

Newsletter

Friday 3rd March 2023

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Letter from the Head



Dear Parent and Carers,

Thank you all so much for your amazing efforts with this year's World Book Day. There have been some fantastic costumes - and ideas. Too many to mention, but I was particularly tickled by Greta (Y6) carrying a Melon and a Cauliflower (for the adjective melancholy - i.e. sadness / pensive). The children looked amazing - as did the staff. So, a very big thank you to you all.

We are looking forward to next week's sponsored walk/run for the Turkey/ Syria appeal. Your kind and supportive comments were very welcomed and reinforced that we are definitely doing the right thing. As I'd mentioned previously, it is always tricky doing fund raising activities - especially in this current climate. However, this disaster has clearly had an impact on yourselves too, so your support and generous donations are warmly welcomed. Please can your child come to school in their PE kit on this day (Wednesday 8th).

Other news: Attendance. As you know, we continually monitor, support and challenge attendance here at Lanner. This year has been particularly challenging for everyone due to some nasty viruses and bugs. I would like to thank you all though for the continued effort to promote good attendance and punctuality. It has a huge impact on your child's learning, and we could not achieve our high standards without your help in this area. You may remember that I have also written to you all regarding fixed penalty notices for unauthorised leave of absence. Please be advised that this is still very much the case, and I would encourage you to try your hardest to refrain from taking holidays during term time.

That is it from me this week. I am looking forward to sharing some dates with you all soon with regards to coming in and seeing your child's books again. We are very proud of our new format this year (separate books for every subject) and the learning that is now bulging out of these books looks great. It is always a great time for you to have a chat with your child too about their learning. I will keep you updated as and when.



Have a great weekend.

Kind regards
Kieran Walsh

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Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: Alyvia, Malakai, Desmond

Y2: Anna, Ozzy, Hugo

Y3: Leo, Finnley, Olivia D

Y4: Carlos, Ricardo, Ruben

Y5: Vinny, Alfie, Archie

Y6: Riley, Mitchell, Amber



Attendance Cup

Group	% Attend
Year 1	93.2
Year 2	95.2
Year 3	98.2
Year 4	95.5
Year 5	96.5
Year 6	93.4
Totals	95.4



Dates for your diary

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 Term

Wednesday 7th June 2023—Class group photos

Word of the week

Our word of the week is – **Prominent**

Definition 1 — easy to see or notice because of some difference.

Definition 2 — sticking out beyond a surface.

Definition 3 — well known or important

The single tree in the field is prominent

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

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French word of the week



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

BLAST

If you know that you will need to book your child/children into breakfast or after school club for certain dates then we advise booking in advance. Both the morning and afternoon sessions are getting very busy and often there is not space for last minute bookings.

Many thanks



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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.

GOOL PERAN LOWEN!
ST PIRAN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Menu

**Traditional Steak Pasty
or Cheese and Onion Pasty**

Hevva Cake

Jacket Potato available on request

Pasties were taken down the mines by the adults and children who worked there; the shape and size made them ideal for carrying. It's distinctive D shape with the crust acting as a handle, which was discarded to prevent contaminating the food with grubby, possibly arsenic-laden hands.

All Proper Cornish we are passionate about quality pasty, filled with great tasting ingredients, made properly in Cornwall for people who love food.

We are passionate and honest about where our ingredients come from. All Proper Cornish, we believe in supporting our local farmers. Our tinned comes from Kobylo, courtesy of Trevor Goldworthy's family run farm, our potatoes come from third generation farmer Chris Doolan from Far and our onions are grown by Anthony West of Topcast. Cornwall grows some of the highest quality produce in the world, so why go anywhere else?

Chartwells

boomplant

Meet the Experts is back with a brand new series and looking for expert children to take part!

Does your child have an interesting hobby that they are extremely passionate about?

Would they like to showcase their talent and expertise on Channel 5's Milkshake?

We want to hear from entertaining and outgoing children between 7-8yrs old, of all different backgrounds and abilities.

For more information please email: MTE@boomcymru.co.uk or call: 07436 097767

We welcome applications from all sections of the community including from ethnically diverse groups. Boom will process your information in accordance with its privacy policy bit.ly/2ozsznD. Due to the high volume of responses, we cannot reply to everyone.

milkshake!

MEET THE EXPERTS

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Random fun fact of the week!



Slowworms are actually legless lizards not worms or snakes.

Look out for it basking in the sun on heathlands and grasslands, or even in the garden, where it favours compost heaps.

Have a great weekend!!