

Weekly newsletter



Friday 11th
May 2018



Going for Gold Assembly

Awards for the week ending 4th May

Pupil of the week:

Reception	Connor Kennedy	Year 1	Matthew Gregory
Year 2	Liam Dunne	Year 3	Johnny Rigby
Year 4	Charlie Aitken	Year 5	Bradley Eckersley
Year 6	Harry Lomas		

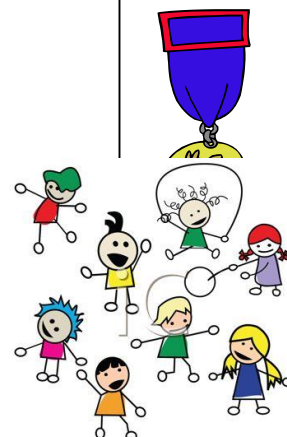
Playground Awards

KS1 Indoor	Hope Callaghan	KS1 Outdoor	Riley Pike
KS2 Indoor	Tilly McCarthy	KS2 Outdoor	Johnny Rigby

Attendance Award for week ending 4th May

Reception

Well done everyone



KS2 SATs week 14th – 18th May

Next week, the Standard Assessment Tests for 11 year olds (Year 6) take place in school.

Our Year 6s have worked extremely hard all year and we are already very proud of what they have achieved and not just academically. They are growing into sensible, well-balanced and rounded young people who I am sure will go on to do very well at High School.

I wanted to take this opportunity to say well done for working so hard, good luck in the tests and just try to do your best.

We are all very proud of every one of you.

KS1 Tuck Payments

Please can you ensure that you send in payment for your child's snack each Monday, which is £1.50 for toast and milk, or 75p for just toast or just milk. If you would like to pay in full each term then please call into the school office. If payment is not received then, unfortunately, your child will not be able to have snack that day. Thank you.

School Council Cake Sale

We have received a letter of thanks from the World Wildlife Fund for our recent donation following a cake sale organised by the School Council, which raised £195.50. Thank you for all your support.



School Uniform

We currently have some good quality recycled summer dresses for age 6, 9 and 10 together with other items of uniform for various ages, so if you would like to have a look please call into the school office. Thank you.



Open Morning

On Friday 26th May 2017, we will be holding our termly Open Morning for parents between 9.00-10.00am. You are very welcome to visit your child's classroom during this time to look at their books and some of the work displayed around the room. The staff will also be available for an informal chat. I appreciate that you have to wait after dropping your child off for the doors to reopen but this is to allow us to take registers, order dinners and ensure all normal day to day routines are completed.

With effect from the next academic year we will be varying the days we hold our Open Mornings in response to a suggestion on our annual parents' questionnaire.



Sponsored Bounce Tuesday 22nd May

Our PTFA are again organising school's annual sponsored bounce. This is always a popular event with all of the children and helps the PTFA to raise funds for school. Although they hold several fund raising events throughout the year, I think this is the one the children enjoy the most. 😊 Please support the PTFA by helping your child to collect sponsorship. We are extremely grateful to the PTFA for all their hard work, the funds help to provide all of our children with those "little extras" the school budget can't stretch too.

Thank you for all your support

Bikes and Scooters

Please can I remind everyone that bikes and scooters **must not** be ridden on the school grounds. Children (including younger siblings) and adults are very welcome to come to school on these but must dismount at the top of the main path to school and push them to the racks. **Thank you for your support.**



Contact and Medical Details

We know people change their mobile phones and therefore numbers regularly but it is really important that school is able to contact you in an emergency. Please keep us up to date with all your contact names and number.

Also if your child is diagnosed with an illness or has a condition you are not sure we are aware of please contact the school office. The safety and health of all our children is of the utmost importance to us.



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	97.44%	92.41%
Year 1	95.83%	94.60%
Year 2	96.25%	94.59%
Year 3	94.92%	96.29%
Year 4	95.83%	96.02%
Year 5	94.58%	96.25%
Year 6	95.42%	95.44%

Dates for your diary

Monday 14 th – Friday 18 th May	KS2 SATs week
Tuesday 22 nd May	PTFA Sponsored Bounce
Friday 25 th May	Parents' Open Morning 9.00-10.00am
Friday 25 th May	School closed for half-term holiday
Monday 4 th June	School reopens after half-term holiday
Monday 4 th June	Music Alive performance for whole school
Tuesday 5 th June	Ross Montgomery, author, in school
Wednesday 6 th June	Year 1 Hearing screening
Thursday 7 th June	New Starters' meeting 5.30pm
Monday 11 th – Friday 15 th June	Phonics screening week
Friday 15 th June	Inspire 1 2.00 – 3.00pm
Friday 22 nd June	Inspire 2 2.00 – 3.00pm
Friday 22 nd June	PTFA Own clothes day – donations for rainbow tombola
Tuesday 26 th June	Y6 Transition day to Westleigh High
Wednesday 27 th June	Provisional Sports Day
Thursday 28 th June	Y6 Transition day to Lowton High
Friday 29 th June	Y6 Transition day to Golborne High
Saturday 30 th June	PTFA Summer Fair 12.00-3.00pm
Thursday 5 th July	Reception trip to Underwater Street
Friday 6 th July	Fishers' Mobile Farm in school
Tuesday 17 th July	Pop Project in school
Thursday 19 th July	Award's Assembly 9.00am
Friday 20 th July	Leavers' and Y6 awards Assembly 9.00am
Friday 20 th July	PTFA End of Year Party for all children 1.00pm
Friday 20 th July	School closes for the Summer break



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