

LODDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

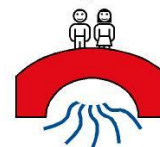
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Loddon
Primary School



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NEWSLETTER NO 14

Dear Parents/Carers,



House Gems

Congratulations to the following children who have received a Values 'House Gem' celebrating their actions in promoting our school values and especially "Trust".

- Toby M (Y1) Being trustworthy when he handed in money he had found in the playground
- Anlan H (Y4) Working hard and being a fantastic example of all the Loddon values
- Brendan L-P (Y4) Being trustworthy in the office at the end of the day
- Kaiwen L (Y6) Being trusted to use the library responsibly

Sports Relief

Last Friday 21st March children were invited to wear their sports clothing to school all day in support of the charity Sports Relief. Various sports events took place in school as well as a spontaneous penalty shoot-out sponsored by one of our lunchtime staff which raised £6.80. Children also had an opportunity to make a voluntary donation to the charity. Thank you to everyone who took part throughout the day which raised £292.20 in total for Sports Relief.

Foster Care - Message for Parents from Wokingham Borough Council

Wokingham Borough Council is currently recruiting Foster Carers to help support some of the most vulnerable children in the Borough. There are many different types of foster carer, looking after children of different ages and backgrounds, and with a wide range of needs. In return for becoming a carer the Council offers: 24 hour support, 7 days a week; One to one support from a social worker; excellent training programme; financial support that reflects the complexity of the child you are caring for.

To find out more about what fostering for Wokingham has to offer call us on (0118) 974 6204 or drop into our fostering event: Thursday April 24th from 12.30 to 2.45pm in the Luke Room, Wokingham Methodist Church, Rose St, Wokingham, RG40 1XS.



PTA Easter egg raffle

Loddon Primary PTA will be running an Easter egg raffle next week in school. Tickets cost 50p a go and there will be an Easter egg to win per team. Children from the school council will be running the raffle at break time and lunch time next Monday 31st March-Thursday 3rd April.

The raffle winners will be drawn next Thursday evening and winners announced during the day on Friday 4th April.

Easter Events

Our Easter events for Foundation Stage 2, KS1 and KS2 will be held in St Nicolas Church as usual on Friday 4th April. The timings for these will be 9.30am for F2 and KS1 and 10.30am for KS2. Parents and family members are warmly invited to join us and if you can volunteer to walk there and back with the children, please let your child's teacher know.



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Reading FC v Burnley FC - Saturday 3rd May 12.15pm

Please collect a booking form from the school office as soon as possible if you would like to buy discounted tickets for the Reading vs Burnley match on 3rd May. Tickets are priced at adults £15, concessions £10 and children £5 and will also help to raise funds for Loddon Primary PTA.

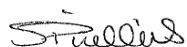
Free swimming over the Easter Holidays

Children (aged 18 and under) resident in Wokingham borough can swim for free from Monday 7 April 2014 to Monday 21 April 2014 inclusive. Participating pools are Loddon Valley Leisure Centre in Lower Earley, Bulmershe Leisure Centre in Woodley and Carnival Pool in Wokingham (check with pools for opening days and times). You must show your own Wokingham Borough Council library card every time you wish to swim for free. One free swim per day, time may be restricted to an hour at busy times. For more information, visit www.wokingham.gov.uk/freeswimming

Last day of Spring term: Friday 4th April

On the last day of term school will finish at 3pm for children in Y1-6. Foundation morning children will finish at 11.10am and afternoon children will finish at 2.50pm.

Yours sincerely



Mrs. S. Phillips
Headteacher

Diary Events List: Spring Term 2014

Date	Time	Event
31/03/14	14-15 TBC	Y3 and Y4 performance for parents
01/04/14	13.15-15.00	Y2 RE Inspired session Easter, Seasons and Change
01/04/14	18-19 TBC	Y3 and Y4 performance for parents
02/04/14	9.00-10.00	Parent Tea/Coffee morning in The Hut
03/04/14	10.15-11.15	FSU tour for parents of potential F1 children
03/04/14	End of day	Pupil report cards go home today
03/04/14	20.00-21.30	'Parents Supporting Parents' coffee evening in the Hut
04/04/14	9-9.20	EAL drop in for parents
04/04/14	9.30-11.30	Easter services at St. Nicolas Church
04/04/14	11.10 or 14.50	End of Pupil Spring term - FSU morning children finish at 11.10am and afternoon children finish early at 2.50pm.
04/04/14	15.00	End of pupil Spring term Y1-6 children finish early at 3pm.
7-21/04/14		Easter Holiday
22/04/14		First day of Pupil Summer term