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It has been lovely to welcome everyone back to school this week and to see how quickly the children have all settled into their new class groups. We are looking forward to a busy and productive term. Already we have seen the children's enthusiasm grow as they have begun their new learning experiences. Do take the time to look at your child's curriculum newsletter, as this will have details about the learning taking place as well as the hooks, the outcomes and the take home tasks that we ask the children to complete with you at home during this half term. These have all been sent out via ParentMail this week.



Before the summer holidays, the whole school took part in an artistic day with local artist Darrell Wakelam and produced this fabulous reading rocket.

Everyone in the school was involved in the process from creating the tiny books, to adding tissue paper and finally

painting it all. It now has pride of place in our hallway and we're sure you'll agree it looks brilliant!

Thank you to our fabulous PTA for their donation towards this.

Certificates this week were awarded to:



Harry, Orla and Finty, Barney and Amaia, who showed us their fabulous home art projects inspired by Darrell Wakelam.

Well done!

Reading Records

This week your child will bring home a newly designed reading record/home learning journal. Please spend some time looking through this, as the information inside will support your child on their reading journey at home as well as at school. There is an expectation that every child will read at home at least five times each week. Please record these entries in the reading record and ensure that reading records are returned to school every day. Thank you for your support with this.

Clubs

Clubs will start the week of the 9th September and will run until the week beginning the 9th December. Club participation has been sent out on ParentMail, where you are able to sign up.

Clubs running this half term are:

Choir on Mondays with Mrs Marshall

Tag Rugby on Tuesdays with Mr Goodman

Junk Modelling on Thursdays with Mrs Small

Reminder of Swimming and PE days:

Pippin Class: Swimming on Mondays and PE on Tuesdays

Russet Class: Swimming on Thursdays and PE on Tuesdays

On PE days children are expected to arrive in PE kit and trainers. **No** earrings should be worn during PE lessons. Thank you for your support with this.



Congratulations!

We send our warmest congratulations to Miss MacGeoch who got married this Summer and returns to school this term as Mrs Dallard.

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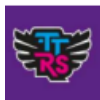
Thank you! 

We would like to say a big 'Thank You' to Mrs Hutchings, Mrs Dycer, Mrs Lawes and Mrs Ryall for looking after the pool so well over the holidays, enabling some of our families to make the most of the sunshine!



LOVINGTON FESTIVAL

It's not long to go until [Lovington Festival](http://www.lovingtonfestival.co.uk)!
Find out all the information and get your tickets here:
www.lovingtonfestival.co.uk



TT Rockstars

Congratulations to our Summer TT Rockstar competition winners, and those that took part in the two competitions over the holidays. Well done everyone!

1st places are awarded to Roksana, Raff, Harry and Sandra

2nd places are awarded to Coen, Sandra, Alice

3rd places are awarded to Finty, Rose, Alice and Harry



Well Done Medals

Pippin Class -- Motivation -- Coen - for motivation in all of his learning this week. Well Done!

Bramley Class -- Motivation -- Sophia - For demonstrating an excellent hard-working approach during English and Maths lessons, being an active learner and trying her very best. Well done!

Russet Class -- Independence -- Amaia - Through showing great understanding of Roman Numerals.



Kindness Cup

This week, our kindness cup is awarded to Barney, who has demonstrated such kindness and thoughtfulness towards members of Pippin Class, helping others with their equipment and being such a lovely friend. Thank you Barney!



"Encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing."

1 Thessalonians 5:11 ESV

Dates for the Term

Tuesday 10th September	KS2 Hook Day – Carymoor Environmental Centre
Friday 13th September	Pippin Hook Day – African Dance and Drumming
Saturday 14th September	Lovington Festival 2pm-11pm
Tuesday 17th September	Whole school flu vaccinations
Thursday 26th September	Archery Enrichment Afternoon
Thursday 3rd October	OPEN DAY 4.30 – 6.30pm
Friday 4th October	
Wednesday 9th October	Parents evenings 3.30 – 6.30 pm
Thursday 17th October	Russet's parent outcome 2.50pm
Tuesday 22nd October	Yrs 5 and 6 Wells Literature Event – Cedar Hall
Wednesday 23rd October	Pippin's parent outcome – African afternoon 2.50pm
23rd – 25th October	KS2 Residential Barton Hall
28th October – 1st November	HALF TERM

STARTING SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2025?



Join us for our upcoming Open Day
and see what we are all about

Thursday 3rd October
16.30 - 18.30

Saturday 9th November
10am - 12pm

COME AND VISIT LOVINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.

Our team are **driven** and **committed** to delivering an **enriching, high-quality** education for all.

We offer:

- small class sizes
- tailored learning to suit individual pupils in a beautiful village setting
- committed and focused staff
- a wonderful outdoor space with a large field and playground
- breakfast club, and a wide range of after-school clubs



heated outdoor swimming pool

Talk to the children about their exciting learning hooks and the new well-planned and engaging curriculum.



Come and see the progress we have made and hear about our new partnership with the highly successful **Preston Primary MAT**.

We warmly welcome visits to the school. To arrange a visit, please contact the school office to speak to **Mrs Emma Marshall, Head of School - 01963 240305**

PTA News

Upcoming events:

- Saturday 14th September – Lovington Festival, 2pm-11pm

Lost Property?

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