



Loudwater Combined School

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LOUDWATER NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

Key Dates for next year

School opens for the Autumn Term on Thursday 6th September for children in Year 1–Year 6
School opens for Foundation Stage pupils on Monday 10th September
Secondary School Transfer Test Days (11+) Tuesday 11th & Thursday 13th September
(Y6 only).
Roald Dahl Character Dress Up Day – Friday 14th September

On Monday we had our end of year achievement assembly and the award winners are as listed below:

Learning Champions

This is awarded to the child in each class who has made the most progress in the Summer Term.

Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Mia	Harry	Leah	Rohan	Sri	Pia	Lilly

Citizens of the month for July

Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Nathaniel	Shayley	Lily R-C	Paige	Lexie	Ella	Oscar

Friendly Fox

This award is given to reward children who are excellent friends to their classmates and others.

Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Esa	Ciaran	Blake	Faith	Harrison	Stanley	Freya

Key Stage Cup Winners

This award is given to two pupils, one in each key stage who have been outstanding in all areas of school life

Key Stage One: Amber

Key Stage Two: Henry

Building Learning Power Awards

These awards focus on the skills children have developed to build their learning power. A Resilient Learner always tries their best, enjoys a challenge and never gives up. A Resourceful Learner uses different resources to help them as well as using what they already know to solve new problems. A Reflective Learner learns from their mistakes and uses this information to improve their learning. A Reciprocal Learner is a good listener and works well with others in a team.

Class	Resilience	Resourcefulness	Reflectiveness	Reciprocity
Foundation Stage	Kata	Alice	Michael	Emily
Year 1	Benjamin	Mason W	Emy	Tyler
Year 2	Munopa	Dylan	Hollie	Kiera
Year 3	Harry	Joseph	Ruby	Lucy S
Year 4	Zion	Ayaan A	Vanessa	Alice
Year 5	Ell	Eleanor	Kayin	Kamileshia
Year 6	Leah	Maddie	Mackenzie	Sarah

Attendance

Congratulations to Year 5 who had the best attendance this term at 98% and the best attendance for the year at 98%. Well done!

Individual Attendance Awards for the Spring Term

Gold awards are for 100% attendance, Silver awards are for 98-99% and Bronze awards are for 97% attendance.

	Foundation Stage	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four	Year Five	Year Six
Gold Awards	Kata Rose Jack Esa John Sameer Eleithyia Charlie Emily Ellie-Louise Freddie Sulaymaan	Tegan Andreea Joshua Harry Stanley Tyler Emy Karolina Maya Alfie Emily Amy Mason Jasmin Benjamin Kristina Shayley Mason	Raza Reece Chloe Blake Lucas Khamarion Munopa Isabella Milla Amaaya Lilly Logan	Mason Poppy Henry Ryan Lucy Oscar Xandros Gio Rohan Harry Lucy Joseph Amelie Nate Grace Jacob Faith	Jessica Ibrahim Amaya Zion Jaiden Thomas Dominic	Eleanor Jennifer Rosie Macy Alanna Pia Ella Ell Paris Shannon Gabrielle Jack Miguel Kayin	Mackenzie Tia Alice Oscar Sarah Harry Oliver Aaron Keeley Jesus Charlotte
Silver Awards	Breagha Evan Sidney Kacee Nathaniel Ruby Alice	Ciaran Freya	Amber Ruby Lily	Amber Ruby Afia Paige Aundrea Keira Kyla	Sri Ryan James Vanessa Joshua Amelia Riley Oliver Ayaan	Madison Shay Breanna Francesca Tyler Ashley	Muqheet Lee Lilly Nikola Arianne Natalia Freya Skye
Bronze Awards	Callum		Adna			Kamileshia Rishie	Luke

Individual Attendance Awards for the Whole School Year

Attendance awards for achieving 100% attendance for the whole academic year have been awarded to the following pupils.

Foundation Stage	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four	Year Five	Year Six
Rose John Ellie-Louise Freddie	Tegan Stanley Maya Emily Amy Benjamin Kristina Reece Lucas	Reece Lucas Milla	Ryan Gio Faith	Amaya Zion	Eleanor Pia Ella Kyle Kayin	Oscar Charlotte

Well done to all these winners and thank you to all the staff for their hard work in ensuring the progress and achievements of the children.

House points for the Summer Term

	Elgar	Beethoven	Tchaikovsky	Mozart
Summer Term 2018	2805 (3 rd)	3260(1 st)	2622 (4 th)	2885(2 nd)

House Points for the year

Elgar	Beethoven	Tchaikovsky	Mozart
8843	8298	8552	9043

Year 6 End of year awards

Project Award	George
Building Learning Power Award	Maya
Computer Award	Luke
History and Geography Award	Aaron
Music Award	Alice
Art and DT Award	Natalia
French Award	Charlotte
Sport Achievement Award	Erin
Sporting Attitude	Lee
Science Award	Keeley
Maths Award	Oscar
English Award	Maia
Ultimate Learning Champion Award	Arianne
Outstanding Service to School Award	Tia

Swimming Award

These awards are given to one child from each swimming group who has made the greatest improvement:

Year 2 Leah, Alacia and Kiera
 Year 3 Lucy D, Harry and Aundreah
 Year 4 Thomas Oliver and Amelia

Year 5 Gabrielle, Miguel and Jack
 Year 6 George, Jessica and Rhys

Winner of the attendance raffle

Well done to Mason S in Year 1 his good attendance throughout the term meant that he won the attendance raffle, winning him a new scooter ready for the summer.

FOLS Lottery

The winner of this month's lottery is Romana Langerova - Congratulations! Winnings can be collected from the office in September.

If you would like to be part of the FOLS lottery you can sign up for the new year on the school gateway.

Clubs

There are a number of clubs arranged for next year. We will be using U-Sports and Premier, as our outside organisers. We will send further information as soon as it is available but please feel free to check out their websites. Just a few of the clubs on offer next term will be Tag-Rugby, Football (all ages), Dance, Gymnastics and Netball. We will of course be offering in house netball for the older children, along with Home Learning and Choir.

School Uniform

Just a reminder that if you have a new sweatshirt or cardigan then please check that you have a Bright Royal Blue item (indistinguishable from our previous blue) and not the duller Royal Blue that some have received. If you have been unfortunate and received the wrong colour you may return it to Tesco at no extra cost, it will then mean you will have to reorder the items but Tesco have confirmed that the issue is corrected.

Tesco Blue Tokens

We would like to remind you that the Tesco Blue tokens are available until the end of August. Don't forget to **ask** for your blue token when making a purchase from any Tesco. The more tokens we receive the more chances of a grant to help the school in their latest venture, which is to enlist the help of Chiltern Rangers to work with our children to develop the wooded area behind our school.

Gateway and Breakfast Club

It would be very helpful if everyone would check their Gateway account to make sure all required payments are made, especially Breakfast Club.

Music Lessons

If you would like to arrange music lessons for your child please return your completed form directly to the Bucks Music Trust. Guitar lessons will once again be provided by school and these arrangements will be put in place on our return in September.

CD Orders

If you haven't yet picked up your ordered CD they will be held in the school office until we restart in September. We only have a few remaining CD's left to sell at £7.99 – If you wish to purchase then please do visit the office in September.

Cards

Miss Harris still has plenty of greetings cards for sale. The image on the cards is of the collage that all of Key Stage One and Foundation Stage worked together to produce in Art Week. The cards are blank inside and so could be used for any occasion. If you would like to purchase some they cost 50p each. Please see one of the Foundation Stage staff in September.

Year 6 Leavers Production – 'Pirates of the Curry Bean'

Year 6 have performed the 'Pirates of the Curry Bean', a number of times over the last few days, to both children and parents. Everyone enjoyed the wonderful production and we send our congratulations to all concerned for the hard work they all put in.

Fingernail Painting by Messer's German and Clarke and Just Giving Page

The £74.00 raised by Messer's German and Clarke's exploits has been added to the £120.00 raised at the Race for Life completed by the children last week. There has also been £307.50 donated to the Just Giving site. This means that we have raised a grand total of £501.50 for the Cancer Research Race for Life. Thanks to everyone for their generosity in raising this amazing amount.

Thank you from FOLS

We would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you for supporting FOLS in this academic year.

And...Thank you to FOLS

....for all the hard work fundraising and help given around the school.

Roald Dahl Dress Up Day

On Friday 14th September we are celebrating Roald Dahl Day by dressing up. On this day children can come to school dressed as one of his characters or dressed in yellow as this was his favourite colour. Please do not feel that you need to buy a costume especially for this event which is just for fun – no donations required.

Good Bye and Thank-you – clarification

On Friday I wrote to tell you that Miss Harris is leaving to have a baby. What I should have clarified was that this is Miss Abi Harris our teaching assistant in Year 6 and not Miss Caroline Harris our Foundation Stage Teacher – apologies for any confusion caused.

Goodbyes to Year 6

We wish our Year 6 pupils well in their new schools. During their time at the school, they have grown and developed into young people we are proud of. Their achievements are not only academic; within the class there are some great musicians, artists and sports people. They will be going to a range of schools next year where I am sure they will become an asset to their learning community. I hope that they will make the best of all opportunities open to them and come back to visit us and tell us of their successes.

Summer Break

Finally I would like to wish you all a lovely summer break and look forward to welcoming you all back together with our new Foundation children when we return to school in September 2018.

Yours faithfully,

Clare Cunningham

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Headteacher

Newsletter

As you are aware we have moved to sending out our newsletter via email. Due to the GDPR, we are only able to continue sending out to those of you who have agreed so please do ensure that you **register your consent on the gateway**.

Disclaimer

From time to time we are asked by a range of organisations to give out leaflets. We always agree if we think this could be of interest or benefit to the children. However we do not endorse any of these organisations and parents should always check their credentials carefully to make sure children would be safe and well looked after.