

Ladybridge Weekly News

27<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

We had a wonderful day at Chester zoo, as usual our children were well behaved, a real credit to all of you. I'm sure the trip will be remembered by us all for years to come.



This week is science week, the children will be using the things that they learnt

about song birds of Indonesia at Chester zoo in their science lessons. The theme this year is 'connections' the children will be thinking about the connection between

taking wild birds into captivity and the breeding programmes that exist across zoos, particularly at Chester zoo.

I have some important news to share with you. Mr Fenwick is retiring as Deputy Headteacher after 19 years of fulfilling the role at Ladybridge. He will be leaving us at the end of July, everyone wishes him the very best for his future, we will miss him very much. Mrs Davies will take up the role of Deputy Headteacher from September 1<sup>st</sup>, she is very excited to take this role and will be a great support to myself and Mr Bolan Ashworth in September.

We have had a lot of cases of chicken pocks, sore throats and upset tummies, particularly in the Early Years, because of this situation we will be postponing the EYFS assembly that was planned tomorrow, (Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March). The EYFS assembly will now take place on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May.

Please let your child's teacher know if you can walk to All Hallows church with us on Thursday and please stay to enjoy our Easter Service. The children in year 4 will be leading the service and will be sharing the Easter story with songs that we can all join in with.





We are running our “Eggciting Eggs” competition for children in KS2, (Mrs Burke’s class, Miss Brownrigg’s class, Mr Fenwick’s class and Mrs Davies’ class). Last year the competition entries were great fun, there was no limit to the children’s imagination. I am so eggcited to see what they come up with this year. Children can make models, collages, decorate eggs, etc. prizes will be given for the most eggmaginative and

eggcellent entry in each year group.

For our younger children in KS1 and EYFS, (Mrs Goodwin’s class, Miss Woodworth’s class and Miss Nugent’s class); there will be an Easter Bonnet Parade. Weather permitting this will take place at 2.15 on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March. There will be prizes for the most imaginative and beautifully decorated bonnets. Please send entries in on the morning of Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March.



## MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April the School Council are hosting a film night to raise money for MacMillan Cancer Support. Please send a donation of £2 for snacks and drinks using the School Spider App, all the money that is donated will go to MacMillan Cancer Support. It is open for all children from Year 1 to Year6.

Best wishes

Mrs Hill

### Diary Dates

- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Science week
- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March – 9.05 EYFS Class assembly
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March – 9.05 All Hallows Easter service
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March – Easter Bonnet parade
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March – Break up for Easter holidays
- Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April – School Council film night to raise money for MacMillan
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April – Celebrating Eid day
- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May – Bank holiday
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4 Class assembly
- Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Coronation party, wear red white and blue to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III
- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May – Bank holiday
- Week beginning Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May - Year 6 SATs exams
- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – EYFS class assembly
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May – Break up for the Whit holiday
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June – Return to school
- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June – class photographs
- Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June – Year 5 visit to the Mosque
- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – Year 5 and 6 residential
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 playing at the Bridgewater Hall with the Halle orchestra
- Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Year 5 trip to Lyme Park
- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Children in Key stage 2 playing in the orchestra at the Town Hall Stockport at 7.00 p.m.
- Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July – KS2 Dress rehearsal
- Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July KS2 performance
- Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 leavers party
- Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> July – Break up for summer.

This Week our Class Captains are:

Mrs Woodworth – Asher, for great resilience in writing and being a good friend

Miss Nugent – Anayaa for showing great resilience when learning new sounds

Mrs Burke – Bray for showing respect at the zoo

Miss Brownrigg – Ivanka for always trying her best

Mr Fenwick – William for sharing his original ideas with the class

Mrs Davies – Harvey for improved focus and concentration

Mrs Parker – Aneurin for being the best he could be at Chester zoo

This week's Headteacher's awards were given to Anas for aiming high in mathematics and Rosie for aiming high in English.

The class with the best attendance last week was Mrs Davie's class with 99%

Children will be given a prize 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.**

#### **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

School uniform can be ordered from [www.tesco.com/ues](http://www.tesco.com/ues)