

Leadgate Primary School – Friday Newsletter

Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

Friday, 5th July 2019

This day in history

1997 The birth of Dolly, possibly the world's most famous sheep. She was cloned by scientists in Edinburgh

2001 The Shard, Europe's tallest building to date was officially unveiled in London.



Whole School Attendance

Year 1 = 84.8%
Year 2 = 97.8%
Year 3 = 97.1%
Year 4 = 90.0%
Year 5 = 92.5%
Year 6 = 97.5%



Calendar Dates

Tuesday 9th July – Lower School Parent's Evening 3.30 – 6pm

Tuesday 9th July – Year 6 Ultimate Bounce Class Trip

Wednesday 10th July – Lower & Upper School Parent's Evening

Thursday 11th July – Upper School Parent's Evening 3.30 – 6pm

Thursday 18th July – Last Day of Term

End of Year Class Assemblies

Monday 8th July – Year 3, 9.10am

Tuesday 9th July – Year 4, 9.10am

Wednesday 10th July – Year 1, 9.10am & Nursery, 11.15am

Thursday 11th July – Year 5, 9.10am

Friday 12th July – Reception, 9.10am

Leavers Assemblies

Tuesday 16th July – Year 6, 9.10am

Wednesday 17th July – Year 2, 9.10am

Congratulations

Well Done to Year 2 for the best attendance in Lower School and Year 6 for the best attendance in Upper School.

Our school target is 97%.

End of Year Staffing Changes

It is with great sadness that I write to inform parents that at the end of this term Mr Todd will be retiring. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr Todd for all the work and support he has put into our school and our children. Since starting in the school he has taught across years 1, 2 and 4, been Lower School SEN coordinator and coordinated subjects across the whole school.

Mr Todd has also asked me to pass on his many thanks and gratitude to you all for your support and assistance over the years.

I am sure that you will join us in wishing him well in his exciting new future. He will be very much missed by all of us.

Mental Health Day

Upper School enjoyed a special funday focusing on Mental Health. We had an inflatable assault course, practised yoga and took part in many other mindful activities.

Thanks to Chris Cook, Joanne Proctor from Lil Mis Fit and Party Time Inflatables and also to the staff who worked so hard to ensure the day was a great success!

Summer Fayre

It's that time of year again and our annual School Summer Fayres are just around the corner. Both fayres take place on Monday 15th of July. Lower School Fayre starts at 1pm and Upper School starts at 2pm.

We are also looking for contributions towards raffle and tombola prizes should anyone wish to donate anything to school. Please drop your donations off at the school office.

Lost Property

If your child has lost any uniform items through the year please check our lost property boxes. Lower School Lost Property is situated at the door of the Key Stage 1 and Early Years buildings and in the porches at Upper School.



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Mathletics Hall of Fame

1st	Brandon J	Y3
2nd	Logan H	Y3
3rd	Haydyn H	Y3
4th	Lucas E	Y3
5th	Nell D	Y3

Keep up the good work!



Seaside Trip

Thank you to all the parents who accompanied their children on the trip to South Shields. A great day was had by all!
A special thank you to Miss Debbie for all her fundraising efforts which meant we were able to provide this trip at no cost to parents or the school.



Summer Activities



Consett Library Space Chase

Summer Craft Sessions 23rd July – 27th August

10am-11am on Tuesdays:

23rd July 2019: The Aliens Have Landed

30th July 2019: Robots

6th August 2019: Spacejunk

13th August 2019: To Infinity & Beyond (Moon, Stars & Planets)

20th August 2019: Blast Off!!! (Rockets & Spacecraft)

27th August 2019: Spacejunk

Please book at the desk. Children under the age of 8 must be accompanied by an adult



Leadgate Big Bash

FOLLOW LEADGATE CRICKET CLUB FOR MORE INFO

FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

SATURDAY 20TH & SUNDAY 21ST JULY

BIG BASH

LEADGATE CRICKET CLUB

FACE PAINTING ★ GIANT INFLATABLES
BOUNCY CASTLES & SLIDES ★ LOADS MORE!

HOT FOOD AVAILABLE

SATURDAY 6-11pm

SUNDAY 12-9pm

ICE CREAM VAN

SATURDAY 20TH MUSIC NIGHT ONLY

**LIVE MUSIC & BEER MARQUEE FEATURING ★ BREAKFAST CLUB
FU FIGHTERS ★ WELLER EXPERIENCE ★ FRONT STREET
MADCHESTER EXPERIENCE ★ THE FUSED ★ MOORSIDE ELVIS
MR EGG ★ BROTHERS GRIM**

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