

The Leys Primary and Nursery School



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Accelerating progress



Enriching wellbeing



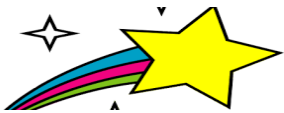
Promoting partnerships

Thought of the week next week

Each day offers a new start to do my best.

LEYS LEARNING VALUE Autumn 1

Excellence



Star of the Week

Zephaniah	Chloe S
Anderson	Nancy
Sendak	Phebe
Carle	James W
Rowling	Jamie
Hargreaves	Eliza
Donaldson	Louis
Ahlberg	James H
Wilson	Kelsey
Dahl	Katie
Freedman	Leigh
Strong	Sophia
Pratchett	Lily-Mai
Tolkien	Erin
Rosen	Poppy
Lewis	Julia
Shakespeare	Lily
Kipling	Jake
Dickens	Harry

MESSAGES TO PARENTS AND CARERS

This week the teachers all selected their first Star of the Week and presented their certificate in assembly. It was great to hear that our pupils were chosen modelling one of our school values: excellence, friendship, determination. This year again we are insisting on high standards of handwriting and presentation, which is a great way to start the year.



Year 1 are enjoying their new topic, and have a space station in their classroom. They might even design a space rocket that is better than Richard Branson's!

New car park arrangements



A reminder to all parents using the school car park. Please park on the left hand side, walk across the pedestrian crossing and into school along the path. **Please do not walk across the carpark with your children.**



PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND COATS INTO SCHOOL WHILE THE WEATHER IS UNSETTLED!!!!

Class of the Week

Year 6

The friendship cup is presented to:

Lewis Singer

The best attendance award is presented to

The best punctuality award is presented to:

Headteacher Awards

FRIENDS OF THE LEYS

The first meeting will be held on **Friday 29th September at 9am**. Everyone welcome. We will be discussing future events including the school disco and other fund raising ideas. We will also be looking at how we can allocate our funds across the school. If you would like further information about the PTA and ways in which you can help and volunteer please contact friends@leys.herts.sch.uk'.

GOVERNOR UPDATE

Next FGB meeting Tuesday 3rd October 6.30 p.m.

PARENT PARTNERSHIP

NEXT PARENT FORUM

26 September 9 a.m.



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Social Moral Spiritual Cultural (SMSC) and British Values

On Monday the Year 6 children went to Crucial Crew. This is an innovative and interactive way of delivering personal and safety education messages to 10 and 11 year olds, and seeks to encourage model behaviour, good citizenship and safety through active participation in a range of life scenarios, including first aid, rail safety, drugs awareness, electricity, safe use of mobile phones, internet and many other areas. The children really enjoyed the afternoon and hopefully learnt some skills to protect them in the future.

The Leys Leaflet

By Willow Ward Pratchett Class

A Report About Me

Who am I?

My name is Willow Ward and I am a school girl from The Leys Primary School. I am passionate about Youtube and unicorns. Also, I like to be with my family.

My Family

In my large family I have parents that love me very much, also a younger brother who is annoying but I still love him. I have seven cousins and my youngest cousin is Max who is one.

Where am I from?

Did you know I was born in Lister hospital in Stevenage and I live in Great Ashby?

What I love to do

When I'm not at school, I enjoy watching Youtube. I watch my favourite channel the Eh Be Family. When I have time, I go upstairs, jump into my bed and have a nice nap.

Conclusion

Next year, I am hopefully going to have neater handwriting and go to the USA.

IMPORTANT DATES

18 Sept Scooter skills Year 5/Year 1

21 Sept Scooter skills Year 3/Year 1

4 Oct No Pens Day

10 Oct Maths Week

17/18 October Parent Teacher meetings

HALF TERM: 23-27 October

2 Nov: Individual Photographs

6 Nov MANOR ADVENTURE

10 Nov Remembrance Day

10 November Year 2 trip to Whipnade Zoo

13-17 November Anti-Bullying Week

8 December Enterprise Day

Winter Disco

CHRISTMAS BREAK: 20 December – 3 January

HALF TERM HOLIDAY: 12-16 February

EASTER BREAK: 30 March – 13 April

HALF TERM HOLIDAY: 28 May – 5 June

LAST DAY OF TERM: Monday 23 July

CLASS: TOLKIEN

Since it is the start of the year, Year 5 have been working to make sure that we are ready to access online programmes like Mathletics and Reading Plus. These applications look like a great way to practise skills at home while having fun! We also took the opportunity to discuss some of the dangers that come with being online and the ways that we can keep ourselves safe.



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