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Leen Mills Primary School

This week: 94.5%

Curious, Creative, Confident

Well Done to Laura Brady who ran the London Marathon on Sunday 21st April in a staggering time of 4:03:52. Laura is a parent of one of our year 4 pupils and we helped her fundraising with a non-uniform day. I hope your feet have recovered now!



Enterprise Week – 20th – 24th May

The week beginning Monday 20th May, the school will be participating in an Enterprise week. This gives our pupils opportunities to learn about business and elements of enterprise. Children will take part in designing, researching and making their own products. We will discuss budgeting and making profits too.



The Friends of Leen Mills have kindly donated £30 per class as a float to begin this project with.

On Thursday 23rd May, Parents are welcomed into school to have a look at what the children have been making from 3:15pm - 3:30pm. On Friday 24th May, children will take it in turns to buy and sell items in school. **Children are allowed to bring a maximum of £5 to spend on this day.**

The money raised through the school will go towards reading resources.

Classes for Next Year



Due to the continued growth of our school, I am pleased to confirm that our classes next year will return to single year classes. This will mean there will be two classes in each year group.

Please bear with us while we continue to finalise staffing for next year. As always we will share this information with you as soon as it has been confirmed.

The Mill Residential

Last week our Year 3 children spent two days at The Mill Adventure Base at Kings Mill Reservoir, spending the night in one of the glamping pods. The children had a wonderful time and their activities included climbing, gladiator climbs, team building, low ropes, archery, canoeing, zip line and tunnelling.



The children were really brave and challenged themselves.

Next week our Year 4 children are going on their residential trip. I am sure they will have such a great time. I hope the weather is kind to them.

Emergency Services Visit



Over the last two weeks, our children in Caterpillar and Ladybirds have been visited by members of the Emergency Services. This is part of their topic 'People who help us'.

Last week they had a visit from the Fire Service where the children met the firefighters and were given the chance to look around a fire engine (the siren was very loud !!).

This week the police came to talk to the children. During the visit the children had a chance to look in the big police van and look at some of the equipment our police force have to carry with them as part of their job. Poor Mrs Goldson was their prime suspect and was put in handcuffs! The children voted and decided not to give her a second chance but send her to jail! Thankfully she was release shortly afterwards.



Year 6 SATs Week

Next week will be SATs week for our Year 6 pupils. They have all been working very hard in the past weeks and months in preparation for these, Mrs Davies, Mrs Holmes and Mrs Griffiths are all very proud of them and we wish them all good luck.

We will be providing a SATs breakfast Monday to Thursday from 8.00am in Golden Eagles classroom where the Year 6's can join each other for cereal, toast, juice etc and fuel themselves up while having a relaxing breakfast with their friends.



School Summer Fair



Saturday 6th July will be the school summer fair organised by Friends of Leen Mills (our parent's group). The fair will be held on the school playing field with lots of stalls and activities for everyone to enjoy. Friends are always on the look out for help towards this event, whether you can help out preparing for the event, help on day with the fair itself, do you work for accompany that may be able to donate a raffle prize, please get in touch: friends@leenmills.notts.sch.uk

There will be a 'bring a bottle' non-uniform day on **Friday 14th June** with donations going to the summer fair.

Non-uniform day!

School Lunch – Option 2 or Sandwich choice

Reminder – if your child would like the option 2 choice from the regular menu this **MUST** be ordered in advance via our Kitchen Manager on a Wednesday the week before. The sandwich option is available every day, please state your choice of sandwich filling. Please make sure you include your child's name and class on your email. Email : leenmills.notts@kitchenmanager.co.uk



PE Kit



Please remember to only send your child in their PE kit on their designated PE days. This also includes the new PE hoodie. The PE hoodie does not form part of the school uniform and if a child is wearing their's on a non-PE day we will look to give them a school jumper from our second hand selection.

Also, please ensure that should your child wear shorts, these are a suitable length. There are some children who are wearing shorts that are almost hot pant length which is not appropriate for school.

A link to our uniform policy is here:

<https://www.leenmillsprimary.co.uk/key-information/uniform-/>



Diary Dates

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Monday 9.30am – 10.30am	Swimming for Year 5 – starts Monday 15th April
Tuesday – till 21st May 3.15 – 4.15pm	Jelly Fitness After School Club for KS1 (Years 1 & 2) Weekly for the whole half term – booking though the school office
Tuesday – till 21st May 3.15 – 4.00pm	Crafty Club for Foundation – weekly Limited places available – booking through the school office
Wednesday - till 22nd May 3.15 – 4.00pm	Crafty Club for Year 1 – weekly Limited places available – booking through the school office
13th May 2024	Dentist Survey Visit for 5 Year Olds
13th May 2024 3.30 – 4.00pm	The Deep Parents Briefing To be held in Zebras classroom
13th – 14th May 2024	Year 4 Residential at the Mill
13th – 17th May 2024	Year 6 SATs Week
17th May 2024	Reception & KS1 Special Assembly Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 2.30pm for 2.45pm start
20th – 24th May 2024	Enterprise Week
21st May 2024 1.00 – 3.00pm	KS1 Sports Day Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 1.05pm for 1.15pm start
23rd May 2024 1.00 – 3.00pm	KS2 Sports Day Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 1.05pm for 1.15pm start
24th May 2024	KS2 Special Assembly Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 2.30pm for 2.45pm start
27th – 31st May	Half Term Jelly Fitness Sports Camp – booking via Jelly Fitness Tuesday 28 th – Thursday 30 th May (www.jellyfitness.co.uk/kids)
5th June 2024	Height & Weight Survey for Reception and Year 6
13th June 2024	Class Photographs and Year 6 Leavers Photographs
14th June 2024	Non Uniform Day – bring a bottle for summer fair
17th – 18th June 2024	Year 1 & 2 Visit The Deep
20th June 2024	Reception visit to White Post Farm
21st June 2024	Year 2 Time Travelling at Southwell Minster

Inset Days 2023-2024 Wednesday 24 th July 2024 Thursday 25 th July 2024 Friday 26 th July 2024	School Holidays 2023 – 2024 Whitsun Half Term: 27 th – 31 st May 2024 Summer Holiday: 29 th July 2024 -
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