

Ladysmith Federation

INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 22nd September 2017

FEDERATION NEWS

Parent Evenings and a Book Fair for Reception, Year One and Year Two will be held on Monday and Wednesday, 9th and 11th October 2017, in the School Hall. Look out for the signing up sheets which will go up outside classrooms soon.

Across the Federation we have a mountain of lost property. We encourage the children to look after their belongings but find that they often lose items because they are unnamed. Please can you help us to help you and write your child's name in everything!



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Year Two Hook Day

It was certainly an adventure in Year Two today – superhero adventures were happening everywhere. Superhero smoothies, cartoon strips and even superhero vegetables. We can't wait to see where the adventure takes us next..... watch this space!

Partnerships

We believe the partnership between home and school is very important. **Curriculum letters** with dates for parent meetings have been sent out to Years 1 and 2. The Foundation Stage (Nursery and Reception) curriculum letter will be sent out to parents at a later date. Working and playing together at home is a vital ingredient in helping the children make the most of their school learning and your contribution is essential. If you haven't already, please read, sign and return the home-school agreement.

Lunchtime

Lunchtimes are successful when children and parents have discussed which option they will be having either before school or in the morning. We are experiencing a few hiccups when children are expecting one thing and parents have chosen another! We want to ensure that the day is a happy one from beginning to end and it can be upsetting for them if their meal isn't what they imagined.

Year 1 Phonics and Farm Trip Talk - Monday 18th September 2017 at 2.30pm

Thank you to all those parents who attended the year 1 Phonics and Farm Trip Talk. It was a good turn out and we hope you all went away with a lot of new ideas of how to help in your child's education. Remember it's **Year 1 Hook Day – Monday 25th September 2017** when we would like the children to come to school dressed as a farmer or a farm animal.



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Digital Skipping Ropes

We are still waiting for a delivery of digital skipping ropes (prizes for that amazing fund raising that the children did last term). We have been told that it will be December before they arrive – apologies for this!

Train to Teach

Are you looking to become a teacher but don't know what's available for you? If 'yes', then this event is for you. A Teaching School event hosted by Exeter Consortium and South West Teacher Training, and a whole cohort of Teaching School Alliances from the South West have been invited to provide prospective teachers with the information they need to pursue their career. For more information, contact Exeter Consortium on: **01392 927171**



Class Names and School Times

The **School** day starts at **8.50am** and finishes at **3.20pm**. For those of you not familiar with the class names here is a fool proof list. Classes are no longer known by the teachers initial!

NURSERY



NG - Nursery Giraffe - Key Worker: Mrs Suzie Taylor



NM - Nursery Monkey - Key Worker: Miss Alice Green



NE – Elephant - Key Worker: Miss Gemma Clark

RECEPTION



RS Reception Squirrel - Teachers: Mrs Jarrell/Mrs Youde



RH Reception Hedgehog - Teacher: Miss Rebecca Symons



RR Reception Rabbit - Teacher: Miss Carly Ronchetti

YEAR 1



1BB - Year One Bumblebee – Teacher: Mrs Pounds



1B - Year One Butterfly – Teacher: Mrs Helen Smith



1D - Year One Dragonfly – Teachers: Mrs Jones/Mrs John

YEAR 2



2D - Year 2 Dolphin – Teachers: Mrs Slack/Mrs Collinge



2S - Year 2 Seahorse - Teacher: Miss Karen Featherstone



2T -Year 2 Turtle – Teacher: Miss Helen Potter

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