



Long Lane C.E. Primary School Marston Montgomery Primary School



Newsletter – June 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

We are now entering our final half term of the year. This is a busy half term with lots of different events planned, including events to help the children prepare for their next year in education!

Joint Events – May 2018

Orienteering Festival 04/05/18: The inter school orienteering festival provided an opportunity for the Marston and Long Lane children to work together once again. They experienced a full orienteering course on the Ashbourne Recreation Ground and thoroughly enjoyed it as well as exerting themselves to find the markers.

Y5 at Lea Green 09/05/18: All the Year 5 children from both schools enjoyed a day at Lea Green organised by Derbyshire School's Catering. In the morning they took part in various activities showing them where the food we eat comes from. In the afternoon we took part in various outdoor activities including a ropes course and orienteering.

Y6 SATs 14/05/18: Mrs Beloe says – 'Well done to our Year 6 children who worked so hard on their SATs, approaching them in a very mature way. Thank you also to the Governors who gave up their time to monitor the tasks.'

Mrs McManus says – 'A huge well-done to the nine Year 6 children at LL, who approached their SATs with confidence and maturity. Mrs McManus was very proud of all of them! They had all prepared for their tests with their own revision programme and of course, their Tuesday night Booster. The best part of the week was Thursday afternoon, when a post-SATs party was held, with lots of wonderful cakes, biscuits and drinks. (A special well done to all the bakers who made their own contributions to the party (the chocolate brownies deserving a special mention!))'

Y2 SATs / Quizzes: Miss Harris says – 'Over the last half term, the year two children worked extremely hard in preparation for their SATs and took the quizzes completely in their stride. The staff at school are very proud of their achievements this year and the children should be proud of themselves, too!'

Dance Day - 25th May: This was a lovely day to end the term on. We all spent the day at Long Lane, working in three groups – Infants, Y3/4 and Y5/6. Burton Albion Community Trust taught each group a dance from a country and they spent time learning about the country. At the end of day each group shared their dance and what they had learnt about the country. The Infants learnt about India and performed the Bhangra; Y3/4 learnt about New Zealand and performed the Haka; Y5/6 learnt about America and performed a Street Dance.

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Infant trip to Cat's Protection 01/05/18 – We walked to the Cats Protection League and were met by Sally who showed us round. We learnt about all the wonderful work that they do and met some very friendly cats. The children also received a goodie bag!

FOLL – Chocolate Bingo 11/05/18 – A huge thank you to everyone who supported this event by either attending or donating chocolate prizes. Everyone enjoyed a fun evening and FOLL raised £123.50 for their funds.

FOLL – Garden Tidy 12/05/18 – The garden received a much needed tidy today, thank you to everyone who helped out!

FOLL – Royal Wedding Tea Party 18/05/18 – A huge thank you, again, to everyone who supported this event. The sun shone and everyone enjoyed tea and cake on the field while the children took part in the treasure hunt or played football. FOLL raised £121.24 for their funds.

Share a Pencil Day 23/05/18 – During Collective Worship the children found out that not all children in the world have the opportunity to receive an education.

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Pyjama Day 18/05/18 – Children and staff enjoyed a special fund raising day which involved wearing pyjamas at school. This was for a very worthwhile local charity - Beau's Boots. We raised £42.50. The Garden Class also we celebrated the recent Royal Wedding, learning about Prince Harry and Princess Meghan and had a lovely tea party in the sunshine!

Bee Keepers Talk 18/05/18 – We were visited by three Derbyshire Bee Keepers ahead of our display at Chatsworth. We learnt all sorts of facts about honey bees (the staff learnt lots of new facts too)! We had the opportunity to make a bee hotel and a beeswax candle. As pyjama day coincided with the bee keeping talk we also all enjoyed wearing a beekeeper's outfit over the top of our pyjamas!

Community Lunch 23/05/18 – As popular as ever, we welcomed thirteen members of our local community into school to share a delicious roast dinner. If you know someone who would like to attend please tell them about it and let them have the school phone number so they can book a place.

Sports Events - Thank you to the sports' crew who organised an inter-house football tournament following the two previous successful basketball and dodge ball tournaments.

Joint Events this month

Sports Day 13/06/18 or 20/06/18 – Both schools will join together for our first joint sports day. Please refer to the separate letter which has been sent out giving more information.

Tri-Golf at QEGS 19/06/18 – Juniors from both schools will attend this event. Please look out for a separate letter with more information.

INSET 29/06/18 – Both MMPS and LLPS will be closed on this day for our first joint INSET day. Staff will spend the day working together to bring our topic cycles together and thinking about next year and the many different things we will do.

Long Lane – Events to look forward to this month

Gardening Club: on a Thursday, thank you to the parents who are already running this club. If you, or someone you know, enjoys gardening please let us know. Everyone is welcome to join our gardening club or to help at other times with the garden.

FOLL Meeting 06/06/18: The next meeting is at 7.30pm in The Cow at Dalbury Lees. Everyone is welcome, please come along and join in helping to raise money for the school and promoting the school. FOLL are always looking for new people to join them.

World Book Day 12/06/18: Our long awaited World Book Day is almost here after we had to cancel it in March due to the snow! We are looking forward to seeing the children's fancy dress outfits and welcoming Dads, Grandads and Uncles into school for the morning.

FOLL Summer Fair 23/06/18 and Mickleover Fair 24/06/18: Plans are already under way for our Summer Fair. There are a few things we need donating.

The Tombola - We will need quite a lot of items for the two events - which are the same weekend. So please start collecting now!

The Bottle Stall - We also need old newspapers and empty bottles - of all shapes and sizes. We will need donations of FULL bottles.

Volunteers – Are you able to ‘man’ a stall at our Fair for us? If you can, let us know.

We are looking for new members to join FOLL.

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RHS Chatsworth Trip 07/06/18 – Today the children and staff will be able to see the result of all their hard work when they visit Chatsworth to see their stand!

Well Dressing Weekend – 09/06/18 BBQ 10/06/18 Well Dressing – see leaflet

Preparation of the ‘boards’ will commence on Monday 4th June at 6pm in the Village Hall and then daily from 2-4pm and 6.30-9pm until Saturday 9th June. All encouraged to come and have a go at petalling, accompanied children welcome. Purple and green flowers and foliage are needed to complete the boards if anyone is able to donate?

Sunday 10th June : Blessing of the Wells at 2pm. 12 to 4pm Treasure Hunt around the Village, suggested donation £5 per family. Cream Teas, cakes, craft stalls and prize draw in the village hall all proceeds to be shared between The Coronation Hall and Nightingale Macmillan Unit, Royal Derby Hospital.

New Reception Induction 11/06/18, 18/06/18, 25/06/18 – We look forward to inviting our new reception children to join us for their induction afternoons on these days.

Y5&6 Smoking Prevention Talk 19/06/18 – Fiona will lead a smoking prevention talk for our Year 5 and 6 pupils.

Bike Ability Y5&6 21/06/18 – Year 5 and 6 pupils will need their bicycles in school today so that they can take part in Bike Ability.

Community Lunch 27/06/18 – Members of our community are welcome to join us for a roast dinner today. This is the last meal before the summer holidays.

Miss Barrie to see Y6 27/06/18 – Miss Barrie will bring a Year 7 pupil with her to talk to our Year 6s about QEGS and answer any questions they may have.

Forest Schools: The children MUST have warm, waterproof clothing with them. Please refer to the table below for Forest School dates this term. ***There have been changes of dates made to fit in with events that have been added to the diary, please look at this carefully.***

Reception, Y1, Y2	Year 3 and 4	Year 5 and 6
13/06/18 OR 20/06/18?	06/06/18	11/07/18
27/06/18	04/07/18	18/07/18

Useful Information

Safeguarding Information

A new app has been launched to provide advice and support to parents, carers and healthcare professionals looking after children with the most common childhood illnesses.

The HANDi app has been developed by paediatric consultants and will give you access to home care plans, as well as GP and hospital clinical guidelines, to help you provide the best support for your child and give you confidence in caring for them when they are unwell. The app describes care plans and guidance for the most common childhood health concerns, including:

- Abdominal pain
- Chestiness
- Diarrhoea and vomiting
- High Temperature
- Problems during the newborn period

Download the FREE App today

Download the HANDi App for Android phones at [Google Play](#).

For iPhone or iPad you can download it from the app store using the search term 'HANDi app'.
<http://www.southernderbyshireccg.nhs.uk/your-health-services/handi-app/>

Mrs Bosley's Plan

This is the plan for the remainder of this half term for when I will be at each school. Please note at times this may need to change and so this is only a provisional timetable. If you would like to speak to me when I am at the other school, please speak to a member of staff to see if they are able to help or ask staff to contact me so that I can contact you.

w/b	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
04/06/18	am –LLPS pm – Meeting	MMPS	LLPS	MMPS	LLPS
11/06/18	MMPS	LLPS	MMPS – Joint Sports Day	LLPS	MMPS
18/06/18	LLPS	MMPS	LLPS (unless Joint Sports Day)	am – Course pm – LLPS	MMPS
25/06/18	MMPS	LLPS	MMPS	LLPS	INSET Day
02/07/18	MMPS	LLPS	MMPS	LLPS	MMPS
09/07/18	LLPS	MMPS	LLPS	MMPS	LLPS
16/07/18	MMPS	MMPS	LLPS	am – LLPS pm – MMPS	am – MMPS pm – LLPS

Kind regards

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