

## LARKHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

### **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**



### **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

12th July - Y6 Summer Show 2pm.

13th July—Y6 Summer Show. 6pm.

**21st July**—Last day of the year. Open Book Afternoon.

1st September—INSET Day. School will be closed to pupils on this day.

4th September—First day of the new school year.

### **HEAD'S UPDATE**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't quite believe we are so close to the end of the Summer Term! We have had a very busy week in school with preparations well under way for the Year 6 Production of 'Porridge'. Having listened to some of the rehearsals, I can confirm that you are in for a real treat if you are coming to watch next week! It has been so lovely to see the school values being demonstrated in abundance as the Year 6 pupils have worked together alongside their teachers to make sure that everything is just right!

Another important event happening before the end of term is Transition Week on 17th- 19th July. You will be finding out at the end of next week (14th July) which class you child is going into and who their adults will be. We have decided to plan things slightly differently this year in order to ensure that pupils and teachers get to know each other before the start of the new school year. We know that there are often anxieties about moving up to a new class, and we hope that by doing things in this new way, pupils will start the summer holidays feeling much happier about the new year ahead. This also gives you as parents the opportunity to get to know your child's class teacher over these three days.

Excitement is mounting for our Summer Fete on Saturday 15th July. Our new PTA have done a fantastic job in organizing what promises to be a super event. If you wish to host a sale from your Car Boot, or know anyone that has a stall that they would like to bring, please contact the school PTA who can organize this for you.

We hope to see you all there!

**Charlotte Harmer** 

**Head Teacher** 

# WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

**Longleat - 96.3%** 

Archer - 96.25%

**Salisbury - 97.22%** 

Stonehenge - 97.41%

Woodhenge - 97.5%

**Silbury - 97.98%** 

Wessex - 96.98%

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

This week, our school attendance was

97.11%

Congratulations to this week's class attendance winners!

**SILBURY CLASS** 

Well done!

### **Longleat Class**

After the author Maudie Smith came to visit us, Longleat Class are aspiring to be authors just like her! They have been very busy working hard to make sure their letters are formed correctly so that Miss Dawson and Mrs Whatton can read their wonderful stories.



### Our Value of the Month of June was

### **ASPIRATION**



Here are some examples of how we have shown Aspiration.

"At Larkhill Primary School, we will show endeavour, determination and effort to be the best we can be.

We will strive and work hard, helping others in the process."

### **Woodhenge Class**

Woodhenge have demonstrated aspiration in their assessments this month, doing their best to read questions carefully and answer them fully. Year 4 showed added aspiration in their multiplication checks where they worked hard to learn their tables and improve their score.

### **Archer Class**

Archer class have shown great aspiration this month. They have really strived to be the best they can be and have challenged themselves. I have been particularly impressed with how their handwriting and letter formation has improved as a class. They encouraged and supported each other with this and I am very proud of the progress they have made!

Well done Archer Class!

### **Salisbury Class**

Salisbury Class produced a wonderful piece of writing based on our class book 'The Sea Saw' by Tom Percival. Each one of them showed great aspiration by completing the task to the best of their ability and striving to make their handwriting the best it can be and using a variety of different sentences. Amazing work everyone! Keep it up as we move towards the end of term. Superstars!

### **Silbury Class**

Silbury Class have demonstrated great aspiration when completing reading assessments in order to be able to access more reading books in the library. Max Norris and Derby-May in particular have made a real effort. Well done!

### **Wessex Class**

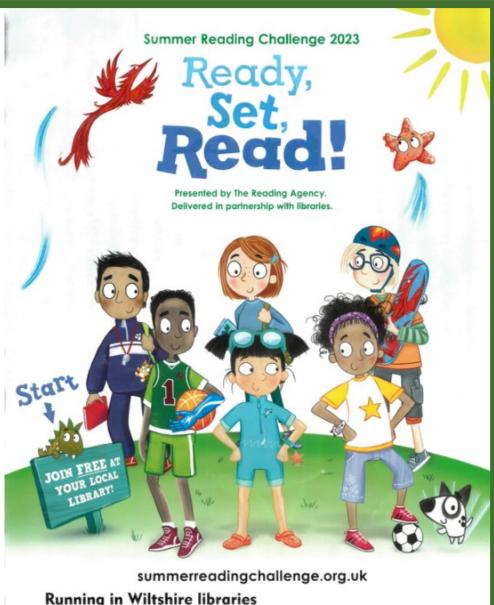
Wessex have demonstrated excellent aspiration through their rehearsals for their production- Porridge. They have spent lots of time practising their lines, using expression and singing all the songs beautifully. They are putting their hearts and souls into making the performance the best it can be. Well done guys!

### **Stonehenge Class**

Stonehenge have been showing great aspiration while learning about volcanoes in Topic. They have been so keen to learn all about eruptions and how gases can cause them.

Well done Stonehenge class. Amazing effort.





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