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News Bulletin

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Friday 23rd June 2023

Welcome back!

I hope you all have enjoyed the half term break. This half term will be a very busy one with lots of activities and preparations for next year.

Moving Up Day is Friday 30th June. Your child will spend some time in their new class and come home with further information about their new class.

School Uniform

School uniform is now available to puchase from S&P (Fleetwood) and Bispham Clothing. It is no longer for sale from the School Office.

We would like to remind parents of Larkholme's School Uniform.

Uniform for children in Reception and Year 1

Navy blue joggers or jersey shorts
White polo shirt
Navy blue sweatshirt with logo
Plain black trainers

Uniform for children in Year 2 – Year 6

Grey trousers, skirt, pinafore or shorts
White shirt
Tie
School jumper or cardigan with school badge
Black shoes or completely black trainers (no logos etc.)
Navy blue gingham school dresses

Outdoor Uniform Year 2 – Year 6

Navy blue joggers or jersey shorts, shadow striped PE shorts
Polo shirt in house colour with school badge
Navy blue sweatshirt with school badge
Trainers

Hair accessories should be in school colours and kept to an appropriate size e.g. no large bows or headbands.

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Sports Day

Here is a reminder of the upcoming Sports Days in July (pleaste note amended days);
Reception and Year 1 – Tuesday 4th July 1:30pm
Year 2,3 and 4 – Thursday 6th July 9:15am
Year 5 and 6 – Thursday 6th July 1:30pm.

Diversity Week

As part of our Relationship Education and recognising and accepting individuality, this year, (along with many schools around the country) Larkholme Primary School will be taking part in School Diversity Week (26th June-30th). This is the UK-wide celebration of LGBT+ equality in primary and secondary schools.
Friday 30th June will be a non-uniform 'Rainbow Friday' where children can dress up in rainbow colours or any colours to show support for equality and celebrate diversity. As this is also the Transition Day for Fleetwood High, Millfield High School and Cardinal Allen, Year 6 will attend their new school in school uniform as previously communicated but they will still access the activities during the week.

Say Hello

We would like to welcome Miss Smith who will be joining our team in September and also congratulate Mr Ronson on securing a permanent position at Larkholme.

Say Goodbye

We will be saying sad goodbyes to Mr Austin and Ms Perkins (SENCO) at the end of this term. Mr Austin is moving to Qatar to teach and Ms Perkins will be working in a school much nearer to her home. They will both be missed by us all at Larkholme but we wish them all the best in the future.
Mrs Young will be going on maternity leave at the end of this term. After spending time with her family, we will see her again in 2024. We wish her and her family all the best and can't wait to meet her new baby.

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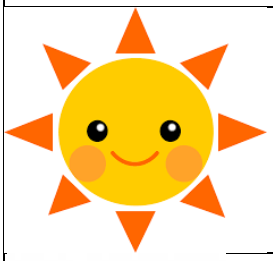
Year 6 Careers Fair

Year 6 Careers Fair will be held on Wednesday 28th June where representatives of different professions will be available for the children to talk to. Parents are welcome from 2:30pm.

Year 6 Leavers – Cardinal Allen

For those Year 6 children that are going to Cardinal Allen, you will have received an email inviting you to a Summer School which will run from 22nd to 24th August 2023.
To ensure a place for your child, parents need to complete the link to a form sent in the email by Monday 26th June.



Hot Weather

Please remember to send your child to school with a hat and water bottle due to the glorious weather we have been having. We are trying to keep them as cool as possible and have sun cream stations set up for them to use.

Welfare Position Available

There is a position available to join our lovely welfare team. If you are interested, please contact Karen Moore at the School Office.

Summer Camps

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PTFA

Click on the link below for the Larkholme PTFA Facebook page.
https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100086426200177

Attendance

Yearly

National attendance data for schools covering academic year to date up to 22nd May 2023

- Attendance rate across all schools = **92.5%**
- Absence rate across all schools = 7.5%
- Attendance rate for state-funded primary schools = **94%**
- Absence for state-funded primary schools = 6.0% (4.4% authorised and 1.5% unauthorised)
- Attendance rate for Larkholme = **94.4%**
- Absence rate for Larkholme = 5.6% (3.7% authorised and 1.9% unauthorised)

Weekly

National attendance data for schools in week commencing 22nd May 2023

- Attendance rate across all schools = **91.1%**
- Absence rate across all schools = 8.9%
- Attendance rate for state-funded primary schools = **93.7%**
- Absence rate for state-funded primary schools = 6.3% (3.8% authorised and 2.5% unauthorised)
- Attendance rate for Larkholme = **91.8%**
- Absence for Larkholme = 8.2% (5.2% authorised and 3.1% unauthorised)

Well done Larkholme for having better attendance than the national attendance for this academic year to date!

Compared to this time last year we have improved by 1.6%!

Across the school we have had 34 lates and 1108 minutes lost to learning this week.
This is too much valued learning time being lost. Please ensure your child is in school on time every day.

Best Attenders

Well done to class 3/4PG for having the best attendance over the last 2 weeks!!
Keep up all the good work

Remember that we miss you when you are not in school and we love seeing your smiling faces every day!

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Diary Dates

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Outdoor Learning Workshop – Thursday 29th June 2pm-2:45pm
Non-Uniform 'Rainbow Friday' – Friday 30th June
Year 6 Pleasure Beach Trip – Monday 3rd July
Reception and Year 1 Sports Day – Tuesday 4th July 1:30pm
Year 2, 3 and 4 Sports Day – Thursday 6th July 9:15am
Year 5 and 6 Sports Day – Thursday 6th July 1:30pm
Year 6 Borwick Hall Trip – Tuesday 11th July – Friday 14th July
Year 6 Play – Tuesday 18th July 2pm and 6pm
Year 6 Leavers Assembly and Coffee Morning – Wednesday 19th July 9:15am
Non-Uniform and Toy Day – Thursday 20th July
School Closes – Thursday 20th July **2pm**

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Glee/Choir (Year 3-6) – Wednesday 3:15pm-4:15pm
Year 1 Multi Skills Club – Thursday 3:15pm – 4:15pm (Final Session Thursday 13th July)
Year 2 Science Club – Thursday Lunchtime (Final Session Thursday 6th July)
Year 3 and 4 Tennis Club – Thursday 3:15pm – 4:15pm (Final Session Thursday 6th July)
Year 3 and 4 Adventurous Outdoor Activity Club – Friday 3:15pm – 4:15pm (Final Session Friday 7th June)
Year 6 Craft Club – Monday lunchtimes.
Piano Lessons £3 for 15mins – Lunchtimes (Currently full but there is a waiting list)

Future clubs are planned - watch this space.

Football Team Fixtures (note: these may be subject to change)

Year 5 and 6 Girls Football Fixtures – Thursday 3:15pm – 4:15pm (Final Session Thursday 6th July)

Child Places in Each Year

We have places available in current Reception and current Year 3. There are also a few places available in the new intake for Reception 2023. If you know anyone who would like a place for their child at Larkholme, please ask them to apply through Lancashire County Council.

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