

## **Lakeside News**

'At Lakeside, we aspire to be caring, confident and capable learners who are encouraged to succeed in today's world.

Dear parents/ carers,

Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn term. I hope you have had a restful break whatever you got up to.

Now we are on the other side of half term, I would like to remind you that the children in Years 1-6 should now be wearing their winter uniforms. This means that they should all have a shirt and tie, instead of the white dragonfly polo shirt. Please also send your children into school with a coat. Please take the time to check that everything is named. The amount of lost property we are getting is much reduced but there is still a significant amount of nameless items being given to the second hand uniform shed.

This term promises to be filled with a wealth of activities to engage and enthuse the children and our school community. These include our walk to St Peter's church to celebrate Remembrance Day, the launch of our monthly 'Friendship Friday' chit— chat sessions for parents, Anti-Bullying week and of course the build up to our Christmas events. We look forward to seeing you all at many of these events.

As I am sure you will all have heard, there will be a general election on Thursday 12th December. Despite our efforts to ask the council to find a different location for polling, we had it confirmed during the holidays that Lakeside will once again be used on this day meaning that school will be closed to the children. We apologise for the disruption this causes and will endeavor to work with the council to find alternative locations in the future.

I look forward to seeing you over the course of this term.



Miss Armstrong and the Lakeside team

#### Help Us to Raise Money

Easy fundraising is a great way to help the school raise money. When you do online shopping, just do it through this site at no cost to you, but donations are made to us. Please sign up for it now!

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/folps/

#### Year 1 to 6 Parents – We need your help!

We are walking to St Peter's Church on Thursday afternoon for our Remembrance Day service led by Year 6. If you think you might be able to help us to walk down, please speak to your child's class teacher.





#### **Dates for your Diary**

Friday 8th November - Year 6 Class Assembly

Friday 8th November- 'Friendship Friday' chit-chat session for parents at 9.00am

Monday 11th November- Anti-Bullying week

Thursday 21st November- Y5 Viking workshop

Friday 29th November - Mufti Day (Christmas Fayre donations)

Friday 29th November - Year 5 Class Assembly

Friday 29th November – Year 1 to visit Wisley Gardens

Thursday 5th December- Rock Steady Music Christmas Concert

Friday 6th December- Christmas Fayre

Sunday 8th December – Family Carol Service at St. Peter's Church at 4.00pm

Monday 9th and Friday 13th Deecember- EYFS Chrsitmas Show at 9.30am

Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th December- KS1 Christmas show at 9.30am

Wednesday 11th December- Year 4 Christmas concert at Frimley Baptist Church at 1.30pm

Thursday 12th December - School Closed for General Election

Thursday 12th December - Flu immunisations - CANCELLED

Friday 13th December - Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 13th December - Flu immunisations

Wednesday 18th December- KS2 Christmas carol concert at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church at 7.30pm

**Thursday 19th December–** Flu immunisations (new Date)

Friday 20th December – Finish for Christmas at 2.00pm

Monday 6th January- Inset Day

Tuesday 7th January - Return to school

#### **EVENTS IN RED ARE NEW OR CHANGED**







### Parent Survey

Tell us what you think... Thank you to those parents who have already completed the survey online. If you haven't had a chance, please follow the link below and let us know what you think about Lakeside. It shouldn't take you very long to complete it and we would really appreciate any feedback you can give us. The partnership between home and school is vital if we are to help your children succeed. Thank you for your time.

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Q6ZV2Y2



# Anti-Bullying Week

## Monday 11th-Friday 15th November 2019

We will be launching Anti– Bullying week on Friday 8th November. The children will complete some activities about friendship and create a large piece of artwork together as a school. We invite you to come into school on this launch day for a coffee and a chat– perhaps meeting some new parents in our community. If you have any questions about this event, please speak with Mrs Hutt who is organising it. We look forward to seeing you then.





Be brave.

Be bold.

Make sure you've told!!

This motto helps children to remember that if anyone is unkind to them, or to anyone else, they must tell an adult.

It's anti-bullying week next week and we will be reminding all the children again about how bullying is not acceptable. We also talk about what to do if anyone is having any problems.

As part of anti-bullying week, we will have **Odd Socks** day on Tuesday. All children can wear odd socks in order to show that it is good to be different! Do encourage them to join in.

# Friendship Friday



Friendship Friday is a coffee morning and chat for parents and carers held on the first Friday of every month at 9am.

Drop your children to school, come along to Hall 1, have a chat and make new friends!

Everyone is welcome!