

Longlands Primary School

JUNE BULLETIN



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the final few weeks of another successful academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to thank our wonderful children, dedicated staff and supportive families for everything they have contributed. Although the end of term is in sight, there is certainly no slowing down! Classrooms continue to be full of purposeful learning, exciting opportunities and children striving to achieve their very best. The commitment and enthusiasm shown by both pupils and staff has been fantastic, and it is a pleasure to see everyone making the most of every moment.

Many of you will have noticed (and felt) the recent spell of exceptionally hot weather. Thank you for your understanding and flexibility as we adapted parts of the school routines to ensure everyone remained safe and as comfortable as possible. We are grateful for your support in sending children with water bottles, hats and applying sun cream before school when needed.

Today we enjoyed one of the highlights of the school calendar—Sports Day (again, thank you for your understanding with the change in date). It is always a fantastic occasion that celebrates teamwork, determination, resilience and enjoyment, and we are glad the weather was kind to us (and not too hot). We are sure you all cheered on the children and celebrated their achievements together.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. Together, we will ensure the final weeks of the academic year are positive, productive and memorable for all of our children.

Kind regards,

Mr Baines

Mr Baines, Head Teacher

School events

During Summer Term Key Stage 1 have been learning all about animals and their habitats. As part of our learning we held an Animal Explorer's Day where the children were invited to bring in a favourite animal and then spent the day learning about animal habitats, creating animal inspired artworks and participating in a special workshop. During the workshop they got to meet some exotic animals from around the world including a Red Knead Tarantula from Mexico, a Tenrec from Madagascar and a Laughing Kookaburra from Australia to name a few. Fun fact, did you know that an animal that only eats insects is called an insectivore?



Year 6 Events

Wednesday 15th July—Graduoke filming in school

Year 6 pupils cannot participate without payment and permission

Thursday 16th July—Year 6 Production

Pupils to arrive at 6pm, the show to commence at 6.30pm

Friday 17h July—Year 6 Prom 6pm – 8:30pm

Sidcup Working Men's Club, 169 Main Road, Sidcup, DA14 6PD

Monday 20th July—Leavers Service

10.30am at Christchurch, Main Road, Sidcup

Reminder! The wearing of leavers hoodies to school is only from Monday 13th July unless it is a PE day

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AN UPDATE FROM



WE HAVE HAD SUCH A FANTASTIC TERM AND HAD SO MANY FUN EVENTS ALL THANKS TO YOUR SUPPORT.

THE HARD WORK THAT GOES INTO THESE EVENTS IS TOUGH BUT THE ENJOYMENT OF THE CHILDREN IS SO WORTH IT AND RAISING FUNDS FOR OUR INCREDIBLE SCHOOL MAKES US SO PROUD!

THANK YOU



WHAT HAVE WE RAISED THIS SCHOOL YEAR?

FROM DISCOS, TO CAKE SALES, TO CHRISTMAS CARDS, PANTO, CHRISTMAS FETES, MORE DISCOS QUIZZES, A COLOUR RUN (WHICH WILL BE A FIRM FIXTURE OF THE FOLS LINE UP) AND OF COURSE OUR INFLATABLES DAY!! WE HAVE RAISED NEARLY £14,000 THIS YEAR FOR OUR INCREDIBLE SCHOOL.

THIS HAS MEANT WE WERE ABLE TO SUPPORT THE SCHOOL WITH FUNDING NEW EQUIPMENT FOR THE FIELD AND PLAYGROUND, SUPPORT WITH SCHOOL ENRICHMENT SUCH AS VISITS AND TRIPS, HELP WITH NEW LIGHTING FOR THE STAGE!

WHEN THE SCHOOL NEED SOMETHING WE ARE DELIGHTED TO BE ABLE TO HELP AND THAT IS ALL DOWN TO FAMILIES COMING ALONG TO EVENTS AND SUPPORTING WHAT WE DO.

AS A FINAL HURRAH FOR THE END OF TERM FOLS PARENTS HAVE ARRANGED AN ICE CREAM MAN TO VISIT ON THE LAST DAY OF TERM TO MAKE MORE MEMORIES FOR OUR WONDERFUL CHILDREN!

WE CANT WAIT TO SEE YOU AGAIN FROM SEPTEMBER - WE HAVE A LOT PLANNED. AS A REMINDER YOU ARE SO WELCOME TO BECOME A PART OF FOLS AND EVERYTHING WE DO FOR OUR CHILDREN - WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU.
LOVE FOLS X



DATES



Friday 3rd July—London Fire Brigade talk to Years 2 and 5

Monday 6th July—Monet class assembly

Wednesday 8th July—Summer concert

Tuesday 14th July—Rock Steady Concert

Wednesday 15th July—Year 6 Graduoke

Thursday 16th July—Year 6 production

Friday 17th July—Year 6 leavers party

Monday 20th July—Year 6 leavers service at Christchurch

Tuesday 21st July—Last day of summer term for pupils

Wednesday 22nd July—Inset day

Reminder: If you are planning on celebrating the end of term in the Rec or King Georges on Tuesday 21st July, please do not litter. Please take your rubbish home with you if the bins are full. The foxes love to rip open any bags of rubbish that are left at the side of full bins and this has a negative impact on all of the community who use these recreation grounds. Thank you