



Lingey House Primary and Nursery School

Newsletter 22 - 18th March 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a great week celebrating British Science Week in school and the children (and staff) have had so much fun! There are some great videos and photos on our Facebook page if you want to see more of what we have been up to. Thank you to everyone who has supported Red Nose Day. The children looked fantastic with all the red outfits and accessories and it is great to raise money for such a good cause. Best wishes, Mrs Wilkinson.

Girls' Football

It was amazing to see so many girls attend our football trials on Monday.



From these trials, nine girls were selected to play against Harlow Green on Thursday. The girls worked extremely hard to defeat Harlow Green to progress to the finals. All the girls showed excellent teamwork and were fantastic ambassadors for the school. This game was many of the girls' first competitive game of football and they thoroughly deserve a lot of credit.



In preparation for the finals, Mr Rippon and Mr Bloomfield will be hosting an after-school training session on Thursday 24th March where all girls from years 5 & 6 are invited to attend. No booking is required- just turn up!

Well done!

British Science Week 2022

We've had lots of fun this week celebrating British Science Week. Our children have had lots of fun taking part in exciting chemistry experiments alongside their 'Growth' projects.

Linking in with this year's theme of 'Growth', our children have also started lots of agricultural and environmental long-term studies.

Nursery and Reception children have created 'Minibeast Avenue' to help the insect population grow; Year 1 have planted cress and will observe its growth; our Year 2 environmentalists have created 'Hedgehog Hall' to give hedgehogs in our local area a boost; Year 3 and 4 children will plant fruits and vegetables to harvest later in the year; Year 5 have started creating a colourful, safe haven for bees at the front of school and Year 6 have planted cacti and succulents for our Calm Room.



A huge thank you to Miss Harris, our Science leader, for organising this amazing week in school!



Star Readers

Today, the winners of our World Book Day Star Reader Competition were announced. These children have won afternoon tea with Mrs Wilkinson next week! A huge thank you to Mrs Perry for organising this!

Star reader Competition Winners

Penelope P Y4
Alek D Y3
Connor S Y6
Cameron C Y6



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50 Recommended Reads!

This afternoon, Mrs Perry gave every year group across school a brand new box of 50 recommended reads to enjoy in their classrooms! These are tailored specifically for their age range and will be enjoyed as whole class shares and in our beautiful reading corners.



Help for Ukraine

Anna, one of our parents, is organizing a fundraising event to help families in Ukraine. Please join her and her family at Wardley Club, Sunday 20th March between 4pm - 7pm. There are lots of exciting events happening and she hopes to raise lots of money. There will be a bouncy castle, face painting, tombola, raffle, candy-floss, popcorn and more.



Dancing at the Basketball

Our after-school dance group have been invited to participate in the 'Chance to Dance' where they will perform 3 dances at the Newcastle Eagles vs Cheshire Phoenix game on the night of Friday 8th April.

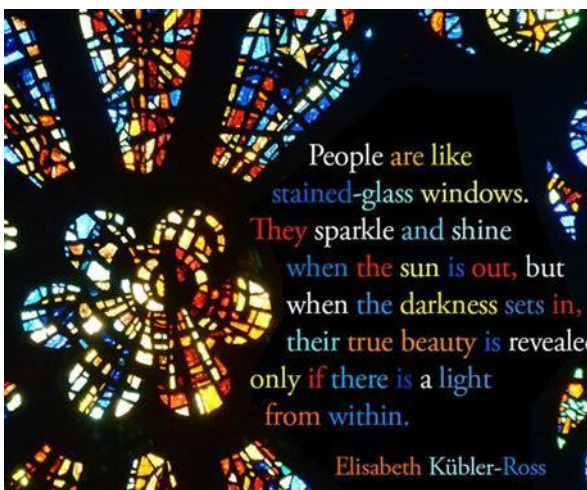
If you wish to support the girls and watch the game, we have tickets available for £8 per person.



To book tickets, contact the school office.

Key Dates for your Diary

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Who is involved?</u>
Spring Term		
Friday 8 th April	Break up for Easter break	Whole school
Monday 25 th April	Back to school	Whole school
Summer Term		
Monday 2 nd May	May Bank Holiday	Whole school
Monday 9 th May	Year 6 SATS week	Year 6
Friday 27 th May	Break up for half term	Whole school
Monday 6 th June	Back to school	Whole school
Friday 1 st July	School closed - Queen's Jubilee BH swap for Gateshead schools	Whole school
Monday 4 th July	School closed - Occasional Day	Whole school
Friday 22 nd July	Break up for Summer holidays	Whole school



Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. If you have any concerns or queries, please contact me on 0191 4381287 or via email at:

lingeyhouseprimaryschool@gatehead.gov.uk

Best wishes,
Chloe Wilkinson
(Headteacher)

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 playtime!

Class	This week's attendance	Class	This week's attendance
YRA	71.4%	Y3B	100%
YRB	91.7%	Y4A	98.01%
Y1A	99.3%	Y4B	95.6%
Y1B	100%	Y5A	93.4%
Y2A	99%	Y5B	94.6%
Y2B	93.7%	Y6A	95.5%
Y3A	97.6%	Y6B	87%
Whole school attendance:		93.99%	

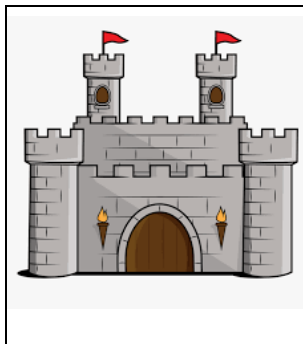
This week's Superstars

I would like to say a huge well done to all this week's superstars - watch out for their special postcard in the post! Our superstars for this week are as follows:



Year Group	Superstars
Reception	Jace S and Lily O'B
Year 1	Izzy J and Olivia B
Year 2	Ivy H and Tilly D
Year 3	Jack S and Tommy W
Year 4	Hallie D and Yoshna V
Year 5	Tyler F and Jay T
Year 6	Rhys G and Connor H

This week's House Tokens



This week's winners are...
Warkworth!

Bamburgh	350
Hylton	325
Warkworth	367
Lumley	330
Dunstanburgh	360
Alnwick	307