

LARKSWOOD NEWS

Message from the Head of School

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a week it's been! Whilst the glorious weather has been a welcome change, it's clash with our Sports Week could not have been foreseen! In spite of the high temperatures, our children were ready to compete and they all did a sterling job. Many thanks to the spectators who attended for a record turn out. Also, a huge thank you to Mr Hau and all the staff that put a lot of effort into making the event seamless.

Next week sees the majority of YR6 departing for their five day school residential to the South Coast. During an action packed week they will get to experience activities such as: archery, abseiling and kayaking. Let's hope the good weather continues for both the residential trip and the YR6 children remaining at school for their Activity Week. A trip to Southend Adventure Island and a visit to the cinema are amongst the great trips for them too! Enjoy!

Best wishes,
Jo Open

Sports Week

Many thanks to everyone who came and supported their children / grandchildren / nephews / nieces and friends during Sports Week at Larkswood. The standard of sportsmanship, team work and determination shown by all was astounding - truly inspiring!

All of the children enjoyed each session, with the competitive events being the highlight - I have never seen children run so fast!

Apologies again for the postponement of the Year 1 and 2 competitive events - we are working to find a suitable date before the summer break, and hopefully invite parents to support and spectate - watch this space!

On a personal note, I would like to thank the sports leaders from YR5 and YR6 who worked tirelessly across all of the different sports' days, ensuring that all children knew what to do, consistently engaging the children in their activities and making sure that all children had lots and lots of fun. This was truly a sports week where it was run by the children for the children - go on Larkswood!

ATTENDANCE CONGRATULATIONS

Week 12 – 19 June May 2017
whole school attendance 95.6%

1LM

with 100% Well Done!

Classes with 96% and above:

1LM / 1CZ / 1JA / 2MW / 2JG / 2CW / 3NB / 4MW / 4CR
4JW / 5MC / 5DW / 5VB / 5RS / 6ND / 6JM / 6BC

Celebrating Punctuality

Lowest number of late marks:

KS1 – RFP / 1JA / 2JG

KS2 – 3JM / 4MW / 5VB / 6BC

EVENTS AND VISITS

26 June	YR6 Residential & Activity Week
6 July	YR6 Leavers Prom
8 July	Larkswood Summer Fair
11 July	5VB & 5RS Hunting Lodge
12 July	5MC & 5DW Hunting Lodge
13 July	YR3&4 Cuffley Camp
19 July	YR6 Leavers Assembly

WEEKLY EVENTS

Under 5s stay and play - Mon 9.30-11.00am

Drop in with Members of SLT - Tues 7.30-9.30am

School Sports Kits and Tops

Please be reminded that all school kits and tops are returned to school before the end of the year - if your child has represented the school at any stage throughout this year, they will have been given a kit to wear. Thank you for your support in this matter.

KS1 Value Games

30 children from YR2 and 18 sports' leaders from YR6 went to the Waltham Forest Feel Good Centre for the inaugural KS1 Value Games where it was a celebration of all of the different activities Waltham Forest have done this year.

Our YR2 children, led by Mr Grogan, had an amazing day, experiencing activities from Archery to Cup Stacking to Volleyball.

Our sports' leaders, who were a real credit to the school, led on 2 activities (Sportshall Athletics and Lacrosse) and were also in charge of groups of YR2 children (from a mixture of schools across the borough) throughout the day.

The feedback I have received is outstandingly positive, with adults from other schools commenting on how inspiring and dedicated our leaders were in ensuring that the YR2 children were engaged, inspired and had the best day ever!

Sports Week Opening Ceremony



Year 5 and 6 Tri Golf Competition

Larkwood entered a team into the Tri Golf Competition at the Waltham Forest Feel Good Centre on a hot, sweltering Monday afternoon. After 7 intense and exhilarating rounds of golf, Larkwood emerged victorious as the borough champions, so on the 6th July, we will be sending a team of children to compete against the best young golfers in the whole of London! #teamlarkwood

YR6 Leavers Assembly

YR6 will be celebrating the fantastic journey that they have had during their time at Larkwood at our leaver's assembly.

We would like to invite all YR6 parents to join us for this event on Wednesday 19th July at 10.30am. The assembly will last for approximately half an hour.

We Need Your Help...

The LPSA are looking for additional helpers to support this year's Summer Fair, particularly on the day of the event.

If you can help with setting up the event or by running a stall please contact the LPSA directly.

LPSA@larkwoodlime.london

Sun Aware

Please can we remind all children to apply sun cream before coming to school in the morning. It is also important to wear a sun hat and ensure your child has a water bottle in school and drink plenty to keep hydrated.

If you wish your child to re-apply sun cream themselves during the school day please supply a roll on bottle or tube with a name label – no sprays please.

Summer
Saturday 8th July
12.00 – 3.00pm

BBQ
FACE PAINTING
REFRESHMENTS
COCONUT SHY
TIN CAN ALLEY
CRAFT STALLS
BUNGEE TRAMPOLINE
BOUNCY CASTLE
RAFFLE

Larkwood LPSA Summer Fair

Admission: £1.00 entry fee for adults
Children are free

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