

LARKSWOOD NEWS

Message from the Head of School

Dear Parents and Carers,

All the children looked fabulous today with their 'Red Nose Day' outfits. The imagination of our children (and their parents) is incredible. Thank you very much for your £1 donations for Comic relief, if you still wish to donate then please drop into the school office.

This week the children have enjoyed Science week. We have had a special space dome visiting us all week and all the children were able to look up at the stars! Well done to all the participants in the science competition, Mrs Reynolds had an extremely tough job of choosing the winner - we look forward to finding out!

Best wishes,
Jo Open

A few Red Nose Day Jokes

1. Why was 6 afraid of 7? *Because 7 ate 9*
2. What do you call an alligator wearing a vest? *An investigator*
3. How do trains eat? *They chew chew*



Artie here with the reading highlight of the week! 3NB completed their shared story of 'The Twits' by Roald Dahl. This was the third Dahl shared story this year and the children thoroughly enjoyed it - barely controlling their laughter as the characters were brought to life. They are looking forward to continuing their love of Dahl by

reading their own collections and borrowing from the school library. 3NB are looking forward to starting their next story on Monday. **Remember me hearty's...keep reading!**

Class Photos Deadline 29th March 2017

If you wish to order a class photo please return your payment to the school office by 12.00pm -Wednesday 29th March.

Please remember to cut off your receipt slip.

Easter Raffle Prize Draw
£1.00 per strip
Returns go to the school office by 12.00pm on 29th March



YR6 Prom Prize Draw

YR6 have organised an Easter Prize raffle to raise money for their end of year prom. If you would like to enter please return your tickets to the office by Friday 31st March.

ATTENDANCE CONGRATULATIONS

Week 13 – 17 March 2017
whole school attendance 95.5%

1LM 99%

Well Done!

Classes with 96% and above
RLW / 1LM / 1JA / 2JG / 2CW / 3JM
4CR / 4JW / 4MW / 5DW / 5RS / 6JM

Celebrating Punctuality

Lowest number of late marks,
KS1 - RFP / 1JA / 2CW
KS2 – 3NB / 4MW / 5DW / 6BC

EVENTS AND VISITS

28 Mar	Tea with the Head – 2JG and 5VB
26 Apr	YR2 Lion King
24 May	YR6 Matilda
July	YR3&4 Cuffley Camp
July	YR6 Residential

WEEKLY EVENTS

Under 5s stay and play - Mon 9.30-11.00am
Drop in with Members of SLT - Tues 7.30-9.30am

CLASS ASSEMBLY – 2.50pm Wooden Hall

28 Mar	PM Nursery		
9 May	4MW	16 May	4JW

Clubs Finish Next Week

Next week will be the last week for the afterschool clubs. A new list of enrichment clubs that will start after the Easter break will be sent out shortly.

Science Week

This week at Larkswood, we have been celebrating Science Week with lots of practical, hands-on activities. The children took part in a 'science class swap' where they swapped classes for three activities in a different year group. The children explored so many different aspects of science from creating carbon dioxide to DIY lava lamps and even making elephant toothpaste! Children in KS1 and KS2 brought in their Science Week Competition entries which were fantastically original; well done to our winners and runners-up!



Astrodome

Larkswood were very fortunate as each class got to visit an enormous astrodome, which was set up in the wooden hall. The show was centred around our theme of *The Universe* with a focus on the Earth, Moon and Sun. Thank you to all of our teachers for planning such splendid activities and to the children for their continued enthusiasm for science.



Red Nose Day

What a fantastic effort everyone made today for Red Nose Day with an array of customised outfits, a sea of red, some funny costumes and more red noses than we could count. We will update you next week on how much we raised...

