

Parents Weekly Newsletter



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WELCOME TO WEEK 03 OF THE PARENTS NEWSLETTER

A great week this week. Year 3 had a fabulous time on their Farm trip and had a lot of fun learning about different aspects of farming and enjoyed meeting some of the animals.

Once again thank you for your generous donations for the Teddy Toddle, the funds raised will be a great help for the TOFS (Tracheo-Oesophageal Fistula Support) charity!

Many thanks to all who have donated cakes for the Macmillan Coffee/Cake afternoon. The cakes look amazing and we have had many of the staff eyeing up what they would like to buy this afternoon.

National Poetry Day

Next Thursday, 5th October, is National Poetry Day. We will be recognising the day by dedicating time in our English lessons to enjoying poetry by listening, reading, writing or performing poems.



LOOKING AHEAD

2nd, 3rd & 4th Oct - Grandparents Lunches

6th Oct - National Poetry Day

10th Oct - Year 5 Family Cafe- Anglo Saxon Crafts

11th Oct - Year 3 Family Cafe- Stone Age

16th Oct - Flu Vaccination (Lobster class)

17th Oct KS1 Disco

17th Oct - Year 1 Family Cafe

18th Oct - Year 2 Family Cafe

19th Oct - KS2 Disco

23rd- 27th Oct HALF TERM

WC 30th Oct - Bikeability for Year 5

ATTENDANCE

Going to school regularly is important for your child's future.

School starts: 8.45am

School ends: 3.15pm

All pupils are required to be in school **everyday by 8:45am** ready to learn.

Parents are legally responsible for making sure that children go to school.



SCHOOL DINNERS IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please check your ParentPay accounts if you wish to book a school dinner for your child. If your account is in debt you will not be able to book a lunch until the account has been cleared.

[Lunch Menu 2023-2024](#)



Cold Weather

With the cold weather now upon us, please remember to bring in jumpers, coats and appropriate footwear.



Child Absence

If your child is unwell and unable to attend school you will need to telephone the attendance line 01733 232949 option 1



Wrap Around Care Club

If your child attends the club and you need to contact Mrs Rose during the session please contact her on the clubs number - **07541644794**

If you are in receipt of any childcare benefits please use our registration number 110743 to claim help towards the payments.



Additional Information for additional information about the school please check out our [website](#) or visit our Facebook page - **Leighton Primary School Orton Malborne**



Operation Encompass

Leighton Primary School are working in partnership with Peterborough Children's Social Care and Cambridgeshire Police. This will formally be known as Operation Encompass. Operation Encompass has been established to help schools provide in-school support to children who have been present at, exposed to or involved in any domestic abuse incident.

Please click on the link below for more information.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ADB6j_br1xN-hZYJ2jSldTuymepyumx0/view?usp=drive_link

European Languages Day



A fantastic day celebrating different languages in Europe. It was amazing seeing all the children dressed in their assigned countries colours.

Grandparent Lunches

Monday 2nd October
Tuesday 3rd October
Wednesday 4th October



We are looking forward to Grandparents joining us for lunch next week with their grandchildren.

Grandparents need to arrive by 11.45 at the main gate.

Please note that the deadline to book has ended and no more bookings will be taken.

Safeguarding

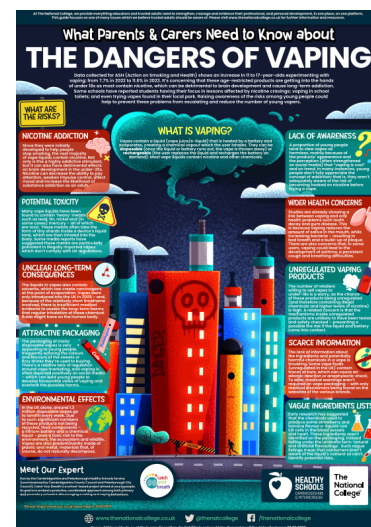
Please remember to sign up to the National Online Safety page to be able to find more factsheets like these to help keep your children safe online. If you download the National Online Safety app on your mobile phones or ipads/tablets then create an account adding Leighton Primary School in the relevant section.

A free online safety guide looking at Vaping.

They've helped thousands of people successfully quit smoking; in laboratory tests, they've been found to be up to 95% less harmful than cigarettes; and they've been hailed as "a game changer for public health" by one independent review. So why exactly are vapes and e-cigarettes still regarded by many experts as controversial and potentially dangerous?

In terms of young people, the issue is availability. Vapes (containing nicotine) aren't supposed to be sold to under 18s: a fact at odds with the rising number of school-age users and the products' colourful packaging and child-friendly flavours. Our #WakeUpWednesday guide summarises what trusted adults need to know about the potential dangers of vaping for young people.

<https://nationalcollege.com/guides/vaping-dangers>



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SCHOOL CLUBS WEEKLY DIARY	YDP - Dance	YDP Handball Cookery Club	YDP Cricket Mrs Haley- Lego club	YDP Gymnastics	YDP Football