

# Ladysmith Federation

## INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018

### FEDERATION NEWS

Today we enjoyed a Federation Assembly at both the Infant and Junior Schools. Transition Day across the Federation is taking place next week on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2018 and children will have the opportunity to spend time in their new class with their teacher in preparation for the next academic year.  
*(more details below).*

#### Last chance for Magic Show tickets!

It's our very special **Magic Show** next Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July, when we play host to the Exonian Magical Society and four fabulous magicians. We will be selling tickets next week at various times in the playgrounds, or you can buy yours online at <http://bit.ly/CPTTmagicshow>

#### Two weeks to go until our Colour Run!

We are getting excited now as we count down to our **Colour Run**, which is happening on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July. Make sure you get your tickets asap - we will be selling them in the playground or you can buy online at <http://www.tinyurl.com/ladysmithrun>

There will be plenty of family fun to enjoy after the run at our **End of Term Party**, with face painting, balloon modelling, bouncy castle and more, as well as BBQ, pizza and a bar. We look forward to seeing you all there!

If you can spare a little time to help at the event with setting up, clearing away or taking a slot manning a stall or marshalling, then please let us know by emailing [cptt@ladysmithfederation.net](mailto:cptt@ladysmithfederation.net)

### Ambition Adventure Achievement

#### Stars of the Week



As the weather has been so glorious we decided to give the Stars of the Week a healthy fruit juice lolly to cool them down as their treat!

#### Pop Up Café

Thank you very much to Y3 and Y6 for all of the cakes donated to last week's pop up café. The Y5 cake sellers did a fantastic job. Our total of over £200 was given a big boost by the entrepreneurial efforts of a group of Y5s from 5AS who brilliantly organised and ran an ice-cream stall. For those who had a go at the games, Martha (Reception) won the panda, Daisy (Y4) found the treasure and Lucy (Y4) had the closest guess for the bricks in the jar. Well done to you all and thanks to everyone who came along to support the café.



#### Reading Is Fun!

Remember that everyone who takes part and brings back their sponsorship form and money will be entered into a class draw for a prize.

We are hoping that with the money raised we will be able to update our reading books and library resources.

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## Down on the Farm



Year 1 enjoyed a brilliant day at West Town Farm, Ide.

This Educational Charity based at West Town Farm are holding a Barn Dance on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July 6-11pm.

*(see poster on main noticeboard)*



## Empty Classroom Day



The children had a great **adventure** last Friday as the whole school enjoyed learning outside during **Empty Classroom Day**. It was fantastic to see so many children exploring the outside spaces at both the Infant and Junior School in a range of activities.



## Sports Day – 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2018

### Junior School Field

**Year R:** 9.30 – 10.30am; **Year 1:** 10.45 – 11.45am; **Year 2:** 1.45 – 2.45pm

Please can children come to school on Sports Day wearing shorts, t-shirts, trainers, sun screen and a sun hat or cap. A shady water station will be provided as part of the carousel of activities.

We will be going across to the field at various times before Sports Day to practice, so it would be very helpful if all children could keep a pair of trainers in school, plus t-shirt and shorts as well for Year 1 and 2 children. If the weather is too hot or raining (unlikely as that seems!) we will put alternative plans into place.

## Consent Booklets

All children in **Reception** and **Year 1** will have brought home a **Consent Booklet** today. Please read it carefully and return it duly signed to your class teacher. **This is an important document due to new legislation concerning sharing of personal information.**

## School Photographs

All orders must be in by **Monday (2<sup>nd</sup> July)** in order for them to be processed and returned to school before the end of term on **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018**.

## Sale of Ice Lollies

To raise money for the school we are always trying to think of new ideas. Mrs Beecroft has been selling the produce of the Forest School as well as ice lollies in the playground after school. Look out for her again on Wednesday after school in the playground.

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## Sampling/Transition Day - Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2018

All the children will be able to sample being in their new class with their new teacher on **5<sup>th</sup> July**.

At **8.50am**, please bring your **Year R** and **Year 1** children to their usual classroom door.

**Year 2** children have been invited to the **Junior School** that day and need to be dropped off there. **Year 2** will also have lunch at the Junior School so please discuss with your child what they would like from the set menu (Brunch Plait or Vegetable Fajitas- **NO** Jacket Potato available on the day) or, alternatively provide them with a packed lunch from home.

At 3.20pm **all** children in **Year R** and **Year 1** will return to their current classroom to be picked up by their parents.

You will receive a letter at the end of the day telling you the name of their new class and teacher and you are welcome to visit them after school in their new classroom from 3.45pm – 4.15pm if you wish.

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## Library Books

Please remember to return all Library Books before the end of term.

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## Wanted

The Art Room is very low on old newspapers. If you have any please send them in.

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## Lost Property

We have a mound of lost property in School which needs to be cleared before we break up for the Summer holidays. If your child has lost a fleece, shoe, coat, lunchbox, bag etc please look in lost property and reclaim it.

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## Garden Parties – Save the dates

**Nursery** have set aside **Wednesday July 18<sup>th</sup>** for their **Garden Party** (*details to follow*).

**Reception, Year 1 and Year 2** have set aside **Friday July 20<sup>th</sup>** for their **Garden Party**.

**Reception** at **9.30am**, **Year 1** and **Year 2** at **2pm** with a short performance at **2.30pm** for **Year 1** and **2.45pm** for **Year 2**.



We are inviting all parents to bring in a home cooked treat from different countries around the world to share at the Garden Party on the 20th July. We would ask that you refrain from using any nuts or chocolate due to severe allergies in the school. It would also be really helpful if you could label the food with a list of ingredients.

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## IMPORTANT DATES

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June** - CPTT Big Wild Sleep Out

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July** - Sports Day (Junior School Field)

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July** - Transition to new classes. Parents invited after school to meet new teachers

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July** - CPTT Magic Show

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July** and **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July** – KS1 Parents Evening

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July** – CPTT Colour Run

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July** - 2T (Turtles) Leavers Assembly 2.15pm

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July** - 2D (Dolphins) Leavers Assembly 2.15pm & Nursery Garden Party

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July** - 2S (Seahorses) Leavers Assembly 2.15pm

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July**- Garden Party 9.30am Reception Singing

Garden Party 2.30pm Year 1 Singing

Garden Party 2.45pm Year 2 Singing

Café Open from 2.00pm – 4.00pm

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July**- End of Term