

Lovington Church of England Primary School

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What lovely weather we have had this week. The children have enjoyed playing on the field as well as having their first swimming lesson of the term. We welcome our new swimming teacher Miss Soungari who will be teaching the children every Thursday and Friday.

"That was a 10 out of 10 lesson!"

William, Raff, Evan and Harry.



This week, Year Three have also attended a Body Control Festival at Ansford Academy. They participated in a range of activities including hopscotch, balancing on a beam, wheelbarrow racing, an obstacle course and gymnastics.

They had a super afternoon, challenging themselves showing great levels of resilience and determination. Well done everyone!



Pippin Class have had a visit from Mrs Dycer who spoke to us about her time here at Lovington as a child. She shared with us about how Pippin classroom didn't exist, and Russet class had a divider so there could be two classes inside.

We learnt that one of Mrs Dycer's ancestors was a teacher at Lovington and even had her wedding reception in Russet class! The children then compared the similarities and differences between today and during Mrs Dycer's time at school.

Thank you so much to Mrs Dycer for coming in and talking to us about the history of Lovington Primary School.

This week the children heard the story *Daniel in the Lion's Den*, hearing all about how bravery, faith, and having trust in God can help us overcome any obstacle. Thank you to Miss Payne for joining our Collective Worship this week.

"But those who trust in the Lord, they will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles."

Isaiah 40:31



A message from Mrs Small:

I would like to invite any grandparents or family members, who may have attended Lovington Primary, to share their experiences with the children. Please can any willing volunteers contact the school office.

Attendance Matters

This week our attendance is 99.2%



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Well Done Medals

Pippin Class – Independence - Milo

For his excellent work in maths, showing independence and active learning. Well done, Milo!

Bramley Class – Motivation – Poppie

For working really hard to develop her handwriting and spellings, showing excellent levels of progress. Well done Poppie!

Russet Class – Motivation - Jessica

Through the positive way she has approached recent assessments, showing determination to improve on her previous scores.

Times Tables Rockstars



Congratulations to our TT Rockstar tournament winners in Bramley Class:

1st place – Raff with 7, 187 points

2nd place – Alice with 5, 434 points

3rd place – Rokšana with 4, 259 points

Well done everyone!

As you know, the rapid recall of times tables is vital to ensure your child continues to make good progress in Maths.

Reading certificates this week:

Bramley Class

Isolda - 125 reads

Alice - 200 reads

Russet Class

Oscar - 50 reads



Kindness Cup

This week our kindness cup is awarded to Jessica for being such a great friend to others on the playground, checking in on someone and making a difference to their day. Thank you Jessica!

Uniform Expectations

Please can we politely remind all parents that clean and smart school uniform with white shirts and the correct shoes (not boots) are required in school.

Details about our school uniform requirements can be found on the website:

<https://www.lovingtonprimary.co.uk/parents/uniform>

We do not allow nail polish and children will be asked to remove this.

Safeguarding:

We take child protection extremely seriously at our school. If you have a concern, you can speak to any of the school's designated and trained child protection officers:

Mrs Marshall

Mrs Dallard

Mr Macdonald

Please can we remind all parents to park in a designated car parking space before dropping children off in the mornings. This is for the safety of all children and drivers.



May Fayre

Saturday 17th May from 12-3pm

Please do come along and enjoy a fantastic family afternoon with May Pole dancing, Majorettes, Country dancing, Splat the Rat, Welly Wanging as well as a wide range of stalls and refreshments.

These events do so much for our school, making donations towards new books, curriculum resources, supporting school trips and a wide range of enrichment opportunities.

The PTA would be most grateful for tombola, raffle and cake donations. Please can these come into school from **Thursday 15th May onwards.**

We are also keen to have some new faces on board to help support the running of the stalls. If you can spare any time, even just half an hour on the day, we would be most grateful. Please do pop into the school office to let us know.

Thank you for your continued support.



Upcoming Dates

Monday 5th May	BANK HOLIDAY
Wednesday 7th May	Tempest Photography Whole School and Yr 6
12th – 15th May	Year 6 SATs Week
3rd – 12th June	Yr 4 Multiplication Check
9th – 13th June	Yr 1 Phonic Screening
Saturday 17th May	Lovington Primary May Fayre 12-3pm
Friday 23rd May	HALF TERM HOLIDAY BEGINS
Monday 2nd June	INSET DAY
Tuesday 3rd June	Vision Screening for Reception
Sunday 8th June	World Ocean Day (Art Competition – Details to follow)
3rd – 12th June	Yr 4 Multiplication Check
9th – 13th June	Yr 1 Phonic screening
Tuesday 10th June	Swimming Gala & Sports Day Reserve 1
Friday 20th June	Lovington's Got Talent at 10am – School
Tuesday 24th June	Swimming Gala & Sports Day Reserve 2
Friday 4th July	Reports sent home
Monday 7th July	Global Forgiveness Day
Wednesday 9th July	Parent Meeting Drop Ins
Thursday 10th July	PPAT's Got Talent Final Kingfisher Primary School at 6pm (For Finalists)
Monday 14th July	KS2 Performance at 2pm
Wednesday 16th July	KS2 Performance at 6pm
Tuesday 22nd July	Leavers Service at 9.30am