

# LARKSWOOD NEWS

## Message from the Head

Dear Parents & Carers,

It has been a brilliant start to the half term and also for my first week as the Headteacher of Lime Academy Larkswood.

I must first of all thank your wonderful children for the warm welcome they have given me. It has been a pleasure to get into classrooms this week to see their learning, and celebrate our school values with them during assembly.

This year, I will be working closely with all staff, the Senior Leadership Team and yourselves, on continuing the fantastic work of Mrs Billington, driving forward our school priorities and producing the very best outcomes for our pupils.

Over the coming weeks, I look forward to getting to know you all at various events, so please watch out for dates for your diary.

Have a lovely weekend,

Brendan Plunkett  
Headteacher

### ATTENDANCE

Week 8<sup>th</sup> October – 12<sup>th</sup> October

Whole school attendance – **96.4%**

Whole school target-

100%

### Celebrating Attendance

Best class attendance this week goes to...

RFP with 100%

KS1 KS1 class- 2AF with 98.97%

KS2 class-3ED and 6JM with 98.62%

### EVENTS AND VISITS

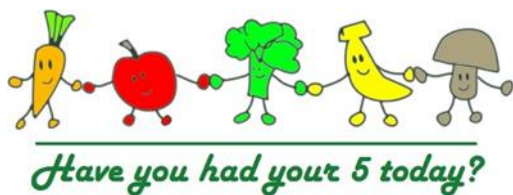
Date:	Title:
12/12/18	Nasal Spray Vaccination.
05/12/18	Yr 6 Harry Potter Studio Tour
28/01/18	Yr 5 Young Voices at the 02
26/11/18	Yr 3 Science Museum
WEEKLY EVENTS	
Under 5s Stay and Play – Monday 9.30-11.00am	
Drop in with Members of SLT – Tuesday 7.30-9.30am	
Year 5 and 6 Tag Rugby competition – 08.11.18	
Year 3 and 4 First Step Netball – 09.11.18	
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Year 5 and 6 Sportshall Athletics competition – 15.11.18	
Year 1 and 2 Sportshall Athletics competition – 27.11.18	
Year 5 and 6 Leyton Orient Kids Cup Football tournament – 30.11.18	
Year 2 and 3 Winter Games – 04.12.18	
Year 5 and 6 Badminton Festival – 07.12.18	
KS2 Orion Harrier Invitational Cross Country – 08.12.18	

The Book People Book fair is coming

Watch out for more information about our Christmas Book Fair in November

### Nursery

This week, Nursery children have been enjoying their Halloween themed activities. They practised their number skills by counting spooky insects into cauldrons and mixing up delicious pumpkin soup! Meanwhile, children were busy using their imaginations in our 'Garage' area - ensuring they wore their hard hats of course!





## Some reminders...

**Flu Vaccinations will take place on 12<sup>th</sup>  
December 2018**

**No riding on scooters or any wheeled form of  
transport  
at ANY times in the playground**

### **PE KIT**

Please ensure that your child's PE Kit has adequate clothing as we progress through Autumn and into the Winter. I would strongly recommend that all children have a white t-shirt, navy blue or black shorts, a long sleeve sweater/top and tracksuit bottoms.

PE is an essential part of your child's curriculum, and we would like to ensure that all children are appropriately dressed for all weathers, so PE can continue throughout the year.