

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2016

## Infant and Nursery Newsletter

### Baker Prize

Every year we award a book token in recognition of outstanding achievement in **Year 2** in memory of a former pupil of the school, **Mrs Ada Baker**.

This year book tokens have been given to

**Huw Beare 2F, Mikolaj Koziol 2J and Alexander Boyd 2S.**

**CONGRATULATIONS**

### School Council

Thank you to all the School Council members:

**1P/W** Nathan Masters, Alex Trezise, **1M** Bel Vallis, Luke Ivory, **1R** Harry Barton, Matilda Hewlett, **2S** Alex Winterbottom, Lucy Shipway, **2J** Sophie Pitman-Davies, Tommy Pickering, **2F** Melody Nixon, Huw Beare.

Our School Council have been an amazing group to work with this year, behaving in a mature and collaborative way to collect and discuss issues raised by classmates.



### CONGRATULATIONS

#### 100% Attendance

**Reception:** Anastasia Tsamali (RJ)  
Adam Guyers (RM)  
Grace Navran (RM)

**Year 1:** Amy Hoekstra (1P/W)  
Alexandra Trezise (1P/W)  
Millie Candler (1R)  
Amelia Pring (1R)

**Year 2:** Jasmine Aggett (2F)  
Lucy Bartle (2J)  
Ruby Emmett (2J)  
Izzy Macleod (2J)  
Sophie Pitman-Davies (2J)  
Isla Withers (2J)  
Millie Pring (2S)  
Lucy Shipway (2S)  
Georgia Courtney-Baker (2S)

These children all gained **A CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE FOR 100% ATTENDANCE** during the 2015/16 school year (September 2015 - 15<sup>th</sup> July 2016).

## EXTREME READING

Thank you for all the amazing entries. We were amazed at the obscure and entertaining places that the children (*and staff!*) were caught reading. The School Council representatives have chosen the winning entry.

**Reception:** Thomas Newell and Raphael Keen .

**Year 1:** Thomas Myton and Ella Dart.

**Year 2:** Finlay Walkden and Troy Baars Bristow.

Winning entries have received a certificate, a book and the satisfaction that they are the most extreme reader in the school!

**Well done to everyone who took part.**

### Volunteers

**THANK YOU** to all the volunteers who have given up their time to come into school to help in the classes and Forest School.

**We really do appreciate your help.**

**If anyone would like to become a Volunteer helper in the class or Forest School next term, please pop into the office to collect a form.**

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## LADYSMITH INFANT & NURSERY SCHOOL

### School Holiday & Term Dates 2016/2017

#### Autumn Term 2016

- Children return to school - Monday 5 September 2016\*\*
- Half Term - 24 October - 28 October inclusive
- Children return to school - Monday 31 October 2016
- End of term - Friday 16 December 2016

#### Spring Term 2017

- Training Day - Tuesday 3 January 2017
- Children return to school - Wednesday 4 January 2017\*\*
- Half Term - 13-20 February inclusive
- Children return to school - Tuesday 21 February 2017
- End of Term - Friday 31 March 2017

#### Summer Term 2017

- Children return to school - Tuesday 18 April 2017\*\*
- Bank Holiday - Monday 1 May 2017
- Bank Holiday - Monday 29 May 2017
- Half Term - 29 May - 2 June 2017 inclusive
- End of Term - Friday 21 July 2017

**\*\*Nursery children please check with key worker your return/start date.**



#### Buckfast Abbey

Visits have been arranged for Year 2 to visit the Abbey on September 13<sup>th</sup> (2F), September 19<sup>th</sup> (2S/J) and September 20<sup>th</sup> (2P). A separate letter with full details will be sent out next term.

#### Nursery Parade

The School were treated to a Mardi Gras parade by the Nursery children last Thursday. All the children really enjoyed making their headdresses and decorating the Leap Room. Thank you to all the Key Workers for all their hard work in making this parade such a success.



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#### Sponsored Bounce

An amazing **£1,250** has been collected so far.

#### Summer Fair

Congratulations and thank you to everyone who supported this year's Ladysmith Federation Summer Fair on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July.

The total raised so far is **£2,500**.

A special thank you to Sarah Dart and the Year 5 Enterprisers for organising this hugely enjoyable and successful event.

#### Grand Totals will be published after the break.

Thank you to everyone for their support in both these events.

#### Goodbye to Year 2!

We say goodbye and good luck to all Year 2 children who are transferring to Junior School.

We hope they have enjoyed their time at Ladysmith Infant and Nursery School and will take many happy memories with them.

#### Goodbye!

We have come to the end of another very successful year for the children at Ladysmith Infant & Nursery School.

The success of the school is built on the marvellous team work of all the staff from cleaning, caretaking, office, teaching assistants, key workers, teachers and governors.

**WE WISH YOU ALL A VERY PEACEFUL  
SUMMER BREAK AND SEE YOU ON**

**MONDAY 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016**

*(Date differs for new Nursery and Reception children)*  
refreshed and ready for the new school year.



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