

LARKHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



DATES FOR THE DIARY

DECEMBER

W/C 7th - Parent Evening Phone Calls

11th - Christmas Jumper Day

11th - Christmas Dinner

15th - Christmas Disco's

18th - Last day of Term 2

(Enjoy your Christmas break!)



Thank you to all who helped make our Book Fair a very successful one!

You have raised £166.12 to spend on books for the school!

Thank You!

WELL DONE CERTIFICATES

Every Friday we give out awards for children who demonstrate our school values. This week's recipients are:

LONGLEAT	WOODHENGE
Isla C - Self-belief	Filimoni - Respect
George N - Resilience	Alena - Respect
Isabella W - Resilience	SILBURY
ARCHER	Jones - Kindness
Florence - Self-belief	Tyler - Kindness
Amelia - Friendship	WESSEX
SALISBURY	Brooke – Self-belief
Marilyn - Respect	Abaiy – Kindness
STONEHENGE	Paige - Respect
Brooklyn - Respect	
Dylan - Respect	
Harvey - Respect	
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HEADS UPDATE

Another week closer to Christmas! I think we are all starting to feel the excitement from the children. We are going to try to do as much as we can with all of the restrictions in place to still ensure that the children get to have some Christmas fun in the last few weeks of term. Please look out for a separate email which details some of the Christmas events.

We have sent a few forms out over the last 24 hours all relating to remote learning and devices. Thank you so much for your responses. It has been really helpful. There will be further updates over the next few weeks

Have a great weekend and stay safe.

Mrs Taylor



Our very own Mrs Sui is currently taking part in the



THE SPECIAL FORCES CHALLENGE 10k a day for 10 days = 100k

She has been walking 10k EVERDAY before work to raise money for the Royal British Legion!

About Tommy

Tommy represents where RBLI began in 1919, supporting British soldiers returning from WW1. The story goes that German soldiers would call out to "Tommy" across no man's land if they wanted to speak to a British soldier. Since then, we have supported many wounded, injured and sick ex-Forces personnel. We commemorate those who sacrificed for our freedom and help to look after our veterans of today.

All of us here at Larkhill Primary are incredibly proud of her and the commitment she is showing to the task!

If you would like to donate towards Mrs Sui's Tommy 10k challenge you can do so via Facebook on the page -

Sala's Fundraiser for Royal British Legion Industries (RBLI)

CHRISTMAS DINNER 2020



This year's Christmas dinner will be held on **Friday 11th December**. All dinners need to be booked on Parent Pay by midnight **Tuesday the 1st December**. Please note any previous bookings for this date have been cancelled, so please log onto your parent pay account to check that your child is booked in! If you choose not to book your child a Christmas dinner, then please ensure you send them to school with a packed lunch.

MENU

MAIN Option 1

Roast Turkey served with Chipolata Sausage, Sage and Onion Stuffing, Cranberry Sauce and Gravy

MAIN Option 2

Feta, Spinach and Cranberry Puff Pasty Roll

VEGATABLES

Roast Potatoes and Mixed Seasonal Vegetables

DESSERT Option 1

Christmas Pudding served with Custard

DESSERT Option 2

Chocolate, Orange and Cranberry Brownie



This year we are supporting Save The Children by celebrating Christmas Jumper Day on Friday 11th December. This will coincide with our Christmas dinner. All children and staff are therefore invited to 'unleash their Christmas spirit' by wearing a Christmas jumper or accessory.

We would like to suggest a £1.00 donation per child for this day. Please can all payments be made via our Save The Children JustGiving page

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/larkhill-primary-schoolcjd2020? utm_source=Sharethis&utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=larkhill-primaryschoolcjd2020&utm_campaign=pfpemail&utm_term=541bb1f1cc5f404a95a1bf2ed651d05d

Some children may already have Christmas Jumpers but if they don't, we do not expect you to buy one! Children may wear a Christmas accessory instead, or turn an old jumper into a Christmas jumper or if you don't want to wear a jumper, why not design a Christmas t-shirt instead!



GET TO KNOW OUR STAFF

Every week we will be sharing some interesting facts about our staff at LPS!

NAME: Mrs Amy Archard

JOB TITILE - Year 5 Teacher

BIRTHPLACE - Macclesfield but my family emigrated to New Zealand when I was 2

FAVOURITE FOOD - Chocolate

HOBBY - Walking, knitting and travelling

PETS - Dog names Bertie who is 15 years old!

INTERESTING FACT - I've met Noel Edmunds and the Harry Potter cast and cooked them lunch!



CHRISTMAS CARDS

If your child would like to bring Christmas cards in this year to distribute they MUST be received by Friday 11th December.

The cards will then be quarantined for 72 hours and distributed to the children/staff during the last week of term.

Cards will be collected from your child's class.



Jordan Wyle is an ex soldier and now author and explorer. He visited the school a few months ago and is currently undertaking a world record to go around the coastline of the UK on a paddle board. He is 4 months in and is now around the coast of Scotland. He is due to finish in March 2021. He is leading this challenge in order to raise money for the charity Frontline Children which helps to provide education for children who live in war torn countries.

We want to do our bit to help Jordan in this incredible endeavor and raise the much needed funds for the charity. So we are asking the children to guess the name of giant teddy and donate a minimum of £1 to be in with a chance to win the teddy. All donations will go straight to the charity.

I will put a photo of the teddy and all the other details on our Facebook page over the next few days.

