

# Lower Fields Primary Academy

## Weekly News



Friday 25th October 2024

### Update from the Principal

Hello everyone.

What a fabulous end to the half term. The costumes and pumpkin entries were the best I've ever seen! Thank you so much to everyone for all your hard work and support for your children at school. You never cease to amaze me when it comes to events like today. I am not quite sure how we've managed to get through such a long half term and still have a smile on our faces. The children have been fantastic and are working so hard. They all need a really good rest.

There are lots of events next half term including visits, craft afternoons or mornings and performances. Please don't worry if your child's year group is not on the list, we are still in the process of booking things in and arranging dates for performances.

I do hope you all have a lovely half term holiday. Make sure you turn your clocks back one hour before you go to bed tomorrow night. I'm looking forward to an extra hour in bed! See you all on 4th November.

Miss R Stansfield

### Important dates

**Monday 4th Nov** - School re-opens.

**Friday 15th Nov** - Children in Need

**Wednesday 27th Nov** - Parents consultations.

**Monday 2nd Dec** - Y4 Jorvik Viking Centre visit.

**Wednesday 4th Dec** - Reception Christmas songs and activities (PM only)

**Wednesday 11th Dec** - Christmas Dinner.

**Wednesday 11th Dec** - Y2 class visit Bowling Hall.

**Thursday 12th Dec** - Y2 class visit Bowling Hall.

**Tuesday 17th Dec** - Year 1 and 2 go to the Pantomime.

**Tuesday 17th Dec** - AM - Y3 Christmas crafts and songs.

**Tuesday 17th Dec** - PM - Y4 Christmas crafts and songs.

**Wednesday 18th Dec** - Christmas Fayre from 3.15pm.

**Thursday 19th Dec** - Party afternoon for all children.

**Friday 20th Dec** - Last day of half term.

I would like to have a book swap shop in school so children can take a book home and swap books they have already read. Please can I ask everyone to bring in any books you have so that other children can enjoy them.

Thank you

### Book Swap Shop

### Parent Group - Friends of LFPA

Our new Friends of LFPA parent group starts on 12th November at 2pm. I have a small group of parents who have volunteered for this. It would be lovely for us to have some more in the group, so please feel free to come along.

There's free coffee and tea and I'll bring biscuits too!

I have never done a group like this before. I have some ideas about what I would like from this group but if you have any ideas as parents, please do let me know.

### WB 4th Nov Menu

3rd Mar, 24th Mar				
MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI
<b>Vegetarian Chilli &amp; Nachos</b> (Served with Garlic Bread or Rice & Salad)	<b>Minced Beef &amp; Onion Pie</b> (Served with New Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables)	<b>Roast Meat</b> (Served with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy)	<b>Cheese &amp; Tomato Pizza with Chipped Potatoes</b> (Served with Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans or Salad)	<b>Chicken Goujons</b> (Served with Jacket Wedges, Coleslaw or Salad)
<b>Halal Beef Bolognese</b> (Served with Pasta, Garlic Bread & Salad)	<b>Cheese &amp; Potato Fian</b> (Served with New Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables or Salad)	<b>Vegetarian Cottage Pie</b> (Served with Yorkshire Pudding, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy)	<b>Quorn Sausage</b> (Served with Chipped Potatoes & Salad)	<b>MSC Battered Fish</b> (Served with Jacket Wedges and Seasonal Vegetables or Salad)
<b>Spaghetti Marinara</b> (Served with Garlic Bread & Salad)	<b>Assorted Jackets / Sandwiches</b>	<b>Halal Roast Chicken</b> (Served with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy)	<b>Assorted Jackets</b>	<b>Vegetable Pakoras</b> (Served with Jacket Wedges, Riata & Salad)
<b>Assorted Sandwiches</b>	<b>Blondie</b> (Vanilla flavoured chewy cookie-like texture)	<b>Assorted Baguettes / Sandwiches</b>	<b>Chocolate Sponge</b> (With Chocolate Sauce)	<b>Assorted Jackets / Sandwiches</b>
<b>Jam Sponge</b> (Served with Custard)	<b>Freshly Prepared Fruit</b>	<b>Sprinkle Cake</b> (Vanilla Sponge topped with water icing and sprinkles)	<b>Freshly Prepared Fruit</b>	<b>Butterfly Buns</b>
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# Attendance and Celebration

## Attendance

Attendance is one of our top priorities this year. New procedures are now in place for attendance and we will follow these procedures at LFPA.

It is vital that **ALL** children attend school as much as possible.

One day's absence equates to 5 hours and 30 minutes of lost learning.

### Top attenders this week...



**6L - 98% Amazing Year 6!**



**RA - 95% Joint second!**



**1B - 95% Well Done!**

**School starts at 8.35am.**

**Please make sure you are here on time and ready to learn every day.**

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# Autumn Half Term



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# Safeguarding

## Staff you can count on

Ensuring our pupils are safe and well looked after is our key priority.

**Miss R Stansfield** (Principal and DSL)

**Miss A Kelly** (Assistant Principal, DDSL and Y1 teacher)

**Mr S Lavery** (Assistant Principal, DDSL and Y6 teacher)

**Miss A Hodgson**  
(Parental Involvement Worker and DDSL)

**Mrs D George** (Pastoral Lead and DDSL)

**Miss Kairan Bachra** (Pastoral and DDSL)

All staff have received safeguarding training to ensure that they can recognise signs and symptoms of abuse and also how to report/act if a disclosure is made.



## Do you need us?

If you ever have any concerns about the safety or welfare of a child you can contact us on **01274 422043**.

Outside of school hours there is a 24 hour number that links to the duty team for social care. **01274 431010**

This number can also be used during office hours to contact social care directly.

We also have lots of links on our website: [www.lfpa.org.uk](http://www.lfpa.org.uk)



Miss Stansfield



Miss Kelly



Mr Lavery



Miss Hodgson



Mrs George



Mrs Bachra

## We hope you found this newsletter useful!

Your views and feedback are very important to us.

Contact us if there's anything we can improve, or if there's something you want to see featured in the newsletter which would be useful for you.



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