

LODDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

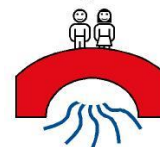
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Primary School



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NEWSLETTER NO 15

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".

- William M (Y1) Independent work in Literacy
- Noah T (Y1) For being trustworthy and doing the right thing
- Nimrah A (Y4) Being trusted to always remember the lunchtime rules
- Kai M (Y4) A trustworthy helper
- Tayyibah M (Y4) Paying attention during the play

School Council News

'Wednesday 2nd April was the day of the Loddon's got Talent Final! There were some sensational acts such as: singing, dancing, comedy, solving Rubix cubes, instruments & gymnastics. All the children who took part were incredibly brave for getting up in front of the whole school and sharing their hidden talents. The audience were supportive of all the acts and had a great time. Every child who entered received a special certificate designed by school council. It was a fantastic event and enjoyed by all.'

By Josh 6AR



PTA May Day Picnic Friday 2nd May

The May Day picnic will take place from 3:30pm until 4:30pm on Friday 2nd May within the school grounds. Please come along and bring your picnic. There will be an ice cream van, inflatables, cakes and biscuits for sale, the penny wars jars will be out, and the swimming pool will be opened by the swimming pool committee for a splash session, so bring along a few coins if you want to take advantage of any of these events. Please note that children attending are the responsibility of their parent or guardian during the event.



May Mufti - PTA and Clic Sargent

On Friday the 2nd May we are inviting the children to take part in a joint Mufti/'Wear a Wig' to school day to raise funds for Loddon PTA and Clic Sargent, a charity for children with cancer. If your child would like to take part they may wear a colourful/funny wig to school and/or join in the children's suggested theme of 'What job I want to have when I'm older'. If you prefer to come to school in your own clothes that is also fine.

The requested donation for the mufti day is £1 with all money collected being split half to the PTA and half to Clic Sargent.



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Swimming Pool Committee - Membership launch and Splash Session May 2nd

Get your goggles and woggles ready as the swimming pool will be open for `Fun Splash` next Friday during the May Day picnic celebrations (3.30-4.30pm). The suggested contribution per child is £1 and there will be a sign-up sheet in the offices from Wednesday.

You will also have the chance to buy an Annual Swimming Membership card for £5 per child, an amazing introductory discount of 50%. If you take advantage of this, you can attend the `Fun Splash` on the 2nd for FREE!

The Annual Swimming Membership is available for F2 upwards and will entitle you to book swimming lessons and attend one free `Fun Splash` every week. Further details about pool opening times and events will be available next Friday. If you are interested in purchasing annual membership, please bring along a passport sized photo of your child as this will be used for their membership card.



Second Hand Uniform - Donations of hangers

If you have any clothes hangers that you no longer need, we would be grateful for a few extra hangers. Please place them in a bag and hand in at the school office.

Thank you for all the recent uniform donations, especially logo items aged 9 years and upwards.

Please continue to donate items that your children no longer need via the school office. We really appreciate good quality donations that are in bags, washed, folded and ready to sell!

The date of our next sale will be advertised soon.

Claire Allison (Parent Support), Maive Watts (Yr 5 Parent), Andrea Smith (FSU and Yr 2 Parent)

Parent/Carer Workshop: Building Positive Behaviour

12th May 2014, 7-9pm at Hawkedon School

This is being held in Hawkedon's Family Centre and Loddon parents in all year groups are welcome to attend.

The workshop covers:

- A Positive Approach
- Rewards vs Bribes
- Effective Rewards
- Setting Boundaries

To book, please email Jo Fiddaman (Earley Cluster Co-ordinator) jfiddaman@hawkedon.wokingham.sch.uk or text/call on 07810 832087 or contact your school's Parent Support Adviser. Spaces will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

International Group: New Coffee Morning

Following the closure of the Riverdale Children's Centre last Autumn, the weekly International group that ran there is relocating to Loddon's Parent Hut. Starting today, 25th April the coffee morning will run every Friday during term-time from 09:30 - 11:30. All parents and carers are welcome to attend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. S. Phillips
Headteacher



Diary Events List: Summer Term 2014

Date	Time	Event
28/04/14	All week	First week of school run clubs
28/04/14	20-22.00	PTA meeting in The Hut
30/04/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
01/05/14	10.15	F1 prospective parents FSU tour
01/05/14	20-21.30	Parents Supporting Parents Coffee evening in The Hut
02/05/14	All day	PTA Mufti day
02/05/14	15.30-17.00	PTA May Day Picnic and Swimming Pool Committee Fun Splash
05/05/14	All day	Bank Holiday - School closed
06/05/14	8.30-9.30	Governor Finance & Personnel committee: attendance by invitation of Chair and HT
06/05/14	9.30-11.30	Y3 REInspired - Wander and Wonder Church Buildings at St Nicolas Church
06/05/14	13.30-15.00	Y5 REInspired session - Rules and codes at St Nicolas Church
07/05/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
07/05/14	18-20.00	Governor Curriculum committee: attendance by invitation of Chair and Headteacher
08/05/14	All day	Y5 trip to Victorian School Room
08/05/14	15-15.20	Y1 Sharing Assembly for Parents
12/05/14	8-8.30	Y6 SATS Breakfast Monday to Thursday
14/05/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
15/05/14	17.30-19.30	Governor Environment committee: attendance by invitation of Chair and HT
19/05/14	19.30-21.30	PTA quiz evening in the Main Hall
20/05/14	9-12.00	Y3 REInspired - Wander and Wonder Church Buildings at LEBC
21/05/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
21/05/14	All day	Snappers Class Photos
21/05/14	18-20.00	Full Governing Body meeting: attendance by invitation of Chair and Headteacher
23/05/14	All day	INSET day - School closed
26/05/14	All week	Half term
02/06/14		Pupils return for Summer term 2
04/06/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
05/06/14	10.15	F1 prospective parents FSU tour
06/06/14	All day	PTA Mufti day (items for PTA Summer fayre)
09/06/14	All week	Y6 residential trip to France
10/06/14	8.30-9.30	Governor Finance & Personnel committee: attendance by invitation of Chair and HT
11/06/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
12/06/14	All day	Y3 trip to Dinton Pastures
18/06/14	9-10.00	Parent/Tea Coffee morning in The Hut
18/06/14	18-20.00	Governor Curriculum committee: attendance by invitation of Chair and Headteacher



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