

**Ladybridge Weekly News**

18<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am absolutely thrilled to announce our Head pupils for 2023-24:

Isabella and Cooper have been elected as Head pupils and Serena and Wyatt have been elected as Deputy Head pupils. They have already begun their important roles in school and are absolutely thrilled to have been chosen by the whole school community. I would like to thank all of the candidates for putting themselves forward for election.

We are really looking forward to our visit to Thornbridge Hall on 28<sup>th</sup> September. The children will have the opportunity to develop their geographical knowledge and visit beautiful grounds. Please make sure that you have completed your permission slip so that we can take all of the children from years 1 to 6.



We are currently advertising for a Mid-day Assistant. If you would like to support our wonderful children during lunchtime, helping them with their food and then supporting them when they play outside please apply by downloading an application form from Stockport Council’s website or ask at the Office.

Individual school photographs will be taken on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September. Please make sure that you have filled out your permission slip. Due to GDPR regulations we have to send this out every year, even if you have already filled one out you will need to fill it out again. **We are not allowed to take a photograph of your child without written permission.**



Year 2 had a wonderful time making passports and learning all about aeroplanes from the past. They are really enjoying their history topic.

Please remember that the car park can only be used by families who have a blue badge/disability. This is to keep everyone safe.

It is national fitness day on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September, the children will be taking part in extra activities as part of their school day.

Best wishes

Mrs Hill and Mr Bolan- Ashworth

### **Diary Dates**

- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September – Individual class photographs
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September – Thornbridge Hall trip years 1 to 6
- Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October – All Hallows Story trail years 1 to 6
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October - 1.30 to 3.15 open afternoon for prospective parents
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 9.15 Harvest festival All Hallows church
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Children break up from school
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October – INSET day for teachers and support staff
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October – children return to school
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October- 3.30 Halloween Party
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November – Non school uniform day for donations for the Christmas fair
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Non school uniform day for donation for the Christmas fair
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November – 3.30 until 6.00 Parent consultations
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November - 3.30 until 6.00 Parent consultations
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November – Flu vaccination
- Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December – Christmas fair 3.30 – 5.30
- Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas dinner day and Christmas Jumper day
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December – 9.30 Key stage 1 nativity dress rehearsal
- Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – 2.00 KS1 nativity performance
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December – 9.30 EYFS Dress rehearsal for Christmas Sing-a-long
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – 2.30 EYFS Christmas sing-a-long
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December – All Hallows Carol Service
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December – Christmas parties/children break up from school
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December – INSET day for teachers and support staff

### **This Week our Class Captains are:**

Mrs Woodworth – Sophie, for being helpful in the classroom

Miss Evans – Betty, for creating some lovely pieces of writing this week.

Mrs Burke – Tahlia, for her impeccable manners at all times

Miss Brownrigg – Sienna, for aiming high in Maths all week.

Mrs Davies – Leah, for always trying her best.

Miss Irving – Harriet, for always taking care in her work and aiming high.

Mrs Parker – Innaya, for always being the best she can be

Mrs Hill's award goes to Aca for being polite and respectful

Mr Bolan-Ashworth's award goes to Ahalam for being respectful and courteous to everyone she meets.

The class with the best attendance last week was Miss Woodworth's class with my favourite number 100%

Children will be given a treat for being on-time for school every day and for 97% - 100% attendance each week. Please ensure that children arrive at school before the bell goes at 8.55 each day.

**Good attendance is vitally important for all children in order for them to make good progress.**

**Please ensure that your child is in school on time every day.**

### **School Uniform**

There will be termly rewards for children who consistently wear the correct school uniform from September. Children must not wear sportswear of any kind. May I also remind parents that children should be wearing black school shoes. Trainers can be worn during playtime and lunchtime, but these must come to school in a separate bag and be stored in lockers.

### **PE Kits**

PE kits are provided by school for all children from year 1 to 6, parents only need to provide pumps or trainers. PE kits will be washed regularly (as needed) by school in non-biological liquid. If you do not wish to use a school PE kit please let your class teacher know and provide a PE kit for your child.

Year 5 will have swimming on Monday each week, all other classes from year 1 to 6 will have two lessons each week where PE kits are used.

The school website address is [www.ladybridge.stockport.sch.uk](http://www.ladybridge.stockport.sch.uk)

The school twitter address is @LadybridgePS

The school phone number is 0161 428 5445

The school text number is 0161 850 1262

School uniform can be ordered from <https://mcsstores.co.uk/>