



Lingey House Primary and Nursery School

A logo featuring a duck in flight over a pond with reeds and a small blue island.

Newsletter 26 – 28th March 2024

Egg Decorating Competition

The standard of eggs this year was incredibly high and the children all had a wonderful time designing and decorating their eggs!

Our overall winner was Lola B – Y6.

The following children won the best egg in their class:

<u>Year Group</u>	<u>Winners</u>
Reception	Lucy R and Srinish V
Y1	Spencer M and Caleb D
Y2	Joanna O and Valeria T
Y3	Lily O and Annabelle M
Y4	Carlton W and Jack O
Y5	Nathan G and Lennon A
Y6	Pearl P and Emilie B

Congratulations to all of our children on their egg-cellent efforts! We can't wait to do it all again next year!



PTA Update!

A fun time was had by all at our Easter Discos last night! The children really did have a fantastic time. There were games, dancing and even a photobooth. Special thanks to Miss 'DJ Hewy' Hewitt who kept everyone entertained and in good spirits in her disco crocs and to all of the other members of staff who helped prepare and run the discos.

Our raffle was drawn in assembly this morning and the winners have all been given their prizes.

Special congratulations to our first prize winner, Alisha T - Y4

The following prize winners are:

Place	Winners	Place	Winners
1 st	Alisha T – Y4B	14 th	Lincoln S – Y1A
2 nd	Damien W – Y1B	15 th	Alfie T – N
3 rd	Alfie T – N	16 th	Theviru OV -Y1B
4 th	Emily N – Y5B	17 th	11 Orange – UNCLAIMED
5 th	Edward G – Y4B	18 th	Amber C – Y1B
6 th	Ruby H – Y5B	19 th	Scarlett K– Y4A
7 th	Gracie M – Y3B	20 th	Mollie M – Y4B
8 th	Ticket 106 Yellow UNCLAIMED	21 st	Freya H – Y6B
9 th	Jasmine G – Y3B	22 nd	Theviru – OV – Y1A
10 th	Ava G – Y4B	23 rd	Isabelle H - YRA
11 th	Preston D – Y4B	24 th	Jackson A – Y5B
12 th	Ivy H – Y4A	25 th	Kendall R – Y1A
13 th	Anya R – Y5A	26 th	Teddy S - YRB

Please check at home if you have **Ticket 106 Yellow** and **Ticket 11 Orange** and claim your prize from the school office.

In total we have raised **£907.43** through our disco and raffle. This will go towards creating more exciting opportunities for our children. Thank you all for your generosity!



NSPCC

Children in Years 1-6 will be taking part in NSPCC assemblies in class where they will be learning how to keep themselves safe. Following these sessions children in Y2/5/6 will be attending a NSPCC Speak and Stay Safe Workshops next half term. These will commence on Thursday, **18th April** for Y2/Y5 and on Tuesday, **21st May** for Y6.

NSPCC

Coffee Morning

Hannah, our Family Support Worker is continuing our coffee mornings. These take place every week, on a **Thursday morning from 9 – 10am in the Lodge**. Please come along, everyone is welcome!



Year 5 Residential – June 2024

Year 5 students have the opportunity to have a residential at Lingey House, camping overnight on **Wednesday, 12th June**.

There will be activities such as archery, fire lighting, a water fight, circus training, an assault course and many other camping past times.

Students were given letters and consent forms last week, sign up and payments are via Arbor if you wish to secure a place please do so by **Friday, 19th April 2024**.



Summer Fayre!



This year our Summer Fayre will be on **Friday 21st June!**

If you own or know of a business who would be willing to donate a prize for our raffle, we'd love to hear from you.

We also have stalls available to hire.

Please contact the school office directing enquiries to Mrs Watson if you are able to help with a raffle prize or are interested in a stall.

After School Clubs

We are excited to offer new clubs for next half-term. Please book your child's place via Arbor. Places are limited so please only sign up to one place per child. We will let you know if there are any spare spaces available. Sign-up opens on **Thursday 28th March at 16:30**

Day	Club	Year	Ran by	Places
Monday	Dodgeball	Year 4	NUFC	Places available – please book via Arbor
Tuesday	Mindfulness	Reception	Miss Hamilton	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Sports	Year 2	NUFC	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Carnival	Reception	Mrs Adams-Ratheram/Mrs Brunnock	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Athletics	Year 3/Y5	Mr Burrell	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Sewing	Year 5	Mrs Wood/Mrs Iley	Places available – please book via Arbor
Wednesday	Futsal	Year 1	Mr Burrell	Places available – please book via Arbor
Thursday	Puzzle	Year 4/5	Mrs Jackson	Places available – please book via Arbor
Friday	No Clubs			

OPAL Newsletter



Fancy getting dressed up?

This week we had some new faces performing on the stage and you wouldn't believe who it was! Surely it can't be...



No, your eyes aren't playing tricks on you. That is our year 6 boys! The die-hard footballers finally decided to leave the football behind for one lunch time and they ventured out into the world! They couldn't go too far though, they still had to remain within a 2-metre radius of their beloved MUGA, just so they could see what was going on.

The stage is where they landed this week and they fully embraced it! They wore every piece of fancy dress possible. There were policemen with wigs and hula skirts; pirates in a dress; superheroes with scarves. Whatever you could think of they managed it.

Did it matter if the outfits were too small? Nope, they just squeezed themselves (and their coats) into whatever they wanted.

It just goes to show how meaningful of an impact opal is having upon our children. They are showing complete confidence to leave their comfort zone and try out new things, all with a big smile on their face.



EYFS Update

Nursery

Thank you to all parents, carers and family members who came along to the stay and play, we had great fun, and we hope you all did too. We look forward to seeing you all at the next one – please check our school Facebook for all of the photos.

Next term – please look out for the dates of: Nursery receiving their pet ducklings' eggs!! The farm, The Big Toddle and graduation for children going into Reception next year.



Reception

As you are aware, following the OPAL letter sent home with your child, Reception have been making the transition to access OPAL across lunchtimes. If you want to know more, on **Tuesday 16th April (first Tuesday after the holidays)** we invite all reception parents to join us after drop off in the main hall to further go into detail and answer any questions you may have about Opal play.

Here are some photographs of us during our transition, getting to know the areas and understanding the rules prior to accessing the OPAL areas!



Reminders

Toys from Home

Please note that toys from home are not allowed to be brought into school for several reasons, including health and safety. Please could parents/carers take these home and check bags before coming to school. If your child has toys in school from home, they will be returned to parents at the end of the school day. Thank you for your co-operation.

Reception- Reading Books

Reading books and reading records are to be returned with children daily.

Reception- Library books

YRA: Library Visits are Thursdays, return books on Wednesdays

YRB: Library Visits are Wednesdays, return books on Tuesdays

Nursery - Library books

please can all Nursery parents are to return library books on a Thursday to be changed and returned on a Friday.

Reception and Nursery bags/spare clothes

We have a very low/limited stock of socks and tights in school currently. Please could you ensure your child has spare socks/tights in their bags. If your child has used any school stock, please can this be returned (ticket is marked in the labels with an 's' if it belongs to school). Thank you!

Collections

Dentist role play

after half term we are hoping to set up a dentist role-play, please can you all begin to save your toothpaste tubes, toothbrushes, toothpaste packaging, mouthwash and anything else you may see at a dentist surgery e.g. leaflets/posters etc.

Home Corner

Nursery are looking for more realistic clothing and accessories for our home corner, we are wanting hats/scarves/jewellery/bags/fascinators etc, these can be adult or child size. The children love exploring the different clothing that aren't your usual dressing up outfits!

Loose parts

for our outdoor area we need sticks, stones, pebbles, leaves, logs, rope, flower petals etc

Thanks

Miss Hamilton, Miss Smith, Mrs Clydesdale and Mrs Cook.

Holiday Workshops Easter 2024

EASTER



WORKSHOPS

TUESDAY 2ND & WEDNESDAY 3RD
APRIL

10AM - 3PM

AGES 4 - 12

SCAN ME



DANCE - GAMES - ART & DESIGN

1 Day @ £20 or 2 Day's @ £35

CONTACT US ON | 07765466450 OR 07850227720

DANCEFUSE studio, Cleveland Hall FC

Tuesday 2nd & Wednesday 3rd April
10.00am - 3.00pm

Dancefuse Studio, Cleveland Hall FC

DANCE - GAMES - ART & DESIGN

Ages 4-12

1 day £20

2 days £35

Our workshops are designed to provide enjoyable, constructive and creative holiday activities for children.

Water & fruit included

Please wear suitable clothing and footwear.

Packed lunch required.

SPACES ARE LIMITED!

Simply click the link below or copy and paste into your internet browser:

<https://forms.gle/Hm5174b3auW1WrzY7>

Contact us on 07850227720 and 07765466450

Easter Camp

FREE! Free for children in receipt of free school meals

LJB EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA CAMP

Come and join us in the second week of the Easter holidays, we have some jam-packed fun filled days planned, we will be running such activities as football, create your own obstacle course, tutti fruity and very veggie skewer making, rock painting and much more.


Sessions take place from 10am to 2pm at White Mere Community Primary School on:

- Monday 8 April
- Tuesday 9 April
- Wednesday 10 April
- Thursday 11 April
- Friday 12 April

 Ages- 5 to 16 years.
To book email LJBcoaching@outlook.com or contact us on 07580 420 361, book early to avoid disappointment as we have very limited spaces for this club.



LJB EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA CAMP WHITE MERE PRIMARY SCHOOL



<p>MONDAY 8TH APRIL</p> <p>10-11.30am Football ⚽ Science Experiments 🔬</p> <p>12.30-2pm multisports 🏀🏈🏊</p>	<p>TUESDAY 9TH APRIL</p> <p>10-11.30am football ⚽ / Hard boiled egg painting 🥚</p> <p>12.30-2pm outdoor sports 🏃 / plant your own sunflower 🌻</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY 10TH APRIL</p> <p>10-11.30am 🏃 Easter Exercise Eggstravaganza! 12.30-2pm Tutti Fruity 🍌 & Very Veggie 🥕 skewer making.</p>
<p>THURSDAY 11TH APRIL</p> <p>10-11.30am ⚽ Football/ giant outdoor games/ obstacle course making 🏃</p> <p>12.30-2pm Rock painting/ arts & crafts 🎨</p>	<p>FRIDAY 12TH APRIL</p> <p>10-11.30am Big Ball Tennis/ Football ⚽</p> <p>12.30-2pm Arts & crafts/ Cress heads/out door group games 🏀</p>	<p>DINNER & FREE PLAY</p> <p>11.30-12.30pm Daily. A free hot lunch will be provided for children in receipt of FSM each day, please bring a labelled water bottle for throughout the day 💧</p> <p>Free play choice activities will also be available daily such as reading, colouring, jigsaw's, Lego etc. 🧩</p>

**VERY LIMITED SPACES DAILY PLEASE BOOK IN ASAP TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT AT
LJBcoaching@outlook.com/ 07580420361.**

Let's Celebrate!

Attendance

Each week, the class with the best attendance will have an extra 10 minutes of playtime.

If any class has 100% attendance, they will have an ice cream/hot chocolate playtime!

Class	This week's attendance	Class	This week's attendance
YRA	98.68%	Y3B	94.4%
YRB	88.7%	Y4A	96.43%
Y1A	94.55%	Y4B	95.69%
Y1B	91.38%	Y5A	99.12%
Y2A	94.17%	Y5B	95.34%
Y2B	93.75%	Y6A	96.3%
Y3A	99.15%	Y6B	93.55%
Whole School Attendance:		95.06%	

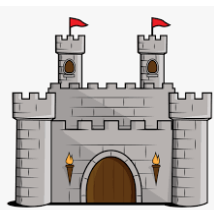
Times Table Rockstars



Biggest Earner	Class
Jack S	Y5B
Georgie G	Y6B
Chloe J	Y6B
Biggest Increase in Speed	
Yahya I	Y6A
Amber C	Y4A
Mila H	Y5A
Minutes Played	
Jack S	Y5B
Alisha T	Y4B
Leo H	Y4B
Golden Guitar Winner – Y4B	

This week's House Tokens

This week's winner is **Dunstanburgh**



Bamburgh	220
Hylton	195
Warkworth	180
Lumley	195
Dunstanburgh	300
Alnwick	265

Out of School Achievements



A huge well done to...
Lexi and Emily!

Last Weekend Lexi and Emily along with their team mates won the title league champions 23/24 for Leam Rangers Girls U10 so bagged a promotion into the premier division top tier overall as a team they only lost 2 matches out of 22 and scoring a massive 127 goals as a team and only conceding 16 all season.

Well done, Lexi and Emily.

A huge well done to...
Evie, Emily and Emilee!

Evie Emily & Emilee attended a dance competition at the weekend and they all come home with a trophy and a certificate! They all danced beautifully!

Well done, Evie, Emily and Emilee.



Dates for the Diary

Date/time	Event	Who's involved
Thursday 28 th March	Break up for Easter Easter Lunch	Whole School
Monday 15 th April	Back to School	Whole School
Tuesday 16 th April	OPAL Meeting for Reception	Reception Parents
Friday 24 th May	Break up for Half Term	Whole School
Monday 3 rd June	Occasional Day	School closed to all pupils
Tuesday 4 th June	INSET Day	School closed to all pupils
Wednesday 5 th June	Back to School	Whole School