

## Lodge Farm Primary School February Newsletter



## Caring and working together

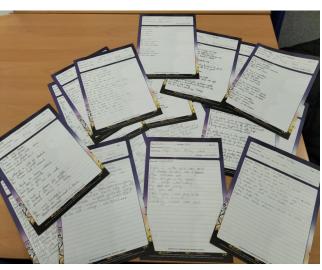
Young Writers Competition

Good luck to all of our children who have entered the Young Writers competition. Entries have been sent off and if we have any winners their poems will be published in a book of poetry.

#### Receptions Prehistoric <u>Visitor!</u>

Reception children had a shock when they found out they had a Jurassic visitor captured on camera!







We are sad to say goodbye to Mrs Preston who leaves us for pastures new after half term. Mrs Preston has worked for 7 years in the office. Thank you for everything you have done for Lodge Farm.

#### <u>Tesco Blue Tokens</u>

We have been selected to be part of the collection in Tesco fundraising. Our collection runs until March. The three prizes are £1500, £1000 or £500. We are hoping to win the top amount so that we are able to put this towards the costs of having our KS1 playground renovated to match the KS2 markings! Please help to support us by helping us fill the token boxes! and by letting family and friends know.





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February 2024

# HALF TERM READING CHALLENGE

Let's get reading!

What is the most unusual Place to Read?

Get reading over half term and send us your photos of the most unusual places you can find to read.

Deadline for photos will be 24th February.

Prizes will be awarded to the most unusual entries.

### <u>Lodge Farm Primary School – Calendar of Events for Parents</u> <u>Spring 2024</u>

	March	
Half Term starts: Monday 19th February 2024.		
February-Easter Break	On-going	PTFA- Penny Wars to raise funds for the Colour Run later in the year
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	2:30-3:15	Year 4 Timetables afternoon. Parents invited.
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	All day.	PTFA- Non-uniform day- Please bring a £1 donation, you will then be entered into a raffle at the end of Spring term.
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	3:45-5:45pm	Parent's Evening - Appointments will be available to book
Tuesday 27th February	3:45-5:45pm	online nearer the time.
Thursday 29th February	2pm - 3:15pm	Year 4 Enrichment afternoon. Parents invited.
Tuesday 5th March	2pm - 3:15pm	Year 2 Enrichment afternoon. Parent invited.
Wednesday 6th March	TBC	Equality, diversity, and inclusion forum. Parents invited.
Thursday 7th March	All Day	World Book Day- Children to dress up as a book character.
Friday 8th March	3:30pm-4:30pm	PTFA- Glow in the dark dodgeball. Years 1/2/3 Tickets can be booked on ParentPay or via the office. Tickets are £2. Pre-purchase tickets only, there will not be tickets on the door.
Week commencing Monday 11 <sup>th</sup>	All week	PTFA- Mother's Day shop- An opportunity for children to buy
March		a friend or loved one a present.
Monday11th March	All Day	Commonwealth Day- activities within school.
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	2:00pm	Afterschool club dance, choir and music performance. Parents of children in those clubs invited.
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	3:15 - 4:30	PTFA- Easter bonnet creating KS1 and EYFS. Children are invited to create a Easter Bonnet in preparation for our parade. Tickets can be booked online or via the office. Tickets are £3.
Wednesday 13th March	9am - 3:15pm	Year 2 Black Country Museum trip.
Friday 15th March	3:30pm - 4:30pm	PTFA- Glow in the dark dodgeball.
	ever neet	Years 4/5/6. Tickets can be booked on ParentPay or via the office. Tickets are £2. Pre-purchase tickets only, there will not be tickets on the door.
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	EYFS 1:30pm KS1 2:30pm.	PTFA- Easter Bonnet Parade. Children are invited to create a Easter bonnet and take part in our parade. Parents invited.
Tuesday 19™ March	Last entries 3:15.	Miss Ledgester's Easter Card competition deadline. A prize wil be given to the best 3 cards.
Tuesday 19th March	2:45pm-3:00pm	Year 6 SATS Meeting for parents.
Wednesday 20th March	ТВС	Year 3 Trip Sandwell Valley
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Last entries 3:30	PTFA- KS2 Boiled Egg competition judgement and deadline. Children are encouraged to decorate a boiled egg. A prize wil be given to the best 3 eggs.
Thursday 21st March	Throughout the day.	PTFA- Easter Egg hunt within school.
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	All day.	PTFA- Non-uniform day- Please bring a £1 donation, you will then be entered into a raffle at the end of Spring term.
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	School closes 1.15pm	Finish early
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March- Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	2 Weeks	Easter Holiday