

# LARKHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

March 13th, 14th & 15th-

Mothers Day Event "I Love You S'More".

March 15th—Red Nose Day.

March 22nd—Mufti Day.

Deadline for donations towards Rainbow Raffle.

March 27th—Rainbow Raffle winners drawn.

March 28th—Last day of Term

4. Easter Events, parentswelcome into school from2:30pm.

April 15th—First day of Term 5.

April 19th—Class Photo day.

April 26th—Month of the Military Child Day. PTA Quiz and Movie Night. More information to follow soon.

April 29th—Years 3/4 Steam Museum trip.

April 30th—Years 1/2 Salisbury Museum trip.

May 13th-16th—Year 6 SATs.

### **HEAD'S UPDATE**

**Dear Parents and Carers,** 

What a fabulous World Book Day we have had! The whole school celebrated the wonderful work of Roald Dahl with a truly amazing array of costumes!

There was much excitement when the adults and children all met on the playground this morning and each class went to great effort to decorate their doors linked to the Roald Dahl book that their class have been reading! The school has been buzzing all day with laughter and enjoyment as children have completed quizzes, book related crafts and treasure hunts! I have loved hearing their excitement outside my window as they looked for each of the clues.

I have said so many times over the last couple of years that Primary School should be full of magic and fun and it certainly was today! Well done to Mrs Cupples for her vision and to all of the staff and children for embracing it so whole heartedly!

The best thing about today was hearing the children talk so enthusiastically about the book that their character was from. To hear them develop a real love of books and reading truly is magical!

**Charlotte Harmer** 

**Head Teacher** 



"If you are going to get anywhere in life you have to read a lot of books." -Roald Dahl

#### **WEEKLY ATTENDANCE**

Longleat - 98.33%

Archer – 96.36%

**Salisbury - 95.92%** 

Stonehenge - 99.29%

**Danebury - 97.33%** 

**Woodhenge - 89.38%** 

Silbury - 96.82%

Wessex - 94.78%

The Department for Education stipulates school attendance should be no lower than 96%.

Congratulations to this week's class attendance winners!

#### **STONEHENGE CLASS**

Well done!

#### **ATTENDANCE TOP TIP**

There are 2 sessions in each school day. If a child has 10 unauthorised absence sessions (5 days) in a 6 month period, a Fixed Penalty Notice will be issued from Wiltshire Council.

### **STAR LEARNER**

At Larkhill Primary School, we know that learning isn't limited to the classroom.

If your child has done something worthy of a Star Learner nomination, please send these to psa@larkhill.wilts.sch.uk and together we can celebrate the amazing learning that goes on outside of school, as well as within.



Major Joseph has been taking his home learning very seriously. Here he is practising his phonics sounds!

Well done Major, keep up the super hard work!

# **CAUGHT READING**

Annabelle Cole made the most of a long car journey by getting stuck into a good book, which she got from The Rocketship Bookshop at Parent's Evening.

Her dog Daphne seemed to enjoy it too!



If you catch your child reading somewhere unusual, or even just enjoying their book in a quiet moment—feel free to take a snap and send it to psa@larkhill.wilt.sch.uk

We love to see children enjoying books!















