



# Lingey House Primary and Nursery School



## Newsletter 27 – 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026

### Easter Raffle Winners

We have had an amazing response to our Easter raffle, which has helped raise vital funds for school.

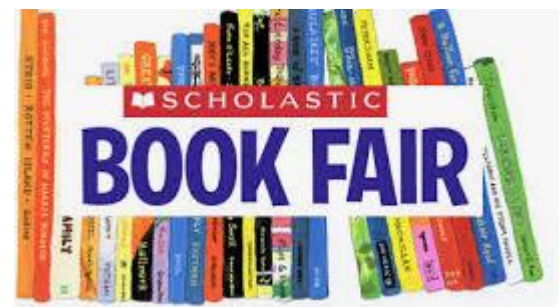


Well done to our winners.:

	Name	Reg
1 <sup>st</sup>	Taylor H	Y4B
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Albie L	Y1B
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Max T	Nursery
4 <sup>th</sup>	Jack R	Y3A
5 <sup>th</sup>	Aria B	Y3A
6 <sup>th</sup>	Reece T	Y1A
7 <sup>th</sup>	William H	Y3B
8 <sup>th</sup>	Leo H	Y6B
9 <sup>th</sup>	Ada C	Y1A
10 <sup>th</sup>	Sam L	Y2A
11 <sup>th</sup>	Willow G	Y2B
12 <sup>th</sup>	Grace L	Y4A
13 <sup>th</sup>	Darcy C	Y3B
14 <sup>th</sup>	Shahlo F	Y1A
15 <sup>th</sup>	Mollie M	Y6A
16 <sup>th</sup>	Ella M	YRB
17 <sup>th</sup>	Bonnie B	YRB
18 <sup>th</sup>	Ailsa C	Y5B
19 <sup>th</sup>	Cameron G	Y5B
20 <sup>th</sup>	Stuart L	Y1A

### Book Fair

A massive thank you to all of our families that came to the book fair, as a result of this we have **£700 to spend on books for our libraries.**



## Easter Egg Decorating Competition Winners

Wow, what imaginations our children have, we have Spongebob eggs, Spiderman Eggs, Eggs from Disney movies, Minecraft, Stranger things and even I'm a celebrity, and off course we had some '67's' made too.

Our winners are:

<b>Year Group</b>	<b>Winner</b>
Nursery	Ada H
YRA	Srinish V
YRB	Isabel
Y1A	Jet H
Y1B	Jack L
Y2A	Hope H
Y2B	Jude W
Y3A	Liana R
Y3B	Amber C & Rosie M
Y4A	Lily O'B
Y4B	Holly D
Y5A	Elizah S
Y5B	Ella B
Y6A	Emily B
Y6B	Scarlett H



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### Bye Bye Bagels

We've had a fantastic time being part of the Bagel Breakfast/Brunch programme, but our journey with it has now come to an end.

Since September 2024, we've been incredibly lucky to take part and, in that time, we've received an amazing 23,730 bagels!

You may have already seen our exciting plans to launch a new breakfast club in September. Until then, from April to July, bagels won't be available at breakfast or break time.

The good news is that our daily fruit snack will still be provided for everyone to enjoy!



### Baby News

We have some exciting news; Mr Burrell and his wife are expecting a baby any day now, making him a dad of 2!

And .....

Mr Rippon is also expecting, although his wife is due to have twins! Making him a dad of 3. We wish you all the best and hope to see the babies for snuggles very soon.



## OPAL Items

We are excited to share that we now have a range of OPAL items for sale including snap bands, bracelets and a teddy keyring! All profits raised will go directly back into our OPAL provision, helping to further enhance play opportunities for the children.

The children have already been sharing their ideas for how we can use the funds, with popular suggestions so far including roller skates, hula hoops and footballs. The sale will take place during morning break times after the Easter holidays. If children would like to purchase any items, the shop will be open from **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April during morning break**. Please note we will only be able to accept cash. Please see the image for items available. Thank you for your continued support!

[Article 31 I have the right to rest, relax and play](#)



## Parents Sky Dive

One of our Y2 parents is completing a skydive in April, he has chosen to donate any funds raised to school,

Please click on this link to their [GoFundMe Page](#) and donate if you are able to do so.



## Y6 Hoodies

It's that time of year, in order for our Y6 students to have their hoodies for as long as possible we have sent an email to all Y6 parents today with instructions on how to order a hoodie.

Parents will need to fill in the [google form](#) to choose the colour and size needed and pay in the Arbor app to order the hoodie.



## Asthma Cards/Inhalers

If your child has Asthma please ensure that they have a spare (and in date) inhaler in school.

If there Asthma medication/dosage has changed at their last review, we may require another Asthma Card to be completed.



## Y3 Beach Trip

Our Y3's trip is planned for the 20<sup>th</sup> May to South Shields where they will take part in Rockpooling and have beach games.

Please sign up via Trips on Arbor.



## Dinner Money Price Increase

On the 1<sup>st</sup> April the cost of our school meals will rise to **£3 per day/£15 per week** for pupils in years 3, 4, 5 & 6.

We understand that any rise may be of concern however, this is inline with other schools in our area.

If you think that you may be eligible for Free School Meals please fill in the form [here](#)

## Swimming Lessons

Our Y3 swimming lessons have now come to an end Y5 will be taking over, with Y5A on a Monday and Y5B on a Tuesday.

## Y4 Residential

Year 4 pupils will have the opportunity to take part in a residential experience at Lingey House, which will involve overnight camping stay on the school grounds.

The residential will take place on the 18 – 19<sup>th</sup> June

**Deposit of £25 by the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2026**

**1<sup>st</sup> Payment of £25 by the 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026**

**Last payment of £25 by the 1<sup>st</sup> June 2026**



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## Y5 Ford Castle Residential

Payment Schedule as follows:

**Final payment - £90 by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April**



## Y6 London Visit

Now we are in 2026, the countdown to our end of Year 6 Residential to London is officially on!

Thank you to parents/carers for all payments so far.

Reminder that the final payment of **£149** is due on **22<sup>nd</sup> April 2026**.



## Toddler Group

Our toddler group has moved to a Monday afternoon 1:30 – 2:30pm in the main school.

The Toddler Group is open to the whole community. Cash donations are welcome each week.



## Toys in school

To keep school safe and fun for everyone, please make sure children leave toys, make-up, and keyring toys at home. These can easily get lost or cause distractions. Thank you for your understanding and support!

## After School Clubs

At Lingey House, we have always been proud to offer a wide range of clubs across the school that enrich our pupils' experiences and support their personal development

We have decided not to charge for after school clubs as the previous take up had declined, children can only attend 1 club per half term.

**Clubs will run from 20<sup>th</sup> April -22<sup>nd</sup> May  
3.15pm until 4.15pm - Collection from the School Office.  
Bookings open tonight at 4:30pm.**

Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain these valuable activities for our children.

Day	Club	Year	Ran by	Places
<b>Monday</b>	Drawing Club	Y4/Y5	Mrs Goulty-Brown & Mrs McCallum	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Media Makes	Y2/Y3	Miss Maddison & Miss Smith	Places available – please book via Arbor
<b>Tuesday</b>	Film Club	Y2	Mrs Crawford & Mrs Masson	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Football	Y3/Y4	Mr Burrell	Places available – please book via Arbor
<b>Wednesday</b>	Mindfulness	YR/Y1	Miss Hughes & Miss Drummond	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Dodgeball	Y4/Y5/Y6	Mr Burrell	Places available – please book via Arbor
<b>Thursday</b>	Drawing Club	Y1/Y2	Mrs Cook	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Art	YR/Y1	Mrs Dellow & Miss Hughes	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Cooking	Y3/Y4/Y5	Mrs Jackson & Mrs Moyle	Places available – please book via Arbor

**Article 15: You have the right to be with friends and joining clubs.**

## Collections/Picking up from School

We require prior notice if someone other than the approved emergency contacts is picking up your child from school.

If you have someone that regular picks up you child, please add them to the Arbor app with 'Can collect' permissions as this is what we use to check that your child can be handed over.

**Exciting Family Fun at**  
**NELSAM!**  
NORTH EAST LAND, SEA AND AIR MUSEUM

**LIVING HISTORY WEEKENDS:**

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY  
**7TH & 8TH MARCH**  
**25TH & 26TH APRIL**  
**1ST & 2ND AUGUST**  
**17TH & 18TH OCTOBER**

SPRING CLASSIC CAR SHOW  
SUNDAY **17TH MAY**

SUMMER CLASSIC CAR SHOW  
SUNDAY **9TH AUGUST**

SPECIAL LIONESSES CHARITY  
FUND RAISING EVENT  
SUNDAY **26TH JULY**

**MUSEUM ENTRY FEES APPLY TO ALL EVENTS**

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT  
**WWW.NELSAM.ORG.UK**

# 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!

<u>Class</u>	<u>This week's attendance</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>This week's attendance</u>
YRA	91.67%	Y3B	90.63%
YRB	93.1%	Y4A	96.37%
Y1A	97.28%	Y4B	94.17%
<b>Y1B</b>	<b>98.3%</b>	Y5A	95.54%
Y2A	96.25%	Y5B	92.41%
Y2B	94.94%	Y6A	95.83%
Y3A	98.15%	Y6B	96.67%
Whole School Attendance:		<b>94.44%</b>	

## *Out of School* Achievements

Please email Out of School Achievements to [office@lingeypouse.org](mailto:office@lingeypouse.org)

### **A Huge Well Done to... Evelyn**

Evelyn competed at the Revolution Rise cheer competition this weekend. Her team achieved an excellent rating and "hit zero" which means they had no deductions and performed a perfect routine. We are so proud of you Evelyn.

Well Done Evelyn.

