



NEWSLETTER

"Learning in mind, community at heart"

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Welcome back after our Easter Holiday. As always, the children have settled in well.

Just a quick reminder with the weather warming up again, could you please ensure you apply sunscreen before your child comes into school and provide them with a sunhat that has their name in.

Over the last few months we have been reviewing our written communication with you all. We feel that our new website is far more informative and easier to navigate. Our attention has now turned to our newsletters which we want to make more positive. We sometimes feel that they are simply filled with routine messages about dates, dinner money and parking and must be quite boring for you to read. Lodge Farm is about far more than this and we want to reflect our vibrant and exciting community in our letters to you. We love writing our end of term celebration letters which illustrate all the fantastic things that the children have been doing and we want to increase our focus on learning throughout the term too.

So, we will send all dates out at the beginning of every half term and continue to communicate with you via school comms (text and email). But, from now on, newsletters will be published on a fortnightly basis – still on a Wednesday - and with a heavier focus on learning.

We hope you enjoy reading them and would welcome any feedback.

ENJOY THE THREE DAY WEEKEND!

30th April 2019

MAY	
Throughout May 2019	Year 2 SATS
Monday 6 th May 2019	Mayday Holiday – School Closed
Friday 10 th May 2019	Year 6 only non-uniform day and cake sale for all year groups
Monday 13 th – Friday 17 th May 2019	KS2 SATS Week – NO HOLIDAYS FOR YEAR 6 IN THIS WEEK PLEASE
Monday 20 th May 2019	Walk to School Week – more details to follow
Monday 27 th – Friday 31 st May 2019	Summer Half Term (School finishes at normal time on Friday 24 th May)
JUNE	
Monday 3 rd June 2019	Back to School
Thursday 6 th June 2019	PTA Summer Disco – Details to follow.
Monday 10 th June 2019	Year 1 Phonics Screening Week
Mon 10 th – Fri 14 th June 2019	Year 6 Residential Trip
Tuesday 11 th June – 6.30	Marilyn Hawes – back by popular demand!
Thursday 13 th June 2019	PTA – Father's Day Secret Room – Details to follow
Tuesday 18 th June 2019	Nursery Trip Aldenham Park
Thursday 20 th June 2019	Year 1 Trip – Paradise Wildlife Park

JULY	
Wednesday 3 rd July 2019	Year 3 – Hatfield House Trip
Thursday 11 th July 2019	Secondary Transfer Day
Tuesday 16 th July 2019	Nursery Leavers assembly – details to follow
Thursday 18 th July 2019	End of Summer Term NURSERY CHILDREN ONLY
Thursday 18 th July 2019	Yr 6 - Leavers Disco 7pm- 9pm
Friday 19 th July 2019	End of Summer Term – School finishes at 1.15pm (Rec to Year 6)
Monday 22 nd & Tuesday 23 rd July 2019	INSET DAYS – SCHOOL CLOSED FOR CHILDREN
Wednesday 24 th July 2019	Occasional Day – School Closed