

# Lingey House Primary and Nursery School



### Newsletter 9 – 14th November 2025

#### Children in Need 2025

WOW, Lingey House never disappoints, what a turnout for Children in Need today, we have loved seeing everyone's outfits and Pudsey ears.

This year's theme is 'Challenge yourself to 25' and our Rights Respecting and OPAL Ambassadors have been worked hard to think of ways we could challenge ourselves to 25 around school. Including finding 25 Pudsey Bears around school.



All donations made in school today will go towards this brilliant cause.

We have raised over £100 – Well done Lingey House

Article 26: If my family need it, they should get money to help bring me up.

#### **Pantomime Permission**

Amazing news!

We have secured tickets and travel for all of our children in Year 1 – 6 to go to see Cinderella at the Tyne Theatre and Opera House! We are very excited to be able to offer our children this opportunity and it's thanks to the generosity of our parents at our fundraising events!

Parental consent is now live on Arbor.

Please sign up asap or our office staff will have to contact you...



oh no they\_won't.... Oh yes, they will!

#### Parents Data on Arbor

Please can you make sure that anyone with Parental Responsibility has at least one contact number and email address along with your home address on Arbor.



Thank you – School Admin Team

#### **Christmas Lunch**

Our Christmas Lunch is being held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December, children in YR, Y1 & Y2 will automatically be given the option. **Children in Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6** will need to book a meal on Arbor (via Clubs) to let us know if you would like to pre-book a Christmas Lunch.

Please respond by the 27th November for our cook to order the supplies.



#### **Headlice**

We've had a few cases of head lice reported in school, so we kindly ask that you check your children's hair regularly. If you spot any live lice, please treat them as soon as possible. Children are welcome back at school once they've been treated.

Thank you so much for your 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. Moving forwards, to help us continue providing these opportunities, we will be kindly asking for a small contribution of £5 per child for a 5-week block to help cover running costs.

Please note that for certain clubs, such as Cooking Club, the contribution may be slightly higher due to the cost of ingredients and materials.

Our clubs will run for 5 weeks this half term from the 10<sup>th</sup> November until the 12<sup>th</sup> December. Clubs for Spring term will be announced after the Christmas Break

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

If you do not have an Arbor account, please contact the school office.

Day	Club	Year	Ran by	Places
Monday	Christmas	Y1	Mrs Atkinson	Places available –
	Karaoke			please book via Arbor
Tuesday	Christmas Crafts	Y2	Mrs Masson &	Places available –
	& Film		Miss Hughes	please book via Arbor
	Basketball	Y5/Y6	Mr Burrell	FULL
Wednesday	Card Making	Y3/Y6	Mrs Wood & Mrs	Places available –
			Moyle	please book via Arbor
	Sports Club	Y1/Y2	Mr Burrell	FULL
	Christmas	Y2	Miss Maddison	Places available –
	Activities			please book via Arbor
Thursday	Christmas Crafts	Y1	Mrs Cook	Places available –
				please book via Arbor
	Drawing Club	Y3/Y4	Mrs Jackson	Places available –
				please book via Arbor
	Christmas Crafts	Y3/Y4/Y5	Mrs Dellow	FULL

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

#### Nursery Stay & Play



#### Family Learning

We have another family learning offer, this time for Year 1 and Y2 parents, if you would like to attend please sign up in Arbor.



#### **Charity Clothes Bank**

You may have noticed that we now have a charity clothes bank on site! We'd really appreciate it if you could encourage your family and friends to use it to donate any unwanted clothing. Every donation supports a good cause and helps our school too.

The clothes bank is located next to the main pedestrian gate, and it's open for the whole community to use. Thank you for your support!!

Items that can be recycled.

- Adult clothes
- Children clothes
- Bags
- Accessories
- Paired Shoes
- Bras



#### Fixed Play Equipment

Polite reminder that children are not to play on the fixed play climbing frames before and after school.

#### **Bikes**

Could parents/carers please refrain from riding their bikes in the school grounds.

Article 24: We all have the right to information which keeps us safe and healthy.

#### **Smoking & Vaping**

Reminder that our whole school site is non-smoking, this includes vapes and e-cigarettes. Please refrain from using these on school grounds.



Article 24: We all have the right to information which keeps us safe and healthy.

#### **Coffee Morning**

Hannah, our Family Support Worker is continuing our coffee mornings. These take place every week, on a Tuesday morning from 9–10pm in the lodge. Please come along, everyone is welcome.



Article 5: We have the right to be given guidance by our parents Article 26: We have the right to help from the government if we are in need.

#### **Toddler Group**

Our toddler group has moved to a **Monday afternoon 1.30-2.30** in the main school.



This will commence on the 10<sup>th</sup> November 2025 and open to the whole community. Cash donations are welcome each we ek.

#### **Parking Reminder**

Please can we kindly ask all parents and carers to behave respectfully towards our local residents and fellow parents during school drop-off and pick-up times.

We have received a number of reports regarding confrontations and the use of inappropriate language around children. As a school, we do not condone this behaviour and ask everyone to help us maintain a safe and respectful environment.

When parking, please remember to:

- Park safely and responsibly
- Do not block driveways
- Avoid parking on yellow lines or pavements
- Be kind and considerate to our neighbours

Let's work together to ensure our school community remains safe, respectful, and welcoming for everyone.

# POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT WORKSHOPS

Are you ever worried about your child's behaviour and aren't sure how best to help?

Do you want to better understand their needs and support them through those tricky times?

These workshops help parents think about strategies and to come up with a plan that focuses on a good life for your child and your family.

#### **GATESHEAD**

Thursday 20th and 27<sup>th</sup> of November, and Monday 1<sup>st</sup> of December 10am - 2pm Deckham Family Hub, Elgin Centre, Elgin Road, Gateshead NE9 5PA

Booking is essential. Please note you need to attend all 3 days of the course.

I wish it was available to all parents.

I loved hearing other people's stories about their own families! I felt valued and supported.



If someone in your family is under 18, and is autistic, has a learning disability or is waiting for a diagnosis of autism or a learning disability, please come along.

To book your place, get in touch with Skills for People and ask for the PBS team. Tel: 0191 281 8737 or e-mail: information@skillsforpeople.org.uk







Positive Behavioural Support



North East and North Cumbria



#### **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	<u>Class</u>	<u>This week's attendance</u>
YRA	90.64%	Y3B	93.57%
YRB	99.31%	Y4A	94.67%
Y1A	93.91%	Y4B	98.67%
Y1B	98.18%	Y5A	93.1%
Y2A	87.67%	Y5B	88.21%
Y2B	88%	Y6A	94.81%
Y3A	94.29%	Y6B	98%
Whole School Attendance: 93.48%			

#### **This Week's Superstars**



I would like to say a huge well done to all this week's superstars watch out for their special certificate given out in Assembly!

Our superstars for this week are as follows

Year Group	
Reception	Roben L & Ella M
Y1	Esmae S & Jack L
Y2	Rocco B & Grace W
Y3	Arya P & Valeria T
Y4	Alfie L & Jak C
Y5	Robyn B & Layla D
Y6	Jorge G & Ahmad S

#### **Times Table Rockstars**



Highest Coin Earners		Class
1 st	Jace S	Y4A
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Josh I	T4B
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Logen D	Y4A
Bigge	Biggest Improvement in Studio Speed	
1 st	Dylan N	Y4A
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Evie-Grace S	Y3B
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Aria McD	Y4B
Golden Guitar Winner – Y4B		

#### **Accelerated Reader**



Children in Y2 - Y6 who have read the highest number of quizzes in their Year group this week

are:

Name	Year Group
Норе Н	Y2
Arya P	Y3
Owen W	Y4
Alexis T	Y5
Leo H	Y6
Golden Book Winner	Y2A

Accelerated Reader

The Golden Book goes to the Class with the greatest number of quizzes completed.

### This week's House Tokens

This week's winner is HYLTON.

Bamburgh
250

Warkworth
210

Lumley
115

Dunstanburgh
220

Alnwick
225

### **Dates for the Diary**

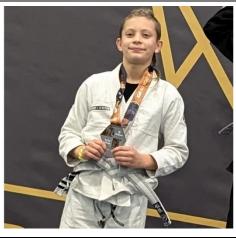
<u>Date/time</u>	<u>Event</u>	Who's involved
8 <sup>th</sup> December 25	KS2 Carol Service	Parents of Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6
Y3 & Y6 9.30-10.15	St Andrew's Church	
Y4 & Y5 – 10.30-11.15		
8 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Nursery Stay & Play	Parents of Nursery
For times, please see post above.		Children
9 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Y2 Christmas Sing Song	Parents of Y2 Children
9.30am-10.30pm		
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner	Whole School
10 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Reception Performance	Parents of Reception
2pm		children
11 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Cinderella Pantomime	Y1-Y6 Students
morning	Y1-Y6	
12 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Y1 Christmas Sing Song	Parents of Y1 Children
2.00pm-3.00pm		
16th December 2025	Nursery Christmas Party	Nursery Children
15 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Reception Christmas Party	Reception Children
1.30pm		
16 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Y5/Y6 Christmas Party	Y5/Y6 Children
1.30pm		
17 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Y3/Y4 Christmas Party	Y3/Y4 Children
1.30pm		
18 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	Y1/Y2 Christmas Party	Y1/Y2 Children
1.30pm		
19 <sup>th</sup> December 25	Last Day of Term	Whole School



## A Huge Well Done to... Edward!

Edward won The Silver Medal last week at the Empire Grappling Jujutsu Competition in Leeds.

Well done Edward!





#### A Huge Well Done to... Caleb!

Caleb achieved 25m at swimming.

Well done Caleb!

# A Huge Well Done to... Alex!

Alex got his 5 metre swimming certificate and medal at swimming lessons this week!

Well done Alex!

