Larchfield Primary & Nursery School

Thursday 23rd October

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‘Be the family you want’

Dear Parents and Carer givers,

Well, it’s the end of the first half term, and wow is everyone ready for it! Thank you to everyone who has supported us in this very busy time. The next half term will be even busier in the run up to Christmas, there went and said it, as we continue to fit in all the academic stuff too!

Thank you to our super staff who go the extra mile for our children every day.

We held our Geography Week this week, where the children have been learning lots about the country we live in. There has been a lot of cooking, crafts, research and discussions going on around school which has been lovely to see. I’m sure some of the children have brought home their creations of scones and shortbread, they have even been enthusiastically making delicious Panhaggerty!

Reception spooky learning and dancing!

Yummy cream teas for Year 1, I think we can safely say a succes!

Year 2 and their study of Scotland including shortbread making.

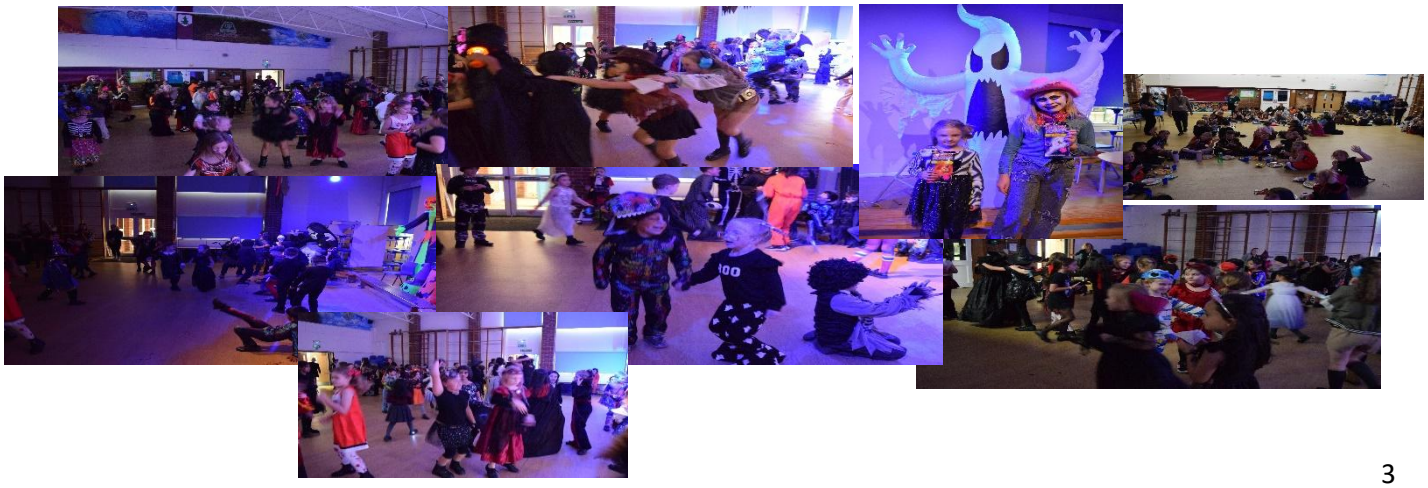
Non edible rock making in Y3.

Y4 were researching and learning about the Romans in the South East of England

Making and enjoying Panhaggerty in Y5 as they studied Lindisfarne.

Y6 making World War 2 recipe pasties.

What a fangtastic time the children had at the disco last night, there was a lot of singing, dancing, eating and generally ghoulish behaviour! 😊 Thank you PTFA for organising and staff for staying to help and joining in the fun!



Well done to our certificate winners this week.
Please remember to book your Parents' Evening slots for after the break.

Please also remember we are now half way through the term for the home learning grid too. It will be great to complete the activities during half term. The more activities they complete the more you are supporting your child's learning.

Please do take a moment of thought for our fabulous Chair of Governors, Pat Latimer, who passed away last Friday, we already miss her terribly.

So, now we stop to breath for a little while!

Have a great and safe half term

Mrs Kearney
Headteacher

Flying High: 150 Years of Birds and Beaks

Free family activities and birds of prey shows at Eton's Natural History Museum, celebrating the museums 150th anniversary.

Join us for a fun range of half term family activities at the Natural History Museum on the 30th October.

The museum will be open 1 – 4 pm.

Free entry – no need to book.

For more information, visit: https://collections.etoncollege.com/whats-on/events/11036/

Natural History Museum, Eton College, South Meadow Lane, Windsor SL4 6ES

**Please remember all questions to teachers or home learning communications should be sent to asktheteacher@larchfieldschool.co.uk. Absences and other enquiries go to the school office email larchfield@larchfieldschool.co.uk All new entries/changes are in green

Please note that events organised/supported by the PTFA can only go ahead if parents become more active members of the PTFA.

Date	Event
Fri 24th October	INSET Day
W/C 27th October	Halt term (1 week)
Mon 3rd Nov	INSET DAY
Tues 4th November – 4.30pm -7.30pm	Parents' Evenings
Thurs 6th November	Flu immunisation for Rec/1/2/3/4/5/6
W/C 10th Nov	Kindness Week
Tues 11th Nov – 3.30-5.30	Parents' Evenings
Tues 11th November – 10.45	Remembrance Day service – parents welcome
Fri 14th November	Mufti day – donations for Christmas fair donations please TBC
Wed 19th November – 9.30	Reception 2026 tours
Tues 25th November – 9.00	Year 4 sharing assembly
Wed 26th November – 2.45	Maths workshop for parents/carers – place value
Wed 26th November – 9.30	Reception 2026 tours
Wed 3rd December	Reception 2026 tours
Thurs 4th December	Snowflake Day – Christmas/winter themed tops
Sat 6th December	Christmas Fair 11.00-2.30

Wed 10th December – 11.00/3.00	Nursery sing-a-long with parents
Wed 10th December – 9.30	iRock concert – invite only
Wed 17th December	Christmas lunch
Thurs 11th December – 9.30	YR – Nativity
Thurs 18th December – 9.30	Y1/2 Nativity
Thurs 18th December	Class parties
Fri 19th December – 1.00 – school end 1.30'	Carols round the tree
Mon 22nd Dec	Christmas break (2 weeks)
Mon 5th January	Return to school
Wed 7th January – 9.30	Reception 2026 tours
Tues 3rd February – 9.00	Y1 sharing assembly
Tues 10th February	Safer internet day
Mon 16th February	Half term (1 week)
Mon 23rd Feb	INSET DAY
W/C 2nd March	Book Week
Fri 6th March	World Book Day – themed costumes
Thurs 12th March – 2.15	Mothers' Day – Afternoon Tea – YR Mummies TBC
Fri 13th March – 2.15	Mothers' Day – Afternoon Tea – Y1 Mummies TBC
W/C 16th March	Neurodiversity celebration week
Tues 17th March	YR sharing assembly
Tues 24th March	Spring Disco - TBC
Wed 25th March – 9.30	iRock concert
Thurs 26th March – 6.00	Y3/4 production
Fri 27th March	Easter Bonnet Parade TBC
Fri 27th March	Interim Reports
Mon 30th March	Easter break (2 weeks)
Tues 14th April 4.30-7.30pm	Parents' evenings
Thurs 16th April 3.30-5.30pm	Parents' evenings
Mon 4th May	Bank Holiday
W/C 11th May	KS2 SATs Week
Tues 19th May	Y5 Sharing assembly
Mon 25th May	Half term (1 week)
Mon 1st June	INSET Day
W/C Mon 1st June	Start of Y4 Multiplication Check
Thurs 4/5th June	Year 5 Camp
W/C 8th June	Phonics Screening Check
Thurs 11th June – 9.00	Year 2 Sharing assembly
Fri 12th June	School Games day (25th reserve date)
Fri 19th June – 2.15	Fathers' Day Scavenger Hunt – YR/1
Fri 19th June	Mufti day – donations for Summer Fair please
Mon 15-17th June	Y6 Paccar
Sat 4th July	Summer Fair 11-2.30 TBC
Thurs 9th July – 6.00	Y5/6 production
Thurs 9th July – 4.00	2026 Reception children Teddy Bear Picnic
Wed 15th July – 9.30	iRock concert
Thurs 16th July – 6.00	Meet the Teacher evening
Fri 17th July	End of year reports
Fri 17th July	Year 6 Leavers' afternoon tea TBC
Monday 20th July – 6.00	Y6 Awards night
Tues 21st July	Whole school trip TBC
Wed 22nd July – 1.30	End of term