# Launton C of E School Newsletter

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In the lead up to Sports Week, Year 4 took part in the Quad Kids athletics event at Cooper School last week. They showed great determination and worked really well as a team.

Our Year 6 children were greatly missed around school, whilst on their residential vist. They made a fantastically positive impression on everyone they met. Toasting marshmallows was their favourite activity... They are now rehearing for their summer play.

Launton School has achieved The Silver Award for Philosophy for Children (P4C) and 100% for our Health and Safety Inspection...





Chestnut Class foil figures.

Ash and Rowan Class information about a **Teddy Bears' Picnic** 

Next Tuesday 21st June, we invite all of the children in Ash class and Rowan class to bring a teddy bear to our 'Teddy Bears' Picnic'. During the morning, we will work together on team building challenges and problem-solving activities and then in the afternoon we will celebrate our achievements with a picnic. On this day, please can you send your child with a teddy bear and a picnic blanket or rug. We will make picnic foods for the teddy bears and the children to enjoy during the afternoon.



**Key dates** 

<u>Term Dates 2021/2022</u>

Term Dates 2022/2023

## Message from the PTA

#### SUMMER BBQ - 4 WEEKS TO GO!

We are really looking forward to a lovely evening of food, fun and games. You will soon receive an email with more information about this event.

#### **LOLLY FRIDAY!**

Thank you for supporting this effort. We made £59 last week. Ice Iollies will be on sale in the front garden, from 3pm on Fridays at a cost of 50p each.

#### RAGS2RICHES

Thank you to everyone who donated clothing for the Rags 2 Riches collection today.

R2R do not accept uniform donations, but the PTA do. Should you have any good quality new and pre-loved school uniform and shoes, they can be donated and made available to others to buy at very reasonable prices.

#### Save the Date!

Friday - Lolly Fridays!
16th June 2022 - Rags2Riches
12th July 2022 - AGM with election
15th July 2022 - Summer BBQ

Please join our Facebook and WhatsApp fundraising groups for more information:

### In other news

During Sports Week Alfie and some of his friends in Chestnut Class will be completing a 4k run. They have decided to raise funds for Friends of the Earth, as this supports our school values. If you <u>click here</u> you can find out all about their plans.



## **Updates & Reminders**

#### School Sports Week 20-24th June

Sports Day 24<sup>th</sup> June Children should arrive at school wearing their sports kit, including trainers. Children in Key Stage 2 (Oak, Chestnut and Beech classes) may wear a t-shirt in the colour of their house if they wish.

Parents and carers who want to join us should come through the gate in the front garden and may wish to bring a picnic blanket or garden chair.

10am Ash, Rowan and Willow classes (gate open at 9.45am)

1.30pm Oak, Chestnut and Beech classes (gate open at 1.15pm)

Tea and coffee available (PTA)

Transition visits for children who will join the Reception Class in September 2022 Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June and Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July

Transition visits for children who will join the Nursery Class in September 2022 Thursday 14th July

Chestnut Class brass concert on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July at 2.30pm Parents and carers of pupils in Chestnut Class who wish to join us should come through the gate in the front garden at 2.30pm

Cycling awareness training for Year 6 pupils Fridays 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> July- please take extra care around the school site as there are likely to be many more pupils on bicycles than usual.

Open classrooms on Wednesday 13th July from 2.45pm Details to follow

The Minotaur a summer play by Beech class 6pm Thursday 14th July. Pupils in Beech Class will receive tickets from Mrs Terry for their families.

PTA barbecue 5.30pm-7.30pm Friday 15th July. More information to follow.

Leavers' Service in St Mary's Church at 9.30am for Year 6 The Year 6 pupils will plan and lead this service for themselves and for the pupils in KS2. Year 6 parents and staff are invited to join pupils in the school hall after the service, for coffee and cake served by the pupils. Please note that we will plan for all pupils in school to be able to go to St Mary's Church for the Harvest Festival Service next term.

#### **Updated National Guidance**

- Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.
- Please follow this link to the latest information from the UK Health Security Agency regarding when to keep a child off school - UKHSA Update
- adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days,
   which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice will be 3 days

**Remember:** Please be aware that we have children in school with **serious food allergies**. To ensure the safety of all of our children please avoid sending your child to school with anything that contains nuts this includes sandwiches containing peanut butter or chocolate spread.