



Longfields' Latest 17th June 2019

Where has the Sun Gone?!

Dear All,

Term 6 is already well underway and I'm sure that before we know it the summer break will be upon us. As usual the term will be packed with activities and creative learning opportunities that we hope all our children will enjoy and be challenged by. This is a very busy term so please do check the website and calendar for the dates of things going on. Sports Days and the Summer Fete are just a couple of the events close by. Thank you again for your continued support.

SPORTS DAYS

Our first Sports Day is this week on Thursday morning when our KS2 children will be competing in their House groups in various competitive activities. Unfortunately I will not be present this year as I will be recovering from a hernia operation but will be back for the events later this term. Please do come along and support your children and fingers crossed for some decent weather.

Sports Days this year are straight after registration on following dates:

Foundation Stage: 16th July

Key Stage 1: 10th July

Key Stage 2: 20th June

We hope to see you all there to support these events. Thank you in advance.

June Sporting Update

So far it has been a quiet term in sporting terms with only our Year 5/6 cricket team being out at a tournament. Although not the winning team this time, they all represented the school well and had a great time over at Chesterton Cricket Club.

Well done guys – Great Effort.

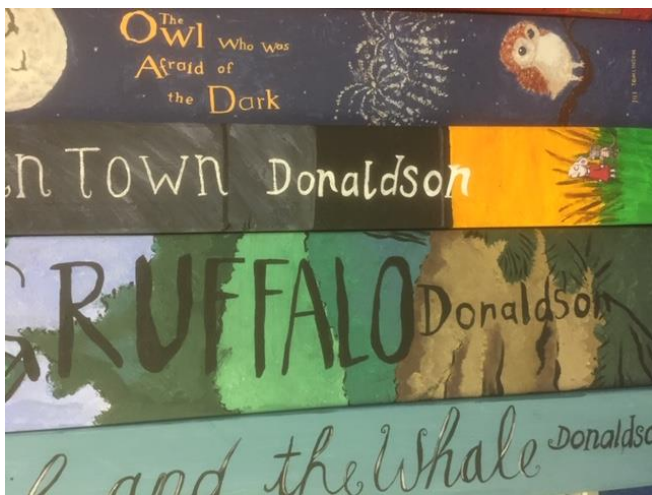
Arts Week 10th – 14th June.

What an amazing week we had last week. Extremely tiring – but hugely enjoyable and a lot of fun. We dedicated the whole week to Art activities and hope to have some amazing Art installations around the school as a result of all the hard work.

Thank you to everyone for the donations of recyclable materials – some of our creations would just not have been born if it wasn't for these contributions.

I am sure in the coming weeks there will be a gallery on the website but for now here are a few photos from the week.





Dogs on School Grounds

As a dog lover it is not always easy to remind people of this, but it is County policy that there are no dogs brought on to the school grounds at drop off and pick up time – This includes being carried by their owners

Online Safety

You may have been aware in the news of the increase in stories relating to children’s on-line activity and the types of content they are able to access and the adverse impact this can have on their emotional well-being. It is very difficult to police or monitor what our children are doing all the time, particularly if they have their own connected devices. Please do ensure that you are fully aware of the content your children are viewing. There are some useful on-line safety links for parents on our website.

Search under: Useful Information/e-safety. Please do have a look

Term 6 After School Clubs

Clubs start this week. Please ensure that you remember to pick your child up on time after these clubs. Clubs finish at 4:15p.m.
Thank you to all those providing a club and to those attending.

SUMMER FETE SATURDAY 6TH JULY 11am – 3p.m.

Please put this date in your diary if you have not already done so. We are hoping for another wonderful day of activities, stalls, displays, performances, food and drink. A sunny day has been ordered!!

Please do come along and support the school and raise money for those little extras for our children. We look forward to seeing you all there.

If you are able to spare half an hour on the day then please do contact the PTA as I know they would be glad of the help towards another great day.

Message from

School Trends Uniform Suppliers

Due to high demand over the summer months the uniform turnaround usually increases to 21 days, so with this in mind, and allowing the last week of term for your parents to collect their uniform packages we are turning off Parent Delivery to School on the 24th June 2019.

Parents will still be able to order for delivery to their chosen home/work address.

Due to high demand over the summer months the turnaround usually increases to 21 days, so with this in mind, and so your parents have their uniform in time for the start of the new school year, we recommend that parents order any uniform required by the 9th August 2019.

We thank you for your continuing custom and support.

Kind regards
School Trends

PE in School

Over the last term we have a number of children unable to take part in PE lessons because they do not have their kits in school. PE is a statutory part of the curriculum and an increasingly important part of having a healthy lifestyle.

Could you please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school all week so that they are able to take part in the whole curriculum. **Please note that your child can only miss PE for a legitimate reason and that the class teacher needs to be informed of this in writing.**

We will continue to send a note home if your child does not have a suitable PE kit in school. Thank you for your co-operation

School Attendance and Lateness

Please can I remind everyone of the importance of regular school attendance and arriving on time.

I know that we all have an off day now and again and occasionally things happen that cause our schedules to change, but it is important that your child is in school on time. Missing the start of the day can have a negative impact in a number of ways. If too late, then the key input at the beginning of a lesson can be missed and this then needs to be recapped, with the flow and organisation of the lesson having to be adapted at the last minute. Please make every effort to get to school on time and allow your child to access their learning for the **whole day**.

Dates for the Diary

Please see School Life Calendar for full dates

20 June - KS2 Sports- starts after a.m. register
21 June – PTA Disco
6 July - FOLs Summer Fete 11am
9 Jul - Move up Day
10 July - KS1 Sports - starts after a.m. register
12 July – Y5&Y6 Shakespeare at Blenheim
16 July – Foundation Sports - starts after a.m. register
24 July - Last day before Summer Holiday
4 Sept - First day back after Summer holidays