

Lordswood School Newsletter—Term 5 April 2022



2021/22

Term 5

5 week booster club sessions in place this term

Key Dates

Swimming Y4 Mondays starting 25th Apr

> World Earth Day Fri 22nd Apr

MYG Netball Tues 26th & Thurs 28th Apr

International Design Day Wed 27th Apr

Y2 SATs during May

Y6 SATs Mon 9th May-Thurs 12th May Y6 Early finish Thurs 12th 1.30pm

> Creepy Crawlies FSU Mon 16th May

> > Class Photos Wed 18th May

Healthy Living week Mon 23rd May

YR Height & Weight Check Mon 23rd & Tues 24th May

> MYG Cricket Tues 24th May

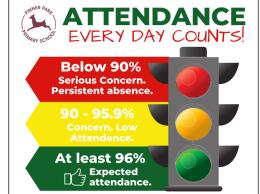
Y6 Seat belt challenge Wed 25th May

> Jubilee Picnic Fri 27th May

Check out our website for all dates.
www.lordswood-gst.org

Attendance

Your child's school attendance is key to their success.



Expected attendance means having no more than seven days off this school year!

Attendance to date:

Well done to:

1st—Juniper 96.1% 2nd - Hazel 95.9% 3rd - Sycamore 95.8%

2021-22

Term 5

Tues 19th April to Fri 27th May

Bank Holiday Mon 2nd May

Term 6

Mon 6th June to Thurs 21st July **2pm**

Fri 8th July Staff Training Day

(Friday 21st July—holiday in lieu of Jubilee Day in June)

2022-23

Pupils returnWed 7th September (tbc)

Please promote our Value for April **Positivity**

THINK POSITIVE, POSITIVE POSITIVE THINGS WILL HAPPEN

Lordswood raised £478 For Comic Relief

A huge thank you to Mia's nan Mrs Howell who donated Easter Egg prizes to be raffled. We raised £300





Making rainbows in nursery





Planting seeds & making playdough





Studying the tadpoles and watching the chicks hatch.







Founders Day Celebrations





An Amazing Science Week for All









Y1 investigated the life cycle of a butterfly Y2 looked at what materials items are made from and watched a lily bloom in water!

Y3 & 4 went on a 'Mission to Mars'





Y6 investigated soil from Mars and craters and have submitted their entries for the GSS competition



Poetry

A visiting poet

"Zohab Zee

Khan" inspired

our children to









Y3 investigated the Digestive Tract system with our visiting scientist

The Arts

Y5 worked with Saxon Way children and a London Director to produce "Shakespeare in a Day" held at The Salvation Army Hall





Y2 & Y3 sang beautifully in the Music Festival at Chatham Theatre











Head's comment

Welcome back to Term 5

Last term saw the children have so many exciting experiences. Celebrating the Griffin Science Symposium and Founders Day together as a whole school was amazing.

We have resumed our trips and invited guests in to work with the children. The visiting poet has certainly encouraged our children to enter our recent poetry competitions. We are hoping some have submitted their poems for the Medway Council Poet-tree event.

It was lovely to welcome parents into school for Parents Evening. We are hoping to schedule in more events over the coming months.

New guidelines have been published by the Government outlining that Covid is treated like any other respiratory illness. Key messages are outlined below.

Easter school was well attended. Booster sessions are scheduled this term with a final push to prepare our y2 and y6 children for their SATs. Details of information sessions will be sent out shortly.

Following the success of our KS2 gym. I am awaiting an installation date for a 15 user KS1 gym.

Jayne Lusinski

Covid Update

Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people. They can go back to education or childcare setting when they no longer have a high temperature and they are well enough.

If a child or young person has a positive COVID-19 test result they should try to stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people for **3 days after the day they took the test**. The risk of passing the infection on to others is much lower after 3 days if they feel well and do not have a high temperature.

Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days. No requirement to test from day 5.

Sports Update

Congratulations to our MYG

Tag Rugby Team

Healthy Living week is scheduled for all children at the end of term 5.



All children had a great time practising their skills in the house football competition at the end of term. Well done.

Y₅ Hampton Court Trip







Y 6 Trip to Harry Potter World





World Book day
The children and
staff had an amazing time dressing
up as a book
character.



