

Ladysmith Federation

Infant and Nursery Newsletter



14th February 2020



Ambition

Year 1 Learning Environment

There have been some exciting changes to the learning environment in Year 1 this week. The children have enjoyed making fruit smoothies in the snack café. The outside area has also been engaging the children with lots of exciting play opportunities.



Adventure

Stay and Play

It was great to see so many families staying last Friday after school to play. Thank you to the Reception Team that provided the cakes and anyone who supported us. All the donations are going towards Opal resources for the children at lunchtimes. Hopefully next half term the weather will be a little kinder to us. The next Stay and Play will be at Forest School on Friday 28th February.

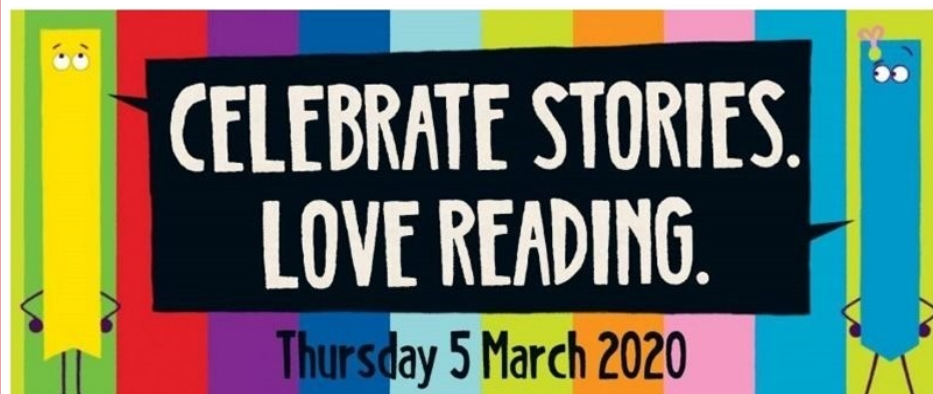
Achievement

Stars of the Week

Well Done to our Stars of the Week who earned themselves a well deserved toast treat with Mrs Collinge



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World Book Day

At the Infant school, children have the choice of dressing up in either their **pyjamas**, to celebrate the joy and benefit of bedtime stories, or as one of their **favourite book character**.



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Uniform Sale

There is a second hand uniform sale on Friday 28th Feb 3-4pm in the infant school playground. Cards can be accepted now. Also, if anybody has uniform to donate please hand it into either school offices. We are especially low on school jumpers.

Thank you



Getting Jazzy

Year 2 have had a fantastic music day with DYJO - Devon Youth Jazz Orchestra. We learned to sing "Oh When the Saints" and joined in a jazzy improvisation of the piece. We learned lots about dynamics, tempo and texture and watched the jazz band perform tunes and introducing their instruments.



Lunch Box Reminder



In line with our schools healthy food policy and in order to safeguard people with serious nut and chocolate allergies, **please do not include nuts, chocolate, sweets or fizzy drinks in your child's lunchbox.**

We have recently noticed a lot of whole grapes in children's lunchboxes. As this is a choking hazard, please can all grapes be **cut lengthwise**.

Thank you.



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Forest school will be open at lunchtime to reception children after the half term. Please could you bring in a named pair of wellington boots for them to wear while up there, depending on the weather,

The next Stay and Play is on **Friday 28th February**, and hopefully it will be dry. We will try to have cakes, books and 2nd hand uniform for sale, so please bring your pennies.



Dates for the Diary

Half Term

17th February - 21st February 2020

Friday Fizz and Quiz

28th February 2020
7:30

Stay and Play at Forest School

Friday 28th February
3:20-4.20pm

Cakes, Books and Second Hand Uniform

Sale outside School Office
Friday 28th February 3-4pm

World Book Day

Thursday 5th March

Year 1 West Town Farm Trip

Bumblebees—Monday 9th March 2020
Dragonflies-Tuesday 10th March 2020
Butterflies-Thursday 12th March 2020

Reception Pennywell Farm Trip

16th April 2020

Check Dates online: [Online Calendar](#)

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