

LODDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Working together to realise the potential in everyone.

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Dear Parents/Carers,



House Gems

Congratulations to the following children who have received a Values 'House Gem' celebrating their actions in promoting our school values.

Aisla G	Turtles	Fire	Thinking about all the Loddon Values
Mahiyah M	Turtles	Air	Thinking about all the Loddon Values
Elsa S	Octopuses	Water	Quality writing
Aamna S	Hawks	Fire	Resilience, positivity and determination at Sports day
Zahra R	Stingrays	Air	Caring and kindness
Ella H	Kestrels	Fire	Quality home learning
Lucy H	Kites	Air	Quality, understanding and responsibility in home learning
Max A	Eagles	Water	Quality writing and determination to succeed
Aziz A	Longwings	Water	Quality and determination in reading
Lucy H	Kites	Air	Caring for others
Lucy W	Kites	Earth	Caring for others
Florence W-B	Kites	Fire	Caring for others
Laura S	Kites	Air	Caring for others
Atharva H	Starfish	Water	Courage in swimming
Naisha K	Starfish	Water	Kindness and thoughtfulness to friends
Hannah M	Greyings	Fire	Showing courage in swimming
Adem A	Longwings	Earth	Resilience, perseverance and positivity in sewing
Hari M	Turtles	Earth	Co-operation
Maddie S	Turtles	Fire	Co-operation, friendship and caring
Charles P	Hawks	Air	Showing the Loddon Values when helping Y1
William M	Hawks	Earth	Showing the Loddon Values when helping Y1
Kalvin M	Hawks	Fire	Role model of the Loddon Values

Value of the month - Courage



During July we will be exploring the value of courage to help us at a time of change as we either move class or onto secondary school. We will hear stories of people who have shown the courage to face their fears and keep going even when they felt afraid. We will reflect on the idea that it's okay to feel afraid as being courageous means having fears that you overcome not never feeling fear. We will link courage to our other values such as determination and positivity as we look for solutions to challenges we may face.





Access to School Site during the Summer Holidays

Please note that access to school, during the summer break, will not be possible via Silverdale Road due to on-going building works.

- Access to the Holiday Club will be through the normal entrance off Hillside Road.
- If you wish to attend our fun splash sessions or take part in swimming lessons over the summer holidays you will also need to access the swimming pool via the Hillside Road car park; signage will then direct you to the swimming pool.

School Office Relocation

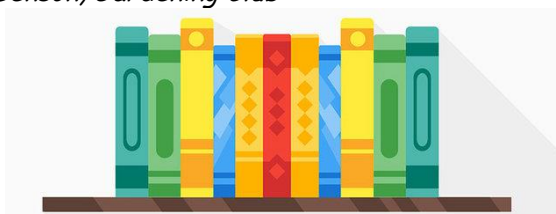
Over the summer holiday the school office will be moving from their temporary location back to their permanent office location. There will be a new and enlarged school office reception area from September 2018. As a result of these works there will no access to the school office from Wednesday 25th July to Tuesday 28th August 2018. If you have an urgent enquiry during this time period please contact the school office by telephone on 0118 9261449 or email finance@loddon.wokingham.sch.uk rather than attempting to visit the office in person. *Jenny Sumner, School Business Manager*

Year 2 Space Fayre

Thank you to all the Y2 parents and carers who attended Y2's Space Fayre last week. The children loved sharing their Maths games and enjoyed making cakes to sell. Overall we raised £229.50 and will be buying new numicon resources for the school with this money. *Miss Calvert, Lower Phase Leader*

Gardening Club

A huge thank you to everyone who donated recycling points through green redeem, we achieved 5th place giving us a total of £232. *Miss Benson, Gardening Club*



School Library books

Please could all school library books be returned to the school library as soon as possible and before the end of term. If a book is not returned we may ask for a contribution towards the cost of a replacement copy. Thank you. *Mrs Screene, School Librarian*

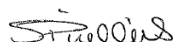
Adult and Community Learning

Are you interested in Adult and Community Learning opportunities? Wokingham Adult Learning run a varied programme from courses for people looking for work or to improve their work opportunities, to family learning courses for parents wishing to support their children with their learning. They also run Wellbeing in Mind courses for people with mild to moderate mental health issues. There's also English, Maths and ESOL courses (English for Speakers of Other Languages). All courses are free to those on unemployment benefits, and there are some small charges for people who are working.

We are looking to gauge people's interest as to what courses may of interest for the next year. If you have a spare moment, would you complete a quick survey, and you can also provide your contact details if you would like details of courses sent to you in the future: <http://bit.do/wacl-survey2018>



Yours sincerely



Mrs S Phillips - Headteacher

Diary Events List: Summer term 2018

Date	Time	Event
18/7/18	9-9.20	Meet the Teacher sessions
18/7/18	9.20-11.40	Class swap morning
18/7/18	9.00-10.00	PSA Tea/Coffee in the Hut
18/7/18	18.00-19.00	Y5 and Y6 production in the Hillside Hall
19/7/18	15.00-15.20	Y4 sharing assembly for parents/carers in the Hillside Hall
19/7/18	18.00-19.00	Y5 and Y6 production in the Hillside Hall
20/7/18	15.30-16.30	PTA raffle and ice cream
23/7/18	All day	Y6 leavers trip
23/7/18	18.00-19.00	Y6 leavers celebration in the Hillside Hall
24/7/18	11.10/14.50	End of Pupil Summer term: FSU morning children finish 11.10am. Afternoon children 2.50pm
24/7/18	15.00	End of Pupil Summer term: Y1-6 children finish 3pm
25/7- 2/9/18	All day	Summer holiday
3-4/9/18	All day	INSET days School closed for staff training
5/9/18	All day	First day of pupil Autumn term