



Spring Term 2019

April 5th 2019

Dear Parents/ Carers,

I am always proud of our children here and feel lucky to be their headteacher. They have developed good attitudes to learning, have pride in their work and themselves and always work hard. I was even prouder this half term with their additional achievements.

Sport



A HUGE well done to our rugby team who came **first** out of 14 schools in last week's tournaments. The whole squad have trained hard with the help of one of our Governors, Mike Malina, who has come in every week to coach them.



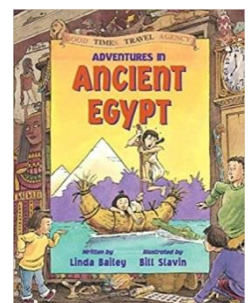
Music

Thank you to all our choir members who performed a concert for the Lakenheath Lunch Club in the village hall. We have already received thank you cards and an invitation to do another performance as soon as possible.

Y3/4 – Adventures in Ancient Egypt

Thank you to all the children and staff in Y3/4 for such amazing performances this week. I was a very proud headteacher to see you all performing so well – clear voices, lines learned, great songs and dances. You obviously all enjoyed it and the audiences did too.

Thank you also to the parents who stacked up the chairs – it was a huge help.



Some reminders:

Uniform

After the Easter holidays the children may return to school in their Summer Uniform. This means they may now wear shorts or purple checked summer dresses. We prefer children to wear closed shoes but if your child does wear sandals in the summer they must have white or grey socks on. There are a few children wearing leggings and chinos/jean styles to school again – this is not our school uniform and children must wear trousers.

Hair

I have noticed this week that a number of our boys have lines and patterns cut into their hairstyles. There are also some more extreme haircuts coming in. These are not allowed for school so once they have grown out please do not have these hairstyles till the next holiday. If hair is long it must be tied back and hair should not be dyed any colour.

Dinners

After Easter the kitchen will be offering Key Stage 2 children a cold 'Pick and Mix' lunch.

Breakfast Club

Please could we remind parents/carers that places for breakfast club must be pre booked and children need to arrive for 8.00 am as breakfast is only served 8.15 am, and if you child is arriving after this time they will need to have had breakfast at home and the £2.00 charge will still apply.

And finally...

Mrs Page will begin her maternity leave at the beginning of next term. We wish her all the very best for the safe arrival on baby number 3 and will keep you all posted.

Wishing you all a very Happy Easter and a restful break.



Sally Esom

Headteacher

Dates for the Summer Term:

Start of the Summer term – WEDNESDAY April 24th

April

Y6 breakfasts for SATS preparation start – see separate letter

Y3 trip to the Farm Show – Thursday April 25th

Y1/2 trip to Lackford Lakes – Fox and Wombat – Friday April 26th

Y1/2 trip to Lackford Lakes – Ocelot – Monday April 29th

Y5 Jaguar final Forest School session – Tuesday April 30th

May

Y5 Koala third Forest School session – Thursday May 2nd

May Bank Holiday – May 6th

Y6 SATS week – week of May 13th – 17th

Y5 trip to IES Breckland for day – Friday May 17th they will need a packed lunch

Y6 to Eaton Vale – 22nd – 24th May

½ term May 27th to June 4th

PLEASE NOTE – school will return after May half term on TUESDAY JUNE 4th not on Monday as this is a staff training day.

June

Y1 phonics testing week – June 10th – 14th

PTA Summer Fair – Sunday June 30th

July

Cycling Proficiency – Y5 – Week of July 1st

KS2 performance – July 10th and 11th 6pm

Crucial Crew for Y6 – 12th July

Sports Day – July 16th KS1 am, KS2 pm

Reserve Sports Day – July 23rd

Leavers' Assembly – July 24th

End of School Year – July 24th