



Lingey House Primary and Nursery School



Newsletter 3 – 20th September 2024

Parent Governor Vacancy

We have a parent governor vacancy on our governing board and are now looking to fill that vacancy. Children have brought a letter home tonight which explains more about being a parent governor and has a nomination form attached.

If you are interested in becoming a parent governor, please pick up a nomination form from the school office and return to the school by **Friday 4th October 2024**. You are more than welcome to ring for a chat if you have any queries before completing the form.



School Photographer

Our School Photographer, Tempest, will be in school on Tuesday, **1st October** to take individual and sibling photographs. Parents who would like to have photographs taken with older/younger siblings who do not attend this school should come into school at **8:20am** to have their photographs taken.



Hello Yellow Day ●

On the **10th October**, we would like children to come to school wearing something yellow. We will be celebrating Hello Yellow Day to focus on mental health and to show children that they are not alone. We always prioritise mental health in school and will also use the day as an opportunity to remind children of all of the positive things they can do and how and where to seek help should they need it.

We are not fund raising on this occasion so no donations are required. As always please do not buy anything special, you can adapt or customize something you already have or wear another bright colour.

Year 2 Trip to Beamish

Year 2 will be visiting Beamish on **Wednesday 9th October**, Please sign up via Arbor on trips to consent for your child taking part.



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Y4 Visit

Y4 will be visiting the Victoria Tunnel linked to their history topic.

Y4A – 8th October 2024

Y4B – 15th October 2024

Please sign up via Arbor on trips to consent for your child taking part.



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Year 4 History Immersion Day – World War II

To end their history topic about the home front during WW2, year 4 pupils will be having a history immersion day on **Thursday 24th October** with lots of fun activities to extend their learning about the home front.

Parents are invited to join us for the last part of the day from **2pm until 3.15pm** to see what the children have been learning about and join in with some activities (only one adult per child please as we have limited room in the classrooms.)

Children are welcome to come dressed in 1940's evacuee clothes for this day if they wish. This is not compulsory as we are aware that some children do not enjoy dressing up. Please do not go to any expense. Some pictures are attached to give you some ideas if needed. School trousers or skirt, a polo shirt and an evacuee label will look great! We look forward to seeing you.



Year 6 Residential

A huge thank you to all parents that attended the meetings, don't worry if you could not make it, all Y6 children will come home with a letter tonight with full details of the trip and an itinerary for the 3 days.

Sign up is open via Trips in Arbor.

A non-refundable deposit of **£50** is required confirm your child's place this can either be paid in full or

£25 by Wednesday 9th October 24

£25 by Wednesday 30th October 24

Thanks, Year 6 Team



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Christmas Support



We are working with Local Charities to offer support to our families over the Christmas period.

This may include, food parcels, toiletries and presents, for your family. If you would like this support please see our Family Support Worker, Hannah before **Friday 1st November 2024**.

Please note, all conversations will be treated confidentially, and also this support is not means tested.



🎯 Y4/5 Girls Football 🎯

It's impossible to put into words just how impressive this team is. They're sensational footballers with an amazing team spirit! Watching them smiling and playing is an absolute pleasure. 🎯

The girls shot through the group stage scoring a hat full of goals, conceding their first goal of the tournament in the fifth and final game of the group! 🙌

We sadly exited the competition at the quarter final stage, after a closely fought game, to a very good side. But we will be back! 🙌

Keep shining girls! You're amazing! 🙌



Reception Stay & Play

Stay and Play

Reception will be hosting a
Phonics Stay & Play to
support with phonics at
home on **Wednesday the
16th October at 2pm** (Meet
in the main entrance).

We would love to see you for
refreshments and an information sharing
session in the main hall, followed by
phonic activities in the classroom with
your child.

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.



Parking

Please can all Parents/Carers ensure that at school pickup and drop off times that they behave respectfully towards residents and other parents, parking and park responsibly. A number of incidents have been reported to school of confrontations and abusive language being used around children which as a school we do not condone.

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!



Article 5: We have the right to be given guidance by our parents and family.

Article 26: We have the right to help from the government if we are in need.



Asda Rewards

Asda have launched the Asda Rewards Cashpot for Schools scheme, if you already have the app, please can you link it to Lingey House Primary, please can you ask family and friends to do so, as this will benefit our students greatly.

A promotional graphic for the Asda Rewards Cashpot for Schools scheme. It features a green banner at the top with the text 'you scan, WE DONATE ££s TO SCHOOLS.' in white and yellow. Below the banner is a photograph of a group of children and an adult in a supermarket aisle. The main body of the graphic is white with a grid-like background. It contains three numbered steps: 1. Download and sign up to the Asda Rewards app. 2. Shop in store across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com. 3. Asda does the rest. At the bottom, it states: 'Once opted in and selected a school, we will add £1 to your chosen schools Cashpot to help get them started. Each school will get an additional £50 added to their Cashpot, after at least one customer has shopped and scanned their Rewards app.' There are also buttons for 'Download on the App Store' and 'GET IT ON Google Play'.

Cheerleading Breakfast Club

We have an exciting opportunity for Year 5 and 6 pupils to be cheerleaders at the Newcastle Eagles on **Friday 18th October 2024**.

To be part of this wonderful opportunity please sign up to our Tuesday morning cheerleading club via Arbor. Tickets are now available to purchase via the school office £10 each.



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

The first indoor break of the year arrived this week, the rain yesterday was outrageous and although we strive to be out in all weathers it would have been past silly playing in that. The children do always ask for an opal swimming pool though and some of the puddles were definitely big enough...



Although this does bring up an important point, **please can you get those wellies and waterproofs in.** Remember they don't have to be anything fancy as long as they fit and ideally can be left in school.

If you can't get any wellies, please let us know!

The wet weather cloakroom is going to be fully re-opening after half-term. Hooray! It has been closed this term to promote children bringing in their own wellies and also because some sneaky children had been taking the wellies from the cloakroom instead of using their own, meaning we had no wellies to give to those who didn't have any... but rest assured we caught those welly thieves and all wellies were returned!



Opal Newsletter 27-09-24



Not so fancy dress...

There was an unholy commotion this week, down next to the stage and we just had to go check it out. What did we discover? Well obviously, nothing other than a group of children, dressed in hula skirts perfectly reciting Waka-Waka by Shakira.



You thought that was mad. What about this lot...



Just another average day at ~~Linney~~ House. Keep expressing yourself however you want kids, we love it!

School Meal Menu Change



Edberts House

OCTOBER HALF TERM! HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES!

We have lots of fun and exciting activities coming up in October Half Term!

Please click on this link for further information

<https://www.facebook.com/edbertshouse1719>



After School Clubs

We are excited to offer a wide range of after-school clubs. Places are limited, please only sign up to one place per child. Places are available to book via Arbor.

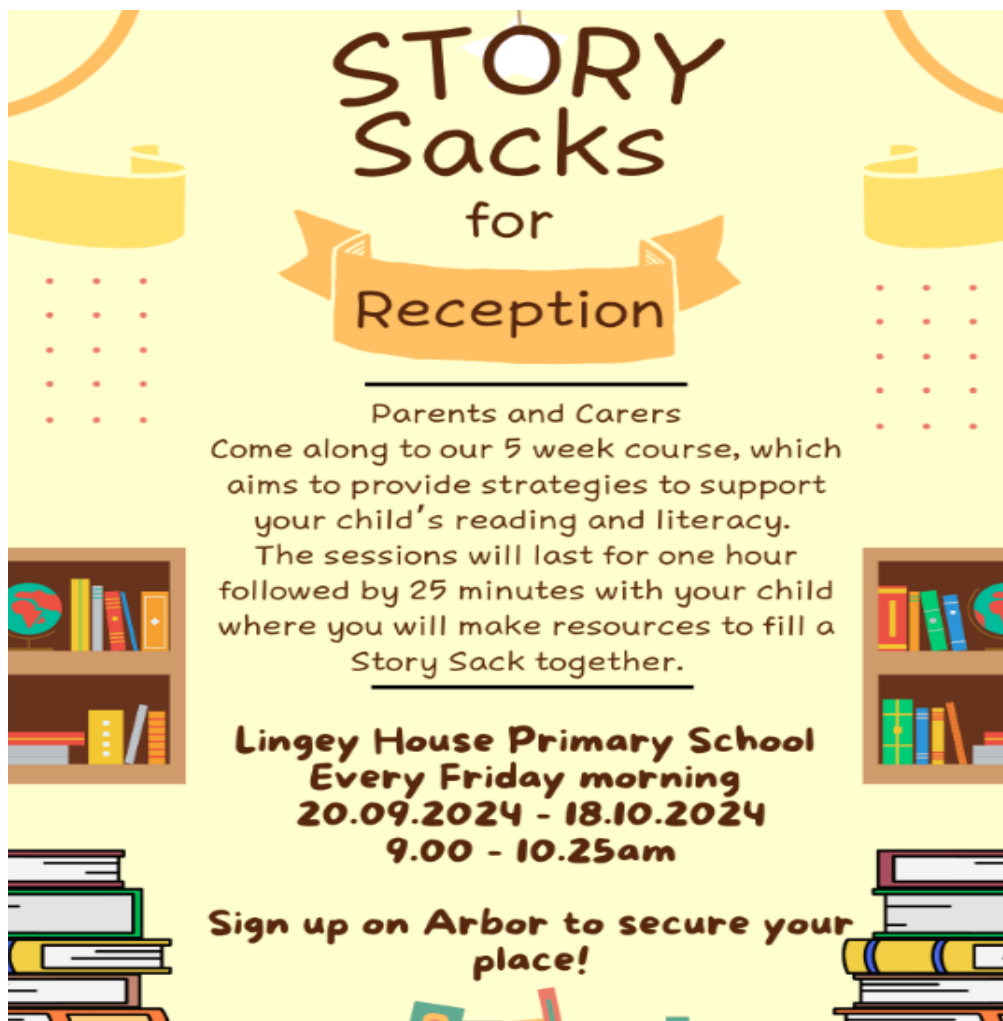
If you do not have an Arbor account, please contact the school office.

Day	Club	Year	Ran by	Places
Tuesday	Breakfast Cheerleading	Y5/Y6	Coach	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Bringing Stories to Life	Y1	Mrs Crawford	Places available – please book via Arbor
	Legos & Puzzle	Y3	Mrs Moyle	FULL
	Wellbeing	Y6	Mrs Masson & Mrs Burrell	Places available – please book via Arbor
Wednesday	Bringing Stories to Life	Y2	Mrs Atkinson	FULL
	Football	Y4	Mr Burrell	FULL
Thursday	Duck	Y5	Miss Hamilton	FULL
	Football	Y5/Y6	Mr Rippon & Mr Bloomfield	FULL

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Family Learning

Please book on Arbor for the Family Learning sessions available for Reception parents, places are limited.



STORY Sacks
for
Reception

Parents and Carers
Come along to our 5 week course, which aims to provide strategies to support your child's reading and literacy.
The sessions will last for one hour followed by 25 minutes with your child where you will make resources to fill a Story Sack together.

Lingey House Primary School
Every Friday morning
20.09.2024 - 18.10.2024
9.00 - 10.25am

Sign up on Arbor to secure your place!

Ducks 2024 – 2025

Early Years - Children in Nursery and Reception are welcome to bring in food from home to feed the ducks on their set days and we will prepare this in class.

Rest of the School – During OPAL each day, children will be allowed to feed the ducks at lunchtime with Miss Brown and Mr Burrell. If you are wanting to feed the ducks, please bring food into school and keep this with you in your class until lunch time. Please remember duck food needs chopped up small before feeding them 😊

Any donations of food that your child is not wanting to feed to the ducks, please drop these at the school office and they will hand them down to Early Years or OPAL.

Feeding		
Monday	Toddlers	Nursery 30hours
Tuesday	Rec A	
Wednesday	Nursery 15 hours PM	
Thursday	Nursery 15 hours AM	
Friday	Rec B	

What do Ducks like to Eat?

Please do not feed them – oranges, mushrooms, avocados, bread, crackers, cereals

Sweetcorn and peas (Frozen or tinned)	Greens, herbs and weeds – cut grass from the garden, fresh herbs like oregano, basil, mint, calendula, parsley
Lettuce (Bag or a ball of lettuce)	Fruits – strawberries, blueberries, raspberries, watermelon, melon, pears, peaches, banana
Tinned potatoes - not Potato skins	Seeds – squash, pumpkins, tomatoes, melons, mangos, pomegranates, wild bird seed
Tomatoes	Hard boiled eggs with shells
Oats	Veg – beans, cucumber, cabbage, broccoli, spinach, kale

Our school are trying to develop the Quack Shack to make it the best we possibly can for the ducks to live but also, to make it as sustainable as possible.

If anyone would like to donate anything towards our ducks, we are looking for the following items:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hay bail for bedding or bags of animal bedding• Herbs to plant in pots (living herbs or seeds) Rosemary, peppermint, chives & coriander.• Old bags of compost, grow bags and topsoil• Egg boxes (to allow us to collect the eggs and sell them)• Clover and grass seed | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planters, troughs & large plant pots• Fruit and vegetable seeds• Large rocks, stones and rockery (no building materials)• Stackers boxes and large bins to store food• Plastic pond liner• Pea gravel• Wild bird seed |
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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	97.14%	Y3B	97.24%
YRB	96.36%	Y4A	92.67%
Y1A	92.76%	Y4B	94%
Y1B	98.28%	Y5A	94.83%
Y2A	96.67%	Y5B	88%
Y2B	94.07%	Y6A	95.33%
Y3A	95.33%	Y6B	98.67%
Whole School Attendance:		94.58%	

This week's Superstars

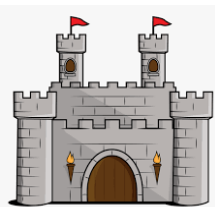


I would like to say a huge well done to all this week's superstars watch out for their special certificate given out in Assembly! Our superstars for this week are as follows

Year Group	
Reception	Brodie A & Jett H
Y1	Jenna D & Jude W
Y2	Timmy F & Hallie J
Y3	Dylan N & Ivy-Jo S
Y4	Jaxon G & Haydn S
Y5	Emilee B & Lennon B
Y6	Charlotte G & Lexi-Mae D

This week's House Tokens

This week's winner is **ALNWICK!**



Bamburgh	280
Hylton	310
Warkworth	330
Lumley	295
Dunstanburgh	300
Alnwick	365

Times Table Rockstars



Biggest Earner	Class
Jack S	Y6A
Mia M	Y6B
Kenver H	Y6B
Biggest Increase in Speed	
Matty W	Y6A
Alexis T	Y4B
Harrison M	Y4A
Minutes Played	
Jack S	Y6A
Evelyn S	Y2B
Tommy D	Y2B
Golden Guitar Winner – 2B	

Out of School Achievements

Please email Out of School Achievements to office@lingeyschool.org



**A huge well done to...
Lenny!**

Lenny got star of the week at swimming this week.

Well done, Lenny.

**A huge well done to...
Brandon!**

Brandon was Man of the match in his football game, winning 9-3 scoring 4 goals ⚽

Well done, Brandon.



**A huge well done to...
Alarnah!**

Alarnah started gymnastics around Easter time and has received her Level 2 certificate this weekend.

Well done, Alarnah.





A huge well done to... Ailsa, Lily & Chloe!

Ailsa, Lily and Chloe competed at the June McKenna competition in Birtley on Saturday morning. Ailsa came 2nd in her group, Lily came 1st in her group and Chloe 1st in her group. Well done girls!

Well done, Ailsa, Lily and Chloe.

Dates for the Diary

<u>Date/time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Who's involved</u>
Tuesday 1 st October	School Photographer	Whole School
Thursday 10 th October	Hello Yellow Day	Whole School
Wednesday 16 th October	Reception Stay & Play 2-3pm	Reception Year Group & Parents
Friday 18 th October	Cheerleading at Newcastle Eagles	Cheerleading participants & 1 adult.
Thursday 24 th October	Y4 History Immersion Day 2pm-3.15pm (parents)	Y4 Students & Parents
28 th October - 1 st November	Half Term	Whole School
Friday 25 th October	Lingey House Pumpkin Patch 2.00pm	Whole School
Friday 20 th December	Last Day of Term	Whole School
Spring Term		
Tuesday 7 th January 2025	School Re-Opens	Whole School
24 th - 28 th February 2025	Half Term	Whole School
Friday 11 th April 2025	Last Day of Term	Whole School
Summer Term		
Monday 28 th April 2025	School Re-Opens	Whole School
5 th May 2025	Bank Holiday	Whole School
26 th – 30 th May 2025	Half Term	Whole School
2 nd June 2025	Occasional Day	School Closed to Children
3 rd June 2025	Inset Day	School Closed to Children
18 th July 2025	Last Day of Term	Whole School