

Lingfield Primary School Newsletter

Anti Bullying Week

Anti-Bullying Week is week beginning Monday 15th November. We will be using resources throughout the week with pupils across school. Monday 15th November will be Odd Socks Day. Pupils do not need to bring any money into school to take part, they just need to be wearing odd socks to raise awareness of bullying issues.

It is important to note, we do not just cover issues around bullying during this week. Our curriculum throughout school deals with issues relating to bullying, its impact and what children need to do if they do not feel safe. We also spend time across school teaching pupils about online safety and issues around cyber bullying. Our website has some excellent links to various online organisations which can be used to support this work further at home. <http://lingfieldprimary.co.uk/e-safety/>



Remembrance Day

Thank you to all our families who bought items through school from the Royal British Legion. We have raised £333.20 this is not including money placed in the Poppy collection box.

Young Minds Super Star

I just want to share with you something one of our Y4 pupils has been doing in recent weeks. As you will recall, we raised £298 for Young Minds as part of World Mental Health Day. Alfie has taken things a little further. He has been selling his toys on the internet and has raised £215. All the money raised has been donated to Young Minds. We are very proud of Alfie and his act of kindness.

Lost Property

We have a large tub of lost property items at the school office. Some items have been here since before the summer. The clothing ranges from winter coats to school cardigans and hoodies. These items do not have names in them unfortunately. We will be popping the box outside of the school office daily until Wednesday. All items uncollected will then be taken to the charity shops in due course.

Children in Need

Children in Need is Friday 19th November. This year the School Council are planning events for school to be involved in. As soon as plans are finalised, we will send information out to parents with further details.

Medication in School

A polite reminder that we can only administer medication which has been prescribed by a Doctor. If your child needs medication during the school day a form **must** be completed at the front office so we have all the necessary details. We can only offer this facility to medication which is required more than three times a day. This is following advice from our Nursing Team who say that medication required three times a day can be managed at home. Thank you for your support with this matter.

Dates for Your Diary

15th November	Start of Anti Bullying Week and Odd Socks Day
19th November	Children in need
29th November	Christmas Fayre
7th December	Christmas Lunch
8th December	KS2 Christmas Performance (afternoon)
	Reception and Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance (evening)
9th December	Reception and Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance (afternoon)
	KS2 Christmas Performance (evening)
10th December	Nursery Performances
13th December	Y3&Y4 Christmas Party
14th December	Y1 & Y2 Christmas Party
15th December	Reception Christmas Party
16th December	Nursery Party
17th December	Y5& Y6 Christmas Party

Have a great weekend
Phil Thackstone
Head Teacher