



I am delighted to see that Year 1 and Year 2 pupils had an enjoyable time on their trips to Springfield's Nature Reserve and Swainshead Hall Farm. I am sure that parents and carers have heard lots about these trips, in particular from the Year 2 children who helped to feed animals and see the baby lambs.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind parents of the importance of not only good attendance but also good punctuality. If a child is consistently late they will be missing valuable learning time. This can have a significant impact on the levels of attainment and progress when children are missing lesson time. School is open from 8:40am where every child can receive a free school breakfast before their registration and alternatively we have spaces in Breakfast Club which runs from 8am. If you feel that you need support in any way, please contact our family engagement workers.

### Scholastic Half Price Book Fair

Thank you to all parents and carers who have supported our book fair so far. We would just like to remind you that the fair will continue next week on **Monday** and **Tuesday**.



Pupils, parents and carers can have a look at the half price books from **3pm** every day in the KS1 hall.

### After School Taekwondo Class

Following the success of Taekwondo at Layton we have places available for new beginners! Classes are every Friday straight after School. Northern Taekwondo has been established for over 30 years run by Master Lee Heyes 7th Dan and his team of experienced instructors. We have been working in schools for over 15 years.

Classes are £5.00 per class billed per half term period there is also a licence fee reduced to £20. Your children will benefit from:

- Increased concentration
- Focus and listening
- Self discipline
- Fitness
- Self defence
- Confidence
- Leadership skills
- Achieving goals



...but most of all our classes are great fun!

For more information or to book your child's place please call [07779275207](tel:07779275207) [www.northerntaekwondo.co.uk](http://www.northerntaekwondo.co.uk)

If this class is not convenient or you have other family members and adults who would like to try our classes then please look at our website as we have evening and weekend classes in your area that have places available for beginners.

### **Baines School** **Year 5 Moving Up Evening** **Tuesday 15th May, 6.00-7.15pm**

We understand that moving to Secondary School is an exciting time for pupils, parents and carers but attending the busy Open Evenings in September can be daunting when there are so many people visiting on one evening. We also realise that pupils and families may have lots of questions, some of which we can hopefully answer to help build pupils' confidence and to help you to make an informed decision for important secondary school choices.

This Moving Up Evening is a small event where you can ask questions about life at Baines School and about teaching and learning. You can take a tour of our school when it is quiet, so that when you visit during our Open Evening in September, you will be more familiar with the surroundings and really enjoy taking part in the fantastic activities.

Please email [info@baines.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:info@baines.lancs.sch.uk) or telephone our Front Office in advance to let us know that you are attending.



Baines School

### Date For Your Diaries...

This year's sports days will be held from **Tuesday 22nd May to Friday 25th May**. Let's hope for nice weather again! Further details regarding which year group will be on each day will be shared within due course.



### 2018/19 School Term Dates

Please note that the 2018/19 term dates are now available. These can be found on our website at the link below:

[www.layton.blackpool.sch.uk/school-information/useful-information-for-parents/holidays-and-term-dates-2018-19](http://www.layton.blackpool.sch.uk/school-information/useful-information-for-parents/holidays-and-term-dates-2018-19)

#### Key Dates

School Opens (New Academic Year) - Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2018

School Closes for Christmas - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018 (School Closes at 1:30pm)

School Closes For Summer - Tuesday 23rd July (School closes at 1:30pm)

**TERM DATES**



## A Massive 'Well Done' to our Learners of the Week

### KS1

FK	<b>Nathan</b> has managed his feelings and behaviour much better this week. Well done!	FP	<b>Lewis</b> is learner of the week for contributing during carpet time and applying what he had learnt to his work.	FM	<b>Jessica</b> is resilient every week with her writing and this week it has paid off! Great job!
1E	<b>Kayden</b> is 1E's learner of the week for working on his resilience this week in all areas.	1J	<b>Abigail</b> has come back to school after Easter with a positive attitude to learning and has made progress with her writing.	1D	<b>George</b> has a really enthusiastic attitude in school and has maintained his handwriting really well over the break. Well done!
2S	<b>Riley</b> has had an improved reflection on his learning challenges this week. Keep it up!	2M	<b>Danny</b> is 2M's learner of the week for having a positive attitude to his learning and for making the right choices. Keep it up!	2T	<b>Harry</b> has been a great resilient learner this week. Keep it up! Well done.

## STARS OF THE WEEK!

### KS2

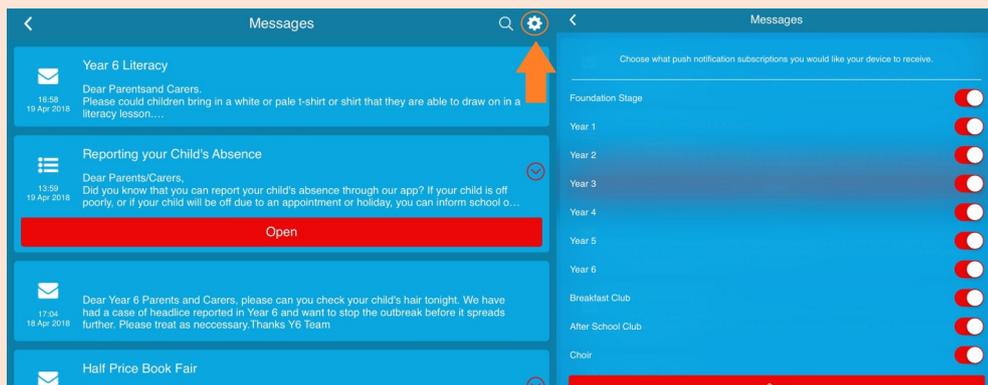
3H	<b>Tayler</b> has a great attitude towards learning, always listens and tries his very best. He is a star! Well done Tayler!	3N	<b>Tyler</b> is our learner of the week for returning to school with a fabulous attitude in all areas of his learning! Keep it up!	3B	<b>Maizie</b> is my learner of the week for settling into 3B wonderfully! She has had a brilliant first week with us and is already working really hard. Well done Maizie!
4W	<b>Kallum</b> is 4W's learner of the week for settling into 4W really well.	4R	<b>Leo</b> has had a fantastic return to school after the Easter holidays. Leo has put 100% into all areas this week—keep it up!	4E	<b>Alix</b> has a brand new, positive attitude after returning from half term. She has shown great resilience in lessons and has been a fab peer!
5D	Riley is a superb role model who puts 110% into everything he does. Keep it up!	5G	<b>Hope</b> is my learner of the week for giving 110% in everything she does. She has produced a fantastic newspaper article!	5F	<b>Jessica</b> is 5F's learner of the week for working hard to build good relationships with her peers.
6R	<b>Iris</b> is 6R's learner of the week for her brilliant reading comprehension work and asking for help when needed to allow her to fully understand the text.	6J	<b>Louis</b> is our learner of the week for his excellent contributions to class discussions recently. Well done!	6K	<b>Oliver</b> has really impressed us this week with his contributions in class discussions. It has been great to see him come out of his shell. Keep it up, well done Oliver!

## School App—Choosing Subscriptions

If you have our new school app, did you know you can use it for these things? Reporting your child absent, completing a leave of absence form, watching the weekly Vlogs, and updating your contact details.

You can also choose which messages you receive based on your 'subscriptions'.

When in the messages tab, select the cog at the top right hand corner and you are able to tailor the messages you receive. For example if you have a child in Year 1 and Year 4, you can select to receive messages for these year groups only.



### Attendance & Punctuality



#### Week Ending 13th April 2018

**FK 99.6%, FP 97.5%, FM 98.3%, 1E 99.1%, 1J 97.3%, 1D 97.8%, 2S 97.3%, 2M 98.3%, 2T 93.8%, 3H 99.1%, 3N 97.9%, 3B 95.8%, 4R 100%, 4W 99.4%, 4E 97%, 5D 96.1%, 5G 92.5%, 5F 99.6%, 6R 96.7%, 6J 100%, 6K 94.2%**  
**TOTALS 97.5%**

KS1 Highest Attendance : FK

KS2 Highest Attendance : 4R and 6J who both achieved 100%!

**Winning classes for attendance (Over 96%): FK, FM, FP, 1D, 1E, 1J, 2M, S2, 3H, 4E. 4R, 4W, 5D, 5F, 6J and 6R**

**Punctuality: FP recorded no late marks for this period.**

### Weekly Menu

Week 3 starting 23/04/18	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
	<b>Main Course</b>	Cottage Pie with Gravy Beetroot & Herby Diced Potatoes	Pizza Day! Spicy Chicken or Margherita served with Potato Waffles	Roast Turkey with Stuffing Yorkshire Pudding, Mashed & Roasted Potatoes	Chicken & Spinach Korma with Savoury Rice & Pitta Bread	Homemade Meat & Potato Pie and Chips	
	<b>Vegetarian &amp; Fish</b>	Veggie Toad In The Hole with Roast Potatoes & Baby New Potatoes	Vegetable Lasagne & Garlic Bread served with Potato Waffles	Vegetable Samosa with Savoury Rice & Sweet Chilli Sauce	Homemade Cheese & Egg Flan with Sautéed Potatoes	Jumbo Fish Fingers and Chips	
	<b>Vegetables</b>	Baton Carrots or Mushy Peas	Sweetcorn	Crushed Carrot & Swede	Garden Peas or Spaghetti Hoops	Garden Peas or Baked Beans	
	<b>Dessert</b>	Fresh Fruit Salad, Vanilla Ice Cream with Sliced Peaches or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Rice Pudding with Fruit Coulis or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Homemade Oaty Biscuit or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Strawberry Jelly & Berries or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Salad, Paris Sandwich & Custard or Yoghurt	

**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.**