



NEWSLETTER

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A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

It's been a busy two weeks. Our Year 6 students have attended a remote Year 7 Transfer Day, and our remaining year groups have spent the morning with their new classes. This week the children have really enjoyed Healthy Lifestyles Week and Sports Day – although the rain has tried its very best to dampen proceedings.

Our Year 6 classes slept in the school grounds on Thursday evening at our first Lakeview Camp-Over. The children took part in a range of activities which included tent building, a Talent Show, outdoor cooking, Archery, bush tucker trials and star gazing. I know that there will be a few tired children returning home from school today after a fun-packed evening and stay.

As the weekend approaches, we know we are in for an exciting sporting finale in both the tennis and the football – not to mention the cricket and rugby action that is happening.

For me personally, after the lock down and uncertainty over the last six months, it has been great to be able to spend the last few weeks enjoying the football as a social occasion with family and friends. There is a lot we can learn from observing the qualities we have seen demonstrated by individuals, teams and managers. In response to this, we have discussed the values of teamwork, belief, trust responsibility and resilience with our children in class – these have been particularly beneficial during sports day and when children have attempted a new skill or activity.

I will definitely be glued to the television on Sunday for the Wimbledon men's singles final and then the football. Whatever your sporting allegiance, I hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

Jackie Normanton

Friday afternoon opening

Thank you for providing your responses and feedback regarding Friday afternoon school opening. This was informative and has provided the basis of our recommendations which reflect the majority view and the needs of our school community. I will be presenting the outcome and our proposal to the Full Governing Board on Wednesday evening.

I will then write to all parents by the 16th July to inform you of the outcome and our plans for September.



Parent Information - Children's Community Health



It's been a month now since we launched our new Children's Community Health HUB and we thought we would take a few minutes to update you on how it is going.

The Health HUB is a single contact number and email address for our 0 -19 school nursing and health visiting teams across Bedfordshire and Luton, with our Community Paediatrics teams and Looked After Children teams keeping their email addresses but moving over to our single contact number. We are aware that this change has affected some more than others but hope that over time all service users and partners/organisations that use the Health HUB will become used to this new way of contacting us.

Since the launch on 1 June 2021 we are averaging around 250 calls per day, and 200 emails per day. Our call centre is manned by four call handlers everyday who take your calls, with our busiest time of the day between 9am and 11am for the phone line.

If you have any suggestions or feedback about that Health HUB that you would like to share with us – please email us:
ccs.childrenscommunityhealthhub@nhs.net

STAY SAFE IN THE SUN!

Please bring in a named sun hat and apply an 'all day' sunscreen before coming to school each day



HEALTHY LIFESTYLES WEEK



Nothing has been a barrier to the Lakeview children enjoying their annual 'Healthy Lifestyles Week' and everyone has been having a fantastic time being active and learning about different aspects of an active and healthy lifestyle.

Each day, all children have challenged themselves to improve upon their running by timing how long it takes them to complete a mile and trying to beat their own best times. Throughout the week, pupils in all year groups have also been able to participate in inclusive sports such as New Age Kurling and Boccia which are target games accessible for all abilities.

On Wednesday, the children pitted their wits and map-reading skills against a tricky orienteering course and Olympic quiz. All of this has been in addition to each year group learning about specific aspects of a healthy lifestyle such as mental wellbeing, balanced diets and sun safety.





On Thursday, we held a sports day for our children in Year 1 and Year 2.

Thank you to all those who took part and made a fantastic, positive atmosphere in which the children could enjoy taking part and succeed.

During each event, the children were awarded points for the position in which they finished. These were then added up and each house was awarded points for the event. It was great to see all children earning points for their teams in a number of different ways.

KS1 RESULTS

As you can see below, the final results meant that Red house were comprehensive winners.

Blue	Red	Green	Yellow
64	69	59	63

You may have seen that some children were also awarded wristbands during the events; these were for demonstrating the School Games Values such as respect and teamwork. These children were then awarded house points back in their classrooms.

Congratulations to all the children who participated and well done to Red house on a

KS2 RESULTS

As you can see below, the final results were very close with Blue house just pipping Green house to victory.

Blue	Red	Green	Yellow
84	68	78	76

Children were also awarded stickers during the events; these stickers were for demonstrating other skills such as sportsmanship or support for their peers. Congratulations to all the children who participated and well done to Blue house on a well-deserved victory.

YEAR 6 OVERNIGHTCAMPING



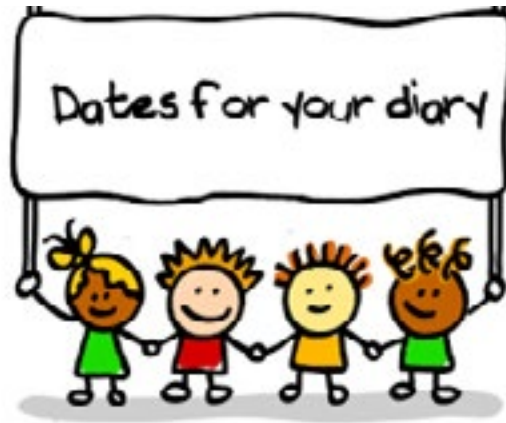
The Year 6 pupils had a fabulous time camping overnight at school this week and, as always, were fantastic ambassadors for our community.

They were able to display teamwork along with a healthy dose of perseverance when setting up their tents before engaging in evening activities which included archery, outdoor cooking and a talent show as well as a range of other games.

However, one of the highlights were the delicious campfire marshmallows. Waking up on Friday morning may have been a little bit of a challenge for some but the smiles around breakfast told the whole story!

Well done Year 6 a lovely send off before your secondary school adventure begins.





16/7/21

School reports sent home
PTA Mufti Day - buckets on gates

21/7/21

Leaver's Assembly – recorded for parents/carers

22/7/21

Last Day of Summer Term

31/7/21

Last day of ordering School Uniform from School Trends for guaranteed delivery by September

2/9/21

Staff Inset Day – No Children in School

3/9/21

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Nursery and Reception children,
1 hour stay and play sessions

6/9/21

Children return to school