

Weekly
newsletter



Friday 21st
April 2017

Welcome back!
We hope you all had a
lovely Easter holiday.

Going for Gold Assembly

Awards for the week ending 21st April

Pupil of the week:

Reception	Matthew Gregory	Year 1	Freyah Pye
Year 2	Teona Bate	Year 3	Imogen Northcott
Year 4	Ruth Charnock	Year 5	Ben Staley
Year 6	Luke Preston		

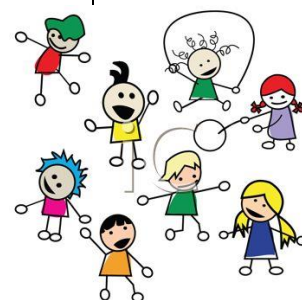
Attendance Award

Year 6

Playground Awards

KS1 Indoor	Katie Ashton	KS2 Indoor	Kiera Balmer
KS1 Outdoor	Jett Weston	KS2 Outdoor	Lewis Hooton

Well done everyone



Polling Days – Advance Notice

We have been advised that school will be used as a polling station on Thursday 4th May for the local elections and also Thursday 8th June for the unexpected and recently announced General Election. School will be closed to pupils on both days.



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.



After School Clubs

All after-school clubs will restart next week, week beginning Monday 24th April and will run until the week ending Friday 23rd June. Please check that your child has been allocated a place before they attend a club. Thank you



Thank you

On behalf of all the staff, and myself I would like to thank you for your kind words, messages of support and lovely comments following the two recent articles on our school in the Leigh Journal and Bolton Evening News. At Lowton J & I, we are very proud of all our children and their achievements and we are very grateful to have such wonderful and supportive parents.

Lost Property

Just to let you know any unnamed and unclaimed property at the end of April will be washed, ironed and added to our recycling rail in the entrance hall. There is quite a lot so please check if you are missing any items of your child's uniform before then. Thank you.

Times Tables Week

Next week we are having a big push on times tables for Y2-6. All the children have been challenged to earn at least one wristband, with a prize going to the year group with the highest percentage of children who do so. Please encourage your child to practise at home. Thank you for your support with this, quick recall of these number facts will be of a real benefit to the children.



100% Attendance in the Spring Term

Well done to the following children who achieved 100% attendance from 09/01/17-31/03/17.

Reception: Eva Chadwick, Alex Elvin, Matthew Gregory, Mia Grimes, Oliver Hodgson, Joseph Marron, Paige Meade, Finlay Merga, Riley Pike, Isabelle Prescott, Isla Schoelzel, James Scully, Jasmine Shiel, Erika Smith, Sophie Snelgrove, Libby Ward & Peyton Wilson-Vardy.

Year 1: Poppy Aitken, Katie Ashton, Declan Boon, Hannah Leigh, Zara Percival, Stephen Rigby, Cain Smith, Erin Smith & Megan Wilkinson.

Year 2: Samuel Ashworth, William Boydell, Olivia Cunliffe, Amelia Gotheridge, Lillie Hurst, Elise Ip, Ollie Johnson, Lacey Lucas, Destiny Meade, Adam Morton, Jessica Ormandy, Jonny Rigby, Jett Weston & Lewis Williams.

Year 3: Cameron Cunningham, Jack Hamed, Evie Northcott, Imogen Northcott, Jorja Percival, Alfie Scott, Charlie Scott, Ella Shirley, Sophie Smith, Emerson Wilson-Vardy & Dominic Yates.

Year 4: Matthew Hodgson, Lewis Hooton, Gaea Miller, Amelia Morton, Millie Pilkington & Chelsey Shirley.

Year 5: Matthew Ashton, Keira Balmer, Daniel Boydell, Sohpie Chan, Robert Colbeck, Isobelle Davies, Ellie Dutton, Kai Fairhurst, Tyler Latham, Harry Lomas, Camden Northcott, Ben Staley, Aaron Tully, Jessica Walsh & Mia Walsh.

Year 6: Dylan Bradshaw, Jamie Broom, Zach Den Kaat, Shaun Fairhurst, Lily Henson, McKenzie Latham, Luke Preston, Harvey Scott, Toby Staley & Bethany Taylor-Hundley.

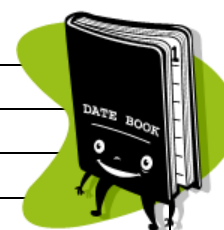
At Lowton J & I we aim for all children to have 96% attendance or over.

The school's overall attendances for each year group are:

Year Group	Last Week	Yearly Attendance to Date
Reception	93.75%	96.53%
Year 1	92.86%	95.45%
Year 2	94.76%	96.40%
Year 3	96.25%	96.47%
Year 4	91.67%	95.97%
Year 5	96.25%	95.43%
Year 6	99.48%	96.55%

Dates for your diary

Monday 24 th March	After school clubs start again
Monday 24 th – Friday 28 th March	Times Tables Week
Wednesday 26 th April	PTFA meeting 9.00am in the Community Room
Monday 1 st May	School closed – Early May Bank Holiday
Tuesday 2 nd May	Parents' Maths workshop
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
Tuesday 23 rd May	School Sport's Day - provisional
Friday 26 th May	Parents Open morning 9.00am – 10.00am
Friday 26 th May	School closes for May half-term holiday
Monday 5 th June	School reopens after May half-term holiday



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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