & Tuesday, 26th March - Year 5 Bikeability
- Tuesday, 26th March - PTA Mother's Day Craft Night @ 3.30pm
- Wednesday, 27th March - Early Learners and Reception Mother's Day Craft Morning
- Thursday, 28th March - Non - Uniform Day £1 in aid of Music Week
- Friday, 29th March - Year 1 Assembly @ 9.15am
- Friday, 29th March - After School Clubs end
- Tuesday, 2nd April - Infants Easter Assembly @ 9.30am in School
- Tuesday, 2nd April - KS2 Easter Services @ 2.30pm at St Ambrose Church
- Monday, 1st April, Tuesday, 2nd and Wednesday 3rd April - Reception Parents' Meetings
- Wednesday, 3rd April - Parents' Meetings
- Thursday, 4th April - Disco in aid of Music Week