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### **Letter from the Head**



Dear Parent and Carers,

I hope you have all enjoyed the term so far. It has been action packed and seems to have gone in a blink of an eye. Please now brace and get prepared for the craziness, and run up to Christmas! © We have a really busy half term planned with lots of great learning opportunities, trips, guests and of course the odd fun surprise thrown in for the children.

This morning I had the absolute pleasure of handing out lots of certificates to the children in assembly. For every child who received a weekly Lannergram - well done. But an extra special mention goes to all the children who received a half termly Lanner Lion award. It is always such a hard decision for the teachers to select just two children per half term (as there are so many worthy candidates), but well done to our Lanner Lions. In addition, we have 4 amazing year 6 children who were awarded the prestigious honour of 'Prefect'. I have some big plans for these children, and we are truly grateful for everything they do: Looking after younger children; carrying out important jobs; speaking to visitors as well as so much more. They are amazing - so well done to our new prefects.

And a final thank you to all of the support staff here at Lanner (on behalf of myself and the teachers). We would be lost without our amazing team of support staff - they are sometimes the unsung and unseen heroes. On that topic I would like to wish Mrs Pascoe a very happy 60th Birthday. I have no idea where she gets her energy from... she is truly amazing and helps so many children (and staff). Mrs Pascoe often works very closely with some of our most vulnerable children, as well as whole classes. She has so much love to give to all the children and if I could clone her I would. Her knowledge and expertise are out of this world and we are very lucky to have her here. Thank you Mrs Pascoe, from all of us at Lanner and we wish you a very happy 60th birthday (And please do not dare think about retiring - ever!! ©).



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## Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: Jacob, Charlotte, Oakley

Y2: Darcie-Rae, Grace, Lucas

Y3: Marcus, Amber, Adone

Y4: Ella-Louise, Harvey, Frankie

Y5: Jensen, Logan, Cora

Y6: Oscar, Athena, Zoe





Monday 23rd—Friday 27th -half term

**Thursday 2nd November**—Halloween Disco -4:14-5:15 FSU & KS1 5:30 – 6:30 KS2.

**Thursday 7th December** -National Christmas Jumper day – (non-school uniform and Christmas jumper).

**Wednesday 13th December**—Christmas dinner day – (non-school uniform and Christmas Jumpers can be worn).

**Wednesday 13th December**—5.30pm Reception Christmas production

Thursday 14th December—2.00pm Y1/2 production

**Thursday 14th December**—5.30pm Y3,4,5 & 6 production

w/c 4<sup>th</sup> June. Sports week – Sports Day—26.06.24





Group	% Attend
Year 1	96.2
Year 2	96.0
Year 3	98.5
Year 4	98.5
Year 5	95.3
Year 6	92.9
Totals	96.1

Word of the week

Our word of the week is - Seasonal

Definition—having to do with the seasons or a particular season of the year.

Lifeguards at the beach have a seasonal job.

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



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### French word

the week





in French.

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



Year 2: Emily, Thomas

Year 3: Anna, Henry

Year 4: Heidi & Archie

Year 5: Evelyn, Mila

Year 6: Alfie, Phoebe





### **Y6 Secondary School applications**

Just to remind you that applications need to be in by the 31st October.

www.cornwall.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schoolsand-colleges/school-admissions/apply-to-start-schoolor-transfer-to-junior-secondary-or-ks4-school-inseptember-2024/



### Topic of the week



This week's discussion is:

If you eat a grape from the shelf whilst shopping in the supermarket, is that stealing?

> Please try to discuss this week's question with your child.





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### **Tesco Blue Tokens**

We have entered into Tesco's blue token scheme where we could win up to £1500.00 for the school. You can vote for us now in the Pool and Redruth Stores.

We are have called our scheme 'Plot to Plate' and hope to use any funds obtained to allow more children to get involved in growing vegetables and cooking with the produce here at school.

Please vote for us when you can!

Many thanks



## BBC children's writing competition

If your child loves writing stories
then take a look at the
competition that is running
through the BBC. There are some
amazing prizes on offer with the
top prize being an invite to
Buckingham Palace and a stack of
books the same height as Sir
Lenny Henry plus 500 books for
the school!

www.bbc.co.uk/teach/500-words

# Random fun fact of the week!

The biggest pumpkin grown in 2023 weighed in at 2,749lbs in Minnesota, America...

...that's the same weight as around 250 standard pumpkins!



