

Newsletter



Monday 16th May, 2022

EVENTS

Friday celebration assembly, weekly from 13th May.

Inflatable Footy (lunchtime), Thursday 19th May.

Queen's Jubilee celebration

— artist, playground party
and choir performance,
Friday 27th May.

Buddying sessions at ICC for Year 6 students, 8th, 15th and 22nd June.

FOLS Summer Fete, Saturday 11th June.

Father's Day Assembly, Friday 17th June.

Go Ape trip for Year 6 pupils, Friday 24th June.

Summer Production, Wednesday 13th July from 1.30pm and Thursday 14 July from 6.30pm.

Sports Day, Friday 15th July.

Leavers' assembly, Tuesday 19th July.

Party in the Park, Tuesday July 19th, from 1.30pm. See page 5 of this newsletter.

Headteacher's Welcome

NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FOR SCHOOL



I thought you would like a sneak preview of the new playground climbing frame we have ordered for the children at school. There is just one minor snag — we have to apply for planning permission because the school site is in a conservation area. Unfortunately, this is going to take several weeks, so we may not be able to have it installed before September.

The good news is that we have been able to start up our lunchtime football club again (thank you Mrs Hemmings for acting as referee). The children have only really started playing together as a whole school since the COVID–19 restrictions were recently lifted (before that they were playing in their class bubbles). We have ordered some new goal posts thanks to a generous donation from the Year 6 parents last year, which will be better than the cones the children are currently using.



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TREATS GALORE FOR OUR SUPER SMART YEAR 6



Here are the Year 6 children after their final test of SATs week. Miss Baker has been spoiling the children every day with home-baked cakes and biscuits which they enjoyed after each test. Mind you, I think the children deserved the special treats because they have worked so hard throughout the year (with very few grumbles). They showed resilience and determination, and got stuck into all tasks, including the most challenging. They are pictured here with some yummy chocolate cake. Bill doesn't seem to have any and at first I thought he had devoured his before I had the chance to take the pic. But then I realised Miss Baker had seized his slice for a joke, but it all ended well when she handed it back. The children certainly thought it was very amusing.



CYCLING SAFETY

Pictured left are the Year 5 children, who took part in the Bikeability programme, which teaches children to ride safely on the roads. Congratulations to the following children who were awarded certificates: Harley, Thea, Taylor, Hattie, Charlie, Heidi, Cammille, Isaac and Holly.

THANK YOU FOLS for raising funds for our school. The pre-Easter cake sale and mufti day raised £200 while a further £120 was raised on May Day. Tiggs said: "May Day was wonderful and it really does feel like normality is back — such a joy to see all the children smiling, dancing so wonderfully and then playing together after school. We really appreciate your support and it's great to be back chatting together."









School





BLOOMIN' LOVELY

Mrs Hemmings couldn't resist taking these picture of Isla and Amber.

The girls had gathered up the buds that had fallen from some trees and had arranged them carefully into pretty posies.

So sweet!









Pictured above: Lily and Emmie

SMART PUPILS CHOOSE CORRECT EARRINGS FOR SCHOOL!

I noticed before Easter that some girls were coming to school wearing brightly coloured earrings. Some were rather sparkly and perhaps more appropriate for partywear while others sported earrings in the shape of fruits—strawberries etc.

I noticed that Lily and Emmie were wearing more subtle earrings (small, gold studs) that were very neat and blended in well with the school uniform.

I asked the girls to accompany me around the classrooms to show the other children what they should be wearing to school (small silver studs are fine too).

Thank you Lily and Emmie. You always look very smart in your uniforms. I think you make excellent ambassadors for Lewknor Church of England Primary School. Well done!



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Every week in our school newsletter, we will include a prayer and a Bible reading. These are taken from our new Jigsaw scheme of work for PSHE (Personal, Social, Health Education) and RE (Religious Education) and are shared with the children in class and at whole school assemblies.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Relationships: show respect in how they treat others

Dear God

We give thanks for our ears to listen, eyes to see with and hands to show how much we care. Let us always try to put ourselves in the place of others and treat them with respect and love.



Amen



WORD OF THE WEEK

Unite

Verb

If people unite, they work as a group.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

Colossians 3: 9-10, 16-17

Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of God. Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and help one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Mrs Cole



ENKnor C of E Primary School



WHOLE SCHOOL PARTY IN THE PARK

PARTY IN THE PARK!

YOU ARE INVITED!!

PLEASE JOIN LIVVY'S FAMILY • 1

JULY 19TH AT LEWKNOR HALL & PLAYING FIELD

FROM 1:30 TIL EARLY EVENING RSVP TO: TIGGS

JUST BRING:

YOURSELVES WITH BIG SMILES & PLENTY OF BOUNCE & MAYBE A BLANKET

Two Lewknor Primary parents—Sarah and Tiggs— are throwing a party for the whole school on the last day of term. Sarah and Tiggs, whose daughter Livvy is in the Year 6 class and who will be leaving Lewknor this year, just want to bring everyone together for a fun day

mcarpenterhanson@gmail.com

Tiggs said: "We hope that you will all come along with your families and join us in celebrating a very special place (Lewknor Primary) that Sarah and I are immensely grateful for."

Sarah and Tiggs feel that the past two years have been pretty bleak for our school family given the disruption caused by Covid-19. They also want to extend their party invitation to the Year 6 pupils and their families of the past two years. All the staff at Lewknor Primary have been invited too.

They are planning to have a barbecue, a bar, music and fun activities for the children. The party will take place on Tuesday 19th July in the field by the village hall from 1.30pm to 6pm.

Tiggs said: "Lewknor has been a great part of our life. Some people take schools for granted. We want to show that we value our school by throwing a party to say thank you. All people need to bring is their happy selves and maybe a picnic blanket."

Sarah and Tiggs will obviously need to know numbers so if you would like to attend the party please contact Tiggs at mcarpenterhanson@gmail.com

And if you have any questions about the day, then Sarah and Tiggs can be contacted via email.