



# Ladbroke Primary School

Friday 6th July



## HEADTEACHER'S NEWSLETTER

### THANK YOU

As we come to the end of the year, I would like to say a massive thank you to the members of the FOLS team, who have worked really hard this year organising events for your children to enjoy. I cannot name you all for fear of missing someone out, but you know who you are. It can sometimes feel like a thankless task, but I want you all to know just how much the school appreciates your help and support. Without the time and effort you put in so many events would not happen and funds raised would not have been achieved. Every single child



benefits from the hard work of the FOLS team, so THANK YOU!



### Dates For Your Diary

TUESDAY 10th JULY  
Y4 Lincolnsfield Trip

WEDNESDAY 11th JULY  
5 - 7pm Open Display Evening

WEDNESDAY 11th JULY  
7pm New Parents Meeting

THURSDAY 12th JULY  
Y6 Secondary Transfer Day

THURSDAY 12th JULY  
Changeover/Induction Day

THURSDAY 12th JULY  
Nursery Closed

FRIDAY 13th JULY  
Sports Day

FRIDAY 13th JULY  
School Reports Out

Monday 16th JULY  
2pm - Y5/6 Show to Y5 Parents

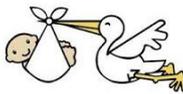
TUESDAY 17th JULY  
7pm—Leavers Show

FRIDAY 20th JULY  
2pm - End of Term

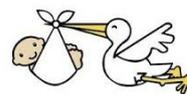


TUESDAY 4th SEPTEMBER  
Term Starts  
8.45am

### Exciting News



I am sure that some of you may already have



guessed but I am delighted to announce that Mrs Petrou is pregnant with her first child, due at the end of the year.

I am sure you will all join me in congratulating her and her husband and wish her well with her pregnancy. Mrs Petrou will be starting her maternity leave in the middle of October so will be here to settle the reception class into year one in September. We are currently in the process of finding suitable cover for her in her absence and when arrangements have been finalised, we will write again to inform you of the arrangements.

### ATTENDANCE DATA

Here are the % for attendance in June

Class	%	Class	%
F1	93%	Y3	97.6%
F2	96.5%	Y4	97.2%
Y1	96.8%	Y5	98.2%
Y2	95.6%	Y6	97.4%

Overall our attendance for June was  
**97.0%**

Good but we are still aiming for the magic 98%





### Uniform

It is coming to that time of year when some parents will start to think about new uniform and school accessories for next year.

We have seen an increase recently in the size of rucksacks being brought into school. We have very small cloakrooms and this is causing problems. If you are buying a bag for your child, please bear in mind the size. Your child does not really need anything other than a PE bag and a book bag. If your child does insist on an additional bag, please keep it small and slim so it fits easily on a peg.

Please remember we have second hand uniform stock in school as this is a good way to get uniform, especially if your child is prone to growth spurts.

All accessories for school, e.g. hair bands should be either blue, black or white in colour and should not be too large or obtrusive.

I understand at the moment that some children have grown out of their shoes and parents are reluctant to buy new ones so close to the end of term. If this is the case, please just let the class teacher know. In September I will expect all children to have proper school shoes in school NOT black trainers or trainer type shoes.



## END OF TERM NEON DISCO



**Wednesday 18th July**

**FS and KS1 (Infants) 3.30-4.30**

**KS2 (Juniors) 4.45-6.00**



**£3.50 per child, pay on arrival at disco**

**Come dressed to impress in fancy dress or bright, neon clothes and show off your best moves.**

**Disco with DJ SEAN including games, bubbles, latest party tunes, requests and dance off**

**Drinks, snacks, glow face painting and disco accessories available at extra cost.**





### Sports Day Arrangements

We are hoping for a lovely warm (but not too hot) day for our sports day on

# Friday 13th July



The day will run as follows  
9.30 - 10.30 F2, Y2, Y4, Y6 Activity Circus  
11.00 - 12.00 Y1, Y3, Y5 Activity Circus  
12.00 - 12.45 Picnic on the field  
1.00 - 3.00 Sprint Races (optional) & House relays



Parents are welcome to come to any part of the day. We hope that as many parents as possible will be able to join us for the picnic on the field. If your child usually has a school dinner, the school kitchen will arrange for a red and a green packed lunch to be available on this day.

The activity circus is a series of activities that the children will take part in to earn points for their house team. They will be placed in house teams with children from the other year groups and spend 3 minutes at each activity trying to score points for their team. Where possible, siblings will be placed in the same team so parents can follow children round at the same time. At the end of both activity circuses, the points will be added and the house with the highest score will be awarded the cup.

Children from each class can choose to compete in the sprint races. There will be a race for girls and a race for boys. If too many children want to take part in each class, there will be a heat followed by a final.

The house relay will involve all the children. There will be a team from each house in each year group. They will earn points for their house based on their position and the relay cup will be presented to the highest scoring team.

**PLEASE NOTE, IF THE WEATHER CONTINUES TO BE HOT, CHANGES MAY BE MADE TO THE FORMAT**

### Ladbroke School Summer Concert.

Congratulations to all of the children who took part in our Summer Concert on 24th June. We had impressive performances from the orchestra, recorder groups, choir and soloists. It was a wonderful celebration of the musical talent at Ladbroke. Thank you to everyone involved in preparing the children for their performances and to FOLS for running the refreshments. Thank you also to everyone who came along to support the evening and an enormous thank you to all of you who so generously gave towards the Rivers Group charity. Donations and refreshments raised an incredible £174.10. This will be used to support our feeding scheme in schools in Bloemfontein, South Africa, giving vulnerable children a chance to succeed in education. So much to celebrate – thank you! Mrs Prior.

