

# LODDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

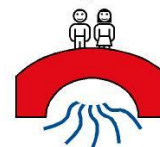
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14<sup>th</sup> November 2014

## NEWSLETTER NO 5

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.

- Katie S F1 Caring for my friend and sharing a scooter
- Adam A F2 Caring for school when tidying up
- Alanha M 2CC Perseverance at school
- Iram S 4SW For being caring and thoughtful. Showing true friendship
- Jack W 4SW Resilience in your learning and tolerance of others
- Jessie D 5JO Positivity and resilience at PGL
- Rushabh D 5JO Resilience in running club

### Local Offer for children with Special Educational Needs (SEND)

Provision available for children with SEND at our school is detailed through the Loddon "Local Offer" which is available under Policies on our Website or via the following link:

<https://search3.openobjects.com/kb5/wokingham/info/organisation.page?id=qxNV0enuacy>

Parents of children with special educational needs may also find these links useful:

WIN main Local Offer Page:

<http://info.wokingham.gov.uk/kb5/wokingham/info/families.page?familieschannel=300>

<http://info.wokingham.gov.uk/kb5/wokingham/info/families.page?familieschannel=311>

*Gemma Didcock - Inclusion Leader*



### Christmas Bazaar

The Loddon Primary School Christmas Bazaar will be taking place on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November between 2pm and 4pm. £1 entry for adults, children enter for free. Please come along and bring your pocket money. There will be games, business stalls with lovely Christmas gifts, refreshments, raffle, tombolas, crafts and Santa's grotto.

We will need parent volunteers to help set up, man the stalls, and clear up afterwards. We will need a minimum number of volunteers for the Christmas Bazaar to go ahead. Last year we sadly had to close some of the stalls as we did not have enough volunteers to run everything. If you are able to offer some of your time to help make this an event to remember there will be a letter coming home with every child which includes a volunteer section, where you can indicate when you would be able to help. Also look out for a letter coming home soon with details of the Christmas Bazaar 'design the program' competition. Closing date for that will be Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November.



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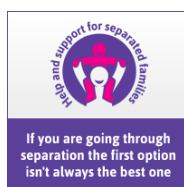
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### Wet weather! Remember Welly Exchange!

Are your child's wellington boots too small? Please donate. Does your child need some bigger wellies? Help yourself. You can find the Welly Exchange in the Parent Hut. It is the light brown book case unit in the corner. Open it up to reveal shelves of children's wellington boots in various sizes. Just write down any donations and/or items taken. No names needed. The Parent Hut is open for all parents every day during term-time. *Claire Allison (Parent Support)*



### Information and support for Separated Families

There is a new link on the Parent Support page of Loddon's school website. To view it go to [www.loddonprimary.co.uk](http://www.loddonprimary.co.uk) then choose Parents / Parents Support.

The link provides valuable support and help for separated families in many areas including children and parenting, housing, health, money and finances, legal and mediation, relationships and conflict, work and benefits.

For further help with any of these issues you can also contact Claire Allison, Parent Support Advisor on 07530 057905 or [claire.allison@loddon.wokingham.sch.uk](mailto:claire.allison@loddon.wokingham.sch.uk) or ask at the school office.

### Morrisons Vouchers - Final request

If you have any Morrisons vouchers at home please bring them into the school office ASAP.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. S. Phillips  
Headteacher

### Diary Events List: Autumn Term 2014

| Date     | Time        | Event   |
|----------|-------------|---|
| 19/11/14 | 9-10.00     | Parent Tea/Coffee morning in The Hut  |
| 19/11/14 | 18.00-19.30 | Governor Curriculum Committee: attendance by invitation of Chair & Headteacher  |
| 20/11/14 | 09.00-11.00 | Open morning for prospective parents FSU-Y6                                     |
| 26/11/14 | 9-10.00     | Parent Tea/Coffee morning in The Hut  |
| 26/11/14 | 14.00-15.00 | New to F1 Parent meeting  |
| 27/11/14 | 18.00-19.30 | Governor Environment Committee: attendance by invitation of Chair & Headteacher |
| 28/11/14 | 10-11.30    | Y6 REInspired World Aids day session 1 at St Nicolas Church                     |
| 29/11/14 | 14-16.00    | PTA Christmas Fair  |
| 01/12/14 | All week    | Last week of extra-curricular clubs run by school staff                         |
| 03/12/14 | 9-10.00     | Parent Tea/Coffee and Second Hand Uniform Sale in The Hut                       |



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| Date     | Time        | Event   |
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| 03/12/14 | 18-19.00    | Information evening for Parents ref. assessment after levels - main school hall |
| 04/12/14 | 9.45        | FSU dress rehearsal in main school hall   |
| 08/12/14 | 14.00       | FSU afternoon performance - parents welcome in main school hall                 |
| 09/12/14 | 9.45        | FSU morning performance - parents welcome in main school hall                   |
| 09/12/14 | 13.30-15.00 | Y6 REInspired session on Faith In Action at Brookside Church                    |
| 10/12/14 | 9-10.00     | Parent Tea/Coffee morning in The Hut  |
| 10/12/14 | 18.00-20.00 | Full Governing Body meeting: attendance by invitation of Chair & Headteacher    |
| 11/12/14 | 10.15-11.15 | F1 prospective parents monthly tour of FSU                                      |
| 11/12/14 | End of day  | FSU Learning Journeys / Y1-Y6 Report Cards go home                              |
| 12/12/14 | 14.00       | KS1 production dress rehearsal - main school hall                               |
| 15/12/14 | 14.00       | KS1 afternoon performance - main school hall                                    |
| 16/12/14 | 18.00       | KS1 evening performance - main school hall                                      |
| 17/12/14 | 9-10.00     | Parent Tea/Coffee morning in The Hut  |
| 19/12/14 | 9.30-11.30  | Christmas service at St Nicolas Church  |
| 19/12/14 | 11.10       | FSU morning children finish early at 11.10am                                    |
| 19/12/14 | pm          | Y1-Y6 Class Parties   |
| 19/12/14 | 2.50pm      | FSU afternoon children finish early at 2.50pm                                   |
| 19/12/14 | 3pm         | End of pupil Autumn term Y1-6 children finish early at 3pm                      |
| 20/12/14 |             | Christmas holiday   |



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