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Letter from the Head



Dear Parent and Carers,

Happy half term. I sound a bit like a broken record, but this half term has literally whizzed by - we have no idea where the time has gone. We are now halfway through the year!!

I thought I would update you with some important dates for your diary now, just to give you the heads up. Of course, the finer details will follow in due course, but we always try to ensure parents who have work commitments or other, have as much notice as possible. As a staff of working parents, we realise how frustrating - even when unavoidable - short notice school commitments can be.

Friday 31st March 2023 - School Reports go home

Friday 26th May 2023 - Reminder of school inset day

Wednesday 7th June 2023 - Class group photos

Monday 19th June 2023 - Start of Sports week

Wednesday 21st June 2023 - SPORTS DAY (FSU & KS1 a.m) (KS2 p.m)

Friday 7th July 2023 - Summer Fayre 3pm - 5p.m

Other news: We have had some wonderful learning opportunities taking place in school this week. Year 2 have had a fun filled day of learning focusing on their Kings and Queens theme, whilst the year 6's have been finishing off their unit on Harry Potter. The early years children are also incredibly engaged and focussed on their learning surrounding the Antarctic. I am always amazed when I walk into our early years setting - Mrs Steele and the team provide the most engaging learning environment and the high expectations really do set the children up to a great start here at Lanner. I can also report that all other year groups have been creating the most wonderful pieces of learning and there is a real buzz of energy, fun and learning running through the corridors. I love it.

A reminder that Monday 20th February is an inset day and school will not be open. I hope you have an amazing half term, and we look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 21st February.

Kind regards Kieran Walsh

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Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: Daniel, Leo, Grace

Y2: Freddie, Marcus, Madeline

Y3: Frankie, Heidi, Miles

Y4: Evelyn, Kaia, Dylan

Y5: Peran, Bobby, Barney

Y6: Oscar, Madison, Nico



Aftendance Cup

| Group | % Attend |
|--------|----------|
| Year 1 | 96.3 |
| Year 2 | 98.1 |
| Year 3 | 94.8 |
| Year 4 | 95.4 |
| Year 5 | 99.4 |
| Year 6 | 93.8 |
| Totals | 96.3 |



Dates for your diary

Monday 13th—Friday 17th February—Half
Term

Monday 20th February—Inset Day

Monday 3rd—Friday 14th April—Easter Holidays

Monday 1st May -Bank Holiday

Monday 8th May –King's Coronation Bank Holiday

Friday 26th May—Inset Day

Monday 29th May—Friday 2nd June— Half

Wednesday 7th June 2023 – Class group photos

Word of the week

Our word of the week is - Enhance

Definition — to improve or add to the quality, value, or attractiveness of.

The flower arrangements enhance the beauty of the dining room.

Please try and use this word as much as you can with your child.



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Lanner Lions



Well done to all our Lanner Lions!



Year 1: Tobias & Daisy

Year 2: Theone & Frankie

Year 3: Finley & Sophia

Year 4: Darcy & Caitlin

Year 5: Max & Wren

Year 6: Leila & Amber

of the week 'eau' Means 'water' in French.

Please try and use this French word as much as you can with your child.

Menu Change

Monday 6th March—St Piran's Day

Please select main for the steak pasty option and veggie for the cheese & onion option.

Please see menu opposite. No sandwiches or pasta will be available on this day, any bookings made for these options will be removed. Jacket potatoes will still be offered.

Polite reminder

Please can all outstanding dinner balances be cleared as soon as possible.

We would ask that all dinner balances are cleared weekly to avoid an outstanding balance build up.

Many thanks.



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The Aztecs used to use chocolate as money

The Aztecs believed cacao (cocoa) was a gift from the Gods and it was so valuable that they used cacao beans as currency to buy food and other goods.



