

# Lower Peover CofE (Aided) Primary School

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*With the Lord by our side, we strive for excellence in everything we do; aiming to achieve highly within our spiritual community. Working together under God's guidance, we endeavour to become the best that we can be in our school, where the Christian faith is taught, experienced, and lived.*



## Weekly Newsletter – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024



### Welcome back for the Summer term.

Class ambassadors for the summer 1 half term are:

Year 3: Max & Elara-Vega

Year 4: Alexa & Aapo

Year 5: Henry & Daisy

Year 6: Eliza & Xander

### St George's Day – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Children who are in Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Rainbows, Brownies, or Guides are welcome to come into school in their relevant uniforms on Tuesday next week if they wish, to celebrate St George's Day.

### Spring Term Attendance Badges

Congratulations to our attendance badge winners for the Spring term. The gold, silver & bronze badges were presented to the children today.

### Sports Coaching Group

We have welcomed the staff of Sports Coaching Group into school this week.

The sport after-school clubs previously allocated to Years 1 & 2 have been opened up for Reception children to attend too, so please use the link in the After School Club section below if you wish to book your child/children onto this or any other applicable club.

The additional Wednesday club for Rec, Years 1 & 2 (Dodgeball) has not had much up-take as yet. This club will have to be cancelled if there is no interest in the coming weeks.

Please be advised that there will be a holiday camp running in school during the May half term holiday. Further information will be provided in due course.

### Eat with your Child – Year 2 (Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April)

Next week is Eat with your Child for Year 2. Please arrive at 12.00 at the main entrance to be signed in. Please can you ensure all mobile phones are switched off upon entering school.

Please be advised that there is a funeral taking place in Church at 1pm. Funeral parking will be in The Bells of Peover car park, so please do not use the pub car park. Parking is also not permitted on The Cobbles or in front of the Church, as this area will be required for the hearse. Parking will be available at the rear of school, however, please ensure you do not block the side drive of school or the school gate, in case emergency vehicles require access – thank you

Unfortunately, we are now only able to cater for those parents who advised us via the survey of their food requirements. Please can we request payment is made via the ParentPay service for your adult meal prior to the day.

Due to limited space, unfortunately no more than 2 adults can attend. Please advise the office if you have missed the survey and wish to attend and bring your own packed lunch.

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## Book Fair

We are delighted to announce that we have the Scholastic Book Fair returning to school starting from Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May after a very successful year last year.

The book fair will be made available at the end of day collection time on a class-by-class basis. The days allocated for each year group are as follows:

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May** - Reception, Year 1, and siblings (2:45 - 3:30pm)

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May** - Years 2 & 3 and siblings (2.45pm – 3.30pm)

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May** - Years 4 & 5 and siblings (2.45pm – 3.30pm)

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** Year 6 and anyone who is unable to attend on their allocated slot (2.45pm – 3.30pm)

**The book fair is CASHLESS**, and everything can be paid for via our book fair card machine or by scanning a QR code and paying online using your phone. More details to follow.

**Congratulations to our Year 4 children** who have been taking part in an inter-school competition for Times Table Rockstars. 22 classes took part from primary schools across the local area.

We are delighted to announce that 3 Lower Peover children were placed in the top 7 individual places, with 2 being 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed overall, out of 212 children taking part.

Alexa – 1<sup>st</sup> place overall  
Donnie – 3<sup>rd</sup> place overall  
Evelyn – 7<sup>th</sup> place overall

An incredible achievement, not only by these 3 children, but by all Year 4 children who took part, resulting in Lower Peover coming 2<sup>nd</sup> overall as a school - well done everyone!



## FLPS

Welcome back! We hope you have all enjoyed the Easter break

As we enter the summer term we now start planning and look forward to all the summer events. Watch this space for more information about these events.

Follow us on Instagram and Facebook to find out more about this event and much more!

**Instagram: Friends of Lower Peover School**

**Facebook: Lower Peover Primary School Mums**

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## Collective Worship

Each Friday our whole school Collective Worship will be a Praise Assembly where children will share their work. This will alternate by Key Stage and be held in the school hall, commencing at approx 9am.

Parents are very welcome to attend all Friday Collective Worship and Church Services.

We do encourage a calm atmosphere in school, particularly in Collective Worship and ask that parents attending remain quiet when the children come into the hall – thank you for your cooperation.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April – Key Stage 1 Praise

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Key Stage 2 Praise

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May – Key Stage 1 Praise

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May – Key Stage 2 Praise

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May – Key Stage 1 Praise

**Please note: There is no Collective Worship in school when Church services take place**

## Our Governors



My name is Peter Longinotti, and I am in my second term as a foundation governor at the school. My particular role is to support the school by bringing additional financial expertise to the governing body. I am a qualified Chartered Accountant and, in my career, prior to retirement, I was a partner at PWC, the global financial consultancy, and served as Chairman or Non-executive director of a number of companies.

I am the link governor for modern languages and a few years ago took a GCSE in Italian so have at least some personal experience of the challenges awaiting young people as they progress through education.

I enjoy travelling, sailing, cycling, and trying to improve my golf.

I also enjoy the arts particularly opera and especially the occasional concerts we have at Lower Peover Church.

## Weekly Attendance

### Winning Year Group – Year 3

Reception: 95.77%

Year 1: 96.03%

Year 2: 97.04%

Year 3: 98.13%

Year 4: 97.73%

Year 5: 97.10%

Year 6: 95.52%

Whole School: 96.77%

## Forest School Rota 2024

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April – Year 5

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Reception

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May – Year 1

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May – Year 6

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4

**To comply with our risk assessment, all children must wear suitable outdoor clothes (long sleeve tops & long trousers/leggings – no football kits)**

**plus, outdoor shoes (please bring shoes to change into).**

**Hair must be tied up.**

**If incorrect clothing is worn, unfortunately, children will be unable to take part in the session.**

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## Dojo's

### Team Winners & Dojo Masters

**Red Team: 1<sup>st</sup> place (367 points)**

**Blue Team: 4<sup>th</sup> place (316 points)**

**Green Team: 3<sup>rd</sup> place (351 points)**

**Yellow Team: 2<sup>nd</sup> place (360 points)**

**Reception: David, Huxley & Grace**

**Year 1: Finn**

**Year 2: The Whole Class**

**Year 3: Joshua & Isabella**

**Year 4: Bella & Harvey**

**Year 5: Jude**

**Year 6: Hayden & Hettie**

## Staff Led After School Clubs

**Summer 1 Half Term 2024 (15.04.24 to 23.05.24 inclusive)**

Day	Club	Number of places	Cost	Staff Member	Year Group(s)	INFORMATION
Monday	Jewellery	Max. 12	£4.50 per child per week	Miss Haslam	Years 5 & 6	Fully Booked
Monday	Vocal Coaching Club		£36 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on <a href="mailto:jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk">jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</a>
Tuesday	Jewellery	Max. 12	£4.50 per child per week	Miss Haslam	Years 3 & 4	Fully Booked
Tuesday	SATS Booster	Whole class	n/a	Mr Haslam	Year 6	Last session will be Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May
Tuesday	Table Tennis	Max. 12	£15 per half term	Miss Moores	Years 1 & 2	Fully Booked
Wednesday	Rounders	Max. 30	£15 per half term	Mrs Tinker & Mr Bradley	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6	Fully Booked
Thursday	Lower Peover Band		£72 per term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on <a href="mailto:jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk">jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</a>

**Please note – All clubs will commence the first week back after the half term break unless otherwise detailed.**

**All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation**

**Please ensure you have paid on ParentPay to secure your place request(s)**

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## Sports Coaching Group – Summer 1 Half Term 2024 After School Clubs

SUMMER 1 HALF TERM (15.04.24 to 24.05.24 inclusive)		
Day	Year Groups	Activity
Monday	3 – 6 inclusive	Football
Tuesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Football
Wednesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Dodgeball
Thursday	3- 6 inclusive	Tennis
Friday	All year groups	Football

N.B. Places on these clubs are limited and are allocated on a first come, first served basis as usual. Please add your child's name to the waiting list if the club is full.

**All clubs will commence the first week back after the half term break**

To book, please use the link below.

<https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/587>

**All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation**

## Wraparound Care – Sports Coaching Group

**For Summer 1 half term onwards please book wraparound care via**

<https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/590>

## Dates, Events & Information

### Summer 1 Half Term 2024

- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April incl. – Year 4 Residential to Petty Pool Centre
- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April – Year 2 Parents 'Eat with your child' (12noon – 1pm)
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Use of school as polling station – SCHOOL OPEN AS NORMAL
- Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May – Reception Parents – Stay & Play (2pm onwards)
- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May inclusive – Year 6 SATS
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May – Year 3 Class trip to RHS Bridgewater
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May – Y5 Bikeability (continues into w/c 20<sup>th</sup> May)
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Reception Parents 'Eat with your child' (12 noon to 1pm)
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Year 1 Class Assembly & Classroom Visit (9am)
- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May – LAST DAY OF TERM

### Summer 2 Half Term 2024

- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – INSET DAY
- Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June – FIRST DAY OF TERM FOR CHILDREN
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Class photographs & Year 6 individual photographs
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June – Year 2 class trip to Manchester Airport
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June – Year 6 class trip to Tatton Park (WWII)
- Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June – Swimming pool on site (2 weeks)
- Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> & Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June – Holmes Chapel Comprehensive School Transition Days (Y6 children attending)
- Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Reception class trip to Imagine That!
- Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June – Year 2 Class Assembly & Classroom Visit (9am)
- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July – Sports Day – Reception, Years 1 & 2 only – AM
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Reception Class Assembly & Classroom Visit (9am)
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July – Sports Day – Key Stage 2 only – AM