

Ladysmith Federation

Junior School News

Friday 31st January 2020

Ambition

Story Competition
Don't forget to send in your 500 word story by the end of February. It can be about whatever you want it to be. We have already had some fantastic story entries. One features the Australian bush fires, one tells the story of an abandoned teddy and another explains the mystery of Mr Wilkinson's injured ankle!

Stories can be sent in or emailed to Mr Broad at dbroad@ladysmithfederation.net

Adventure

Killerton Run

126 children, 7 members of staff and a few hardy parents braved the dismal weather on Monday afternoon to take part in the rearranged Killerton Run event. The children were an absolute credit to the school; they behaved brilliantly and showed great determination and perseverance to complete the race. Congratulations to everyone who took part. Special congratulations to Huw who came first place out of a field

Achievement

Well done to our stars of the week!

Year 3: Matilda, Farrah, Frankie, Ryan, Nate, Sammy

Year 4: Scarlet, Taylor, Jess H, Tommy R, Ryan

Year 5: Oliver T, Henry, Ollie, Amy, Rosie

Year 6: Yagana, Alex B, Oscar, Melissa, Danielle, Melody

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Quiz night

Friday Quiz 'n Fizz!

28th Feb - 7:30 to 10pm

£4 per person
(Includes
snacks,
payment on
the door)



Raising funds
for shed
repairs
(infant and
junior school)

Quiz night

Register teams / book tables in advance by emailing hammeldown@gmail.com. Or just turn up and join a team on the night! Prizes for winners / best team names - plus drinks available from the bar.

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World Book Day 2020

Thursday 5th March is World Book Day! Find out how to get involved below!
Dress Up!

This year, rather than dress as a character, we have challenged the children to come to school '**dressed as a word**'... this is to celebrate the richness of the written word (and to make it easier to create a costume!)

Of course, if your child would prefer to come to school dressed as their **favourite book character**, they are most welcome – we are always amazed by the variety and inventiveness of their costumes!

As ever, please do not go out and spend lots of money – there are plenty of characters and words which can be created with what the children already have at home.

Shared Reading

Throughout the day, the children will be spending time with some children from the Infant School to share stories and explore the words or characters they have come as.

Book Swap

If you have any unwanted children's books (in good condition please), we are hosting a book swap. Anybody who donates a book will receive a token so that after school, they can collect a new book.

Mr Hawkins Needs You!! Voting is OPEN!!

Ladysmith Junior School has been chosen as one of three finalists in the RGB Building Supplies' latest Well Built Community Fund.

The decision now rests with the public to decide who should receive the £1,000 worth of building materials – we would LOVE to give it to Mr Hawkins to buy new tools for his projects at school!

Votes can be cast one of three ways:

1. By visiting RGB's Exeter branch and placing a chip in the Ladysmith Junior School box
2. By [visiting RGB's Facebook page](#) - **remember to hear the post not in the comments!**
3. By emailing RGB@pmwcom.co.uk and putting 'Community Fund – Ladysmith Junior School' in the subject box. Only one vote will be counted from each email address

Dates for the diary:

4.2.20—Year 6 Parent Workshop—Reading

5.2.20—Year 5 Parent Workshop—Reading

7.2.20—3CH Family Assembly

12.2.20—Open afternoon—3.30pm-5pm

14.2.20—Last day of the half term

24.2.20—Start of spring term 2

28.2.20—Federation Quiz night at the Junior School

3.3.20—Year 4 Parent Workshop—Writing

5.3.20—World Book Day

6.3.20—5SW Family Assembly

Week beginning 9.3.20—Year 6 Beam House Residential Week / Year 6 activity week

16.4.20—Year 5 Sleepover—**Please note change of date! Details to follow**

13.3.20—Reports Out

17.3.20—Parent's Evening 5-7pm (please note change of date from last week's dates for the diary)

19.3.20—Parent's Evening 4-6pm (please note change of date from last week's dates for the diary)

20.3.20—4AN family assembly—9.05am in the hall

25.3.20—Open Afternoon—3.30pm-5pm

26.3.20—Ladysmith Bake Off—CPTT Easter Event! Details to follow

27.3.20—5LD family assembly—9.05am in the hall

27.3.20—Last Day of spring term

14.5.20—First Day of summer term

