

Weekly newsletter



Friday 24th
March 2017

Going for Gold Assembly

Awards for the week ending 24th March 2017

Pupil of the week:

Reception	Mia Grimes	Year 1	Grace Hardman
Year 2	Caitlin Symes	Year 3	Sophie Smith
Year 4	Harrison Arroyo	Year 5	Hannah Wilkinson-Taylor
Year 6	Hannah Fairbrother		

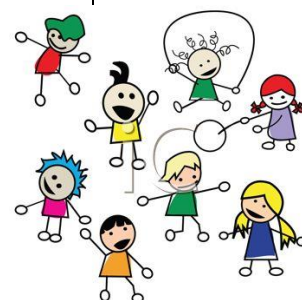
Attendance Award

Year 2

Playground Awards

KS1 Indoor	Stephen Rigby	KS2 Indoor	Jessica Walsh
KS1 Outdoor	Lewis Williams	KS2 Outdoor	Kai Fairhurst

Well done everyone



Let's Sing

Well done to our Year 3 children who gave a magnificent performance at Monday's "Let's Sing" concert at Robin Park in Wigan. The children have been practising really hard with Mrs Davies and Miss Green for the last few months and all their hard work paid off. I was delighted to be able to go and watch the children and immensely proud of them all. The children's singing brought a tear to many people's eyes. Thank you to all the parents/carers and families who came along to support the children. We hope you enjoyed it too.



Parents' Evenings

If you have not booked a time yet to meet with your child's class teacher, please contact the school office and they will be happy to help you organise one. We believe these meetings are a very important part of our home/school communication and provide you with an opportunity to meet with your child's teacher and discuss their progress and for you to ask any questions you may have so please try and come if you can.

Head Lice

Please can you check your child's hair regularly, as we have had quite a few reported cases in school. Free treatment is available at local chemists and pharmacies. Thank you.

KS2 SATS

The Year 6s will take the statutory assessment tests in the week beginning Monday May 8th 2017. A special free breakfast club for all Y6s will be held that week.



Y4 Day Trip to help Golborne High Wetlands Project

On Tuesday Miss Myers, Miss Hughes, Mrs Cross and the Y4s spent the day digging up young trees at The Three Sisters and replanting them in the new developed Wetlands at Golborne High School. A very enjoyable day was had by all. Thank you to GHS for providing us with free transport for the day.

After School Clubs

ALL the afterschool clubs have now finished for this term. New forms will come out soon for next term, so please can you return these as soon as possible and ensure you have received confirmation that your child has a place at the club of their choice before they attend. Places are allocated on a "first come first served" basis, as numbers are limited for several of the clubs so if your child does not get the club of their choice, their name will be placed on a reserve list. The after school clubs will start from Monday 24th April and will run for a total of 8 weeks until Friday 23rd June.

School Car Park

Please can we remind parents not to walk through the gates, even if they are open, and then across the staff car park. It has been brought to our attention that some parents are running through the gates with children, when the gates are closing, which of course is dangerous. The safety of all our children is as always of the utmost importance. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Sainsbury's Active Kids

We are once again collecting the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers and there is a collection box in the main reception area. This scheme has enabled us to purchase outdoor play equipment for the children in the past, so we are hopeful we will be able to collect enough vouchers to do the same again this year. We hope you will once again support our school and bring in any vouchers you collect.

Thank you.



At Lowton J & I we aim for all children to have 96% attendance or over.
The school's overall attendances for each year group are:

Year Group	Last Week	Yearly Attendance to Date
Reception	98.00%	96.74%
Year 1	97.14%	95.53%
Year 2	99.67%	96.39%
Year 3	98.00%	96.57%
Year 4	97.33%	96.26%
Year 5	95.67%	95.44%
Year 6	98.75%	96.38%

Dates for your diary

Monday 27 th March	Parent and Teacher meetings
Tuesday 28 th March	Parent and Teacher meetings
Thursday 30 th March	Pupil of the Term assembly 9.00am
Friday 31 st March	School closes for Easter Holidays 3.30pm
Tuesday 18 th April	INSET Day – school closed to pupils
Wednesday 19 th April	School reopens to pupils at 8.45am
Monday 24 th – Friday 28 th March	Times Tables Week
Monday 1 st May	School closed- Early May Bank Holiday
Thursday 4 th May	School closed – Polling Day
Monday 8 th – Friday 12 th May	KS2 SATs week
Wednesday 17 th May	Y5 Trip to Jodrell Bank, Cheshire
Thursday 18 th May	PTFA Sponsored Bounce Day
Friday 26 th May	School Closes for May half-term holiday
Monday 5 th June	School reopens at 8.45am
Tuesday 6 th June	Wigan Warriors in school
Thursday 8 th June	New Starters meeting at 5.30pm



More information will be available on the school website (www.lowtonprimary.wigan.sch.uk) and in future newsletters regarding school activities.

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