



# Layton Primary School Newsletter

## Issue 11

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It has been a busy period for trips across the school, this week Year 1 visited Sue's Curiosity and Coffee shop in Layton, Year 4 have today visited the Marine Hall to watch the 'Jack and the Beanstalk' pantomime, and last week Year 6 visited Quarry Bank Mill. These will all provide great inspiration for pupils' Literacy work!



Foundation Stage and Year 1 have been busy rehearsing for their Nativity performances and Christmas Plays next week; I look forward to seeing many parents and carers there. Please ensure that if you are attending the shows that you enter via the Lynwood Avenue entrance for the KS1 hall. There are lots of events coming up over the next few weeks, please make note of these dates included within the newsletter.

On Tuesday evening myself and members of the Senior Leadership Team will be attending the Christmas Festival at the Winter Gardens. There will be performances from pupils doing guitar and violin lessons within school, and also our school choir. Good luck to all pupils taking part, it will be a great opportunity for you all to show what you have been practising this term.

Lastly, please may I take this opportunity to remind you of the importance of punctuality. Being late, even if only for a few minutes, can cause a great disruption for your child and the class which impacts their learning. Children may come into school from 8:40am and have a breakfast item such as a brioche or piece of fruit and milk, registers are taken at 8:55am and any children arriving after this time are late. Hopefully we will see many classes with no late marks next week!

### Internet Issues—Payments

Due to issues with our internet over the past few days, unfortunately we have been unable to take card payments. We are now back up and running, therefore if you would like to make a payment (This includes payments for trips as well as Breakfast Club, After School Club and School Dinners) please visit the school office or phone us on **392179**. Thank you.



### Headlice

Recently we have had reports of 'unwanted visitors' in children's hair in various classes across the school. It is recommended that you check your child's hair regularly and if your child does appear to have them, we suggest you try wet combing your child's hair regularly as this has been found to be the most effective method. **If all parents do this regularly it will stop them spreading.** Please read the tips on the poster below.

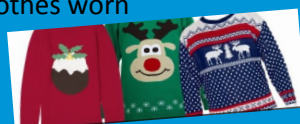
### Christmas Jumper Day

As Christmas is almost upon us, we have decided to carry on the tradition that we started several years ago and hold another Christmas Jumper Day. This is going to be on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December and all money raised will be going to Save The Children.



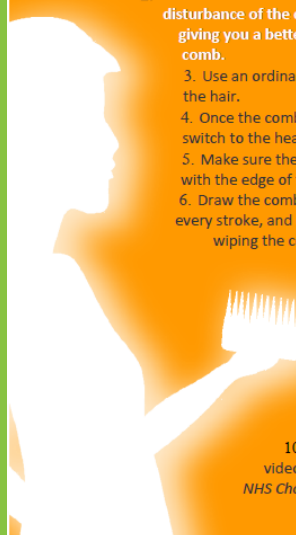
Children are asked if possible, to either wear a Christmas jumper, one which has Christmas colours in it, a winter themed top or to decorate one that they already have—don't worry if they can't and to bring in a donation for this worthy cause. The rest of clothes worn will be non-uniform.

Thank you for your support



Make sure you comb the hair thoroughly using the right technique. Here are some tips to help you.

1. Wash the hair with ordinary shampoo and apply plenty of conditioner.
2. **Yes! The hair has to be wet.** Dry lice will scurry away from the disturbance of the comb but they remain still when they are wet; giving you a better chance of catching them all in the teeth of the comb.
3. Use an ordinary, wide-toothed comb to straighten and untangle the hair.
4. Once the comb moves freely through the hair without dragging, switch to the head lice comb.
5. Make sure the teeth of the comb slot into the hair at the roots, with the edge of the teeth lightly touching the scalp.
6. Draw the comb down from the roots to the ends of the hair with every stroke, and check the comb for lice each time – remove lice by wiping the comb with tissue paper or rinsing it.
7. Work through the hair, section by section, so that the whole head of hair is combed through.
8. Do this at least twice to help ensure you haven't missed any areas, until no more lice are found.
9. Repeat the process five days later just to be sure.
10. Scan the QR code to watch a video from NHS choices (or search NHS Choices head lice video online).



# Dates for The Diary

## Foundation Stage

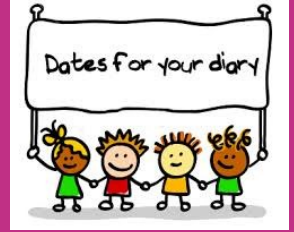
Nativity – Monday 10th December at 2pm

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Stay and Play Session – Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December, 9am to 10am

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Foundation Stage Christmas Party – Wednesday 19th December



## Year 1

Christmas Play - Wednesday 12th December 2pm—3pm

Christmas Play - Thursday 13th December 9:30am—10:30am

Trip to Farmer Parrs—Friday 14th December (during the school day)

Year 1 Christmas Film Night— Wednesday 19th December, 4:45pm KS1 Hall via Lynwood Avenue

## Year 2

\*Please note that unfortunately our Christmas play has been cancelled, apologies for any inconvenience caused. This is being replaced by the Christmas concert, date below.

Year 2 Christmas Party – Tuesday 18th December

Year 2 Christmas Concert—Thursday 20th December, 2-3pm in the KS1 hall— parents invited

## Year 3

Beauty and the Beast Pantomime at The Grand— Monday 17th December

Year 3 Christmas Party - Wednesday 19th December

## Year 4

Year 4 Christmas Party - Tuesday 18th December

Cornet Concert – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December, 9:30am KS2 Hall

## Year 5

Jodrell Bank Trip – Wednesday 12th December

Year 5 Christmas Party - Thursday 20th December

## Year 6

Year 6 Christmas Party – Monday 17th December

## Miscellaneous:

Carol Service at St Mark's Church – Tuesday 18th December, St Mark's Church, 6pm to 7pm

Christmas Dinner Day – Thursday 13th December

Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 14th December



# Learners of the Week

23/11/18

## KS1

FK	<b>Jamie</b> is FK's learner of the week for his super listening skills all week! Well done!	FP	<b>Levi</b> has worked hard this week on relationships and has made the right choices. Well done!	FJ	<b>Martha</b> is our learner of the week for great question and answering with her talking partner.
1E	<b>Maddison</b> is 1E's learner of the week for her brilliant writing in Literacy, keep it up!	1D	<b>Coban</b> is 1D's learner of the week for working really hard to create sentences about our park visit. Great reflection!	1T	<b>Heidi</b> is our learner of the week for her super learning in class this week. Heidi has shown improved resilience with her writing, well
2AS	<b>Mia</b> is our learner of the week for being resilient in all aspects of her learning this week.	2R	<b>Mason</b> is 2R's learner of the week for making fantastic progress with his writing due to his resilience and risk-taking. A future author, well	2LS	<b>Georgie</b> is our learner of the week for excellent work in Literacy this week!

## STARS OF THE WEEK!

## KS2

3N	<b>Bethany W</b> is our learner of the week for building relationships in all lessons and supporting her peers. She has been far more independent and reflective in her own work. Well done!	3E	<b>Ashton</b> is learner of the week for always trying in all areas of his learning and becoming more confident at speaking in front of the whole class.	3B	<b>Erin</b> is our learner of the week for being a very resilient and reflective learner. She has tried really hard in Literacy this week, and has written a lovely poem based on our class book. Well done Erin!
4H	<b>Lily</b> is our learner of the week for her admirable, resilient attitude and always putting 100% into absolutely everything she does. She is a little star!	4R	<b>Sienna</b> is our learner of the week for always quietly getting on and putting 100% into everything she does! Well done!	4S	<b>Lewis</b> is learner of the week for being an independent learner and truly going for goals to achieve his full potential. Wow! Also, Lewis has begun to understand the importance of winning and losing!
5R	<b>Lydia</b> has shown a huge improvement in confidence. Her writing this week has been superb! Keep it up Lydia!	5S	<b>Ava</b> is always an excellent contributor to class discussions and is supportive of other children's learning in the class. She also produced some imaginative similes in Literacy.	5F	<b>Kayden</b> is our learner of the week for always being resilient in his learning and for showing great improvement in his writing. He always puts a smile on our face!
6D	<b>Mark</b> is 6D's learner of the week for an extra huge effort in Maths, which is producing work and thinking of a much higher quality.	6G	<b>Keira</b> consistently puts in 100% effort into everything she does. She always strives to reach her full potential, editing her work to ensure it is the best it can be!	6K	<b>Andrew</b> consistently puts in 100% effort into everything he does. He has become much more independent and he never fails to put a smile on ALL of our faces! Well done Andrew, keep up the hard work!

# Learners of the Week

30/11/18

## KS1

FK	<b>Ashleigh</b> is our learner of the week for always showing the 5R's.	FP	<b>Maisie</b> is FP's learner of the week for amazing results in phonics. Well done Maisie!	FJ	<b>Thomas</b> is learner of the week for risk-taking and stepping up to a main role in our Christmas play.
1E	<b>Maddison</b> has shown great improvements in every area this week. She has demonstrated great resilience	1D	<b>Abigail</b> is learner of the week for working really hard with her independent writing. Abigail always tries her best!	1T	<b>Jayden</b> has been a resilient learner this week with his writing. He hasn't given up! Well done Jayden.
2AS	<b>Gracie-Mae</b> is learner of the week for resilience and risk taking in Numeracy. Gracie-Mae really seems to have	2R	<b>Daisy</b> is 2R's learner of the week for taking more risks, especially in Numeracy. Daisy is becoming such a resilient learner, well done!	2LS	<b>Harvey</b> always takes risks in Numeracy to improve his learning. Keep it up Harvey!


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3N	<b>Rhiannon</b> is our learner of the week for great ideas in her writing and for using the 5R's constantly. Well done!	3E	<b>Tianna</b> always tries her best and has been using her super fractions knowledge to explain and reason. A great role model for the class. Well done!	3B	<b>Lacey</b> is our learner of the week for an improved attitude towards leaning. She contributes much more in class and it is great to finally hear her fantastic ideas. Well done!
4H	<b>Leigha</b> is our learner of the week for her excellent listening skills during class discussions and her resilient attitude towards her learning. She always tries her very best. Well done Leigha!	4R	<b>Stevie</b> has shown a fantastic attitude to learning all week. Stevie has been extremely resilient and taking lots of risks. Keep it up!	4S	<b>Maycee</b> is our learner of the week for excellent narrative poetry. She created an excellent performance on Garageband too. Well done!
5R	<b>Jayden</b> is our learner of the week for always giving all of his work all his effort, and for using the 5R's.	5S	<b>Destiny</b> consistently displays the 5R's in all her learning, particularly this week in her Numeracy problem solving.	5F	<b>Danny</b> is our learner of the week for always being resilient and putting 100% into his learning. Well done!
6D	<b>Aaliyah</b> is our learner of the week for superb resilience in Numeracy. Keep it up!	6G	<b>Tamsin</b> constantly shows an 'always' attitude towards her Numeracy work. Well done, Tamsin.	6K	<b>Lacey</b> has been extremely reflective in her literacy work and always puts a smile on our faces!

# Attendance & Punctuality

Week Ending 30th November 2018



KS1 Attendance

FK 98.6%, FP 96.1%, FJ 96.1%, 1E 96.2%, 1D 98.1%, 1T 91.1%, 2AS 97%, 2R 96.1%, 2LS 98%


KS1 Highest Attendance :  
FK

KS2 Highest Attendance :  
3B

KS2 Attendance

3E 98.1%, 3N 91%, 3B 99.5%, 4H 96.7%, 4S 98%, 4R 96.6%, 5F 98.1%, 5R 98.3%, 5S 98.9%, 6D 98.1%, 6K 97.6%, 6G 97.1%

Punctuality: Well done to classes 1T and 5R who recorded no late marks for this period!



## Weekly Menu

Week 1 starting 10/12/18	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday (Christmas Dinner Day)	Friday
<b>Main Course</b>	Toad in the Hole with Oven Chips & Gravy	Chicken Pie with Sautéed Potatoes	Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Roast Turkey Crown served with Chipolata and Stuffing	Pizza Day with Oven Chips
<b>Vegetarian &amp; Fish</b>	Fish Fingers with Oven Chips	Vegetable & Cheese Bake with sautéed Potatoes	Quorn Meatballs in Gravy with Yorkshire Pudding & Seasoned Wedges	Two Cheese Christmas Parcel	Selection of Wraps with Oven Chips
<b>Vegetables</b>	Baked Beans or Garden Peas	Sweetcorn	Carrots	Roast Potatoes, New Potatoes, Glazed Carrots, Garden Vegetable Medley	Sweetcorn Cobbett or Baked Beans
<b>Dessert</b>	Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Yogurt, or Homemade Raspberry Bun	Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Yogurt, or Ice Cream Roll	Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Yogurt, or Homemade Carrot Cake with Frosting	Festive Ice Cream Pot with Christmas Shortbread Biscuits and Satsuma Pieces	Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Yogurt, or Frozen Strawberry Yogurt

**Available Daily:**

**Fresh Salad Bar, Jacket Potato served with a choice of toppings, Pasta King served with a choice of Meat and Vegetarian Sauces, Selection of Bread, Fresh Fruit Salad, Selection of Topped Yoghurts.**