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Dear Parents and Carers

Another busy week here at Loxwood Primary school. We had the fantastic house matches on Wednesday morning and it was lovely to see parents watching these. The children did so well. The Y6 versus Parents match has been rearranged to 6th April at 9.00am and we will let you know a date for the infant lessons with Mr Green. All the children looked amazing today in their outfits for Comic Relief thank you for all your donations both of money and cakes for our cake sale later.

Exciting news – A trip to London:

After Easter, the whole school is going to be exploring different aspects of London and the monarchy as part of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and finishing with a Platinum Jubilee street party on Friday 27th May. As part of this topic, we have provisionally booked to take the whole school to London on Friday 20th May. We will be leaving school around 9.00am and should arrive back at school around 4.00pm. During the day, we will be visiting the National Gallery as well as looking at some of the landmarks around this area – Trafalgar Square, Horse Guard Parade, Buckingham Palace, St James' Park and Clarence House. Whilst in the National Gallery, each class will have one picture they will be studying, which will form the basis of our art project in June. The trip will cost between £17 and £20 per child – this is just for the coaches and insurance. We will send more details nearer the time, as well as asking volunteers to help with this trip.

Walk a Mile For Mrs Webber:

One of our amazing teachers was sadly diagnosed with Motor Neurone Disease in 2020 and had to retire from teaching. In order to

raise money for the Motor Neurone Disease charity, on behalf of Mrs Webber, we are launching a 'Walk a Mile for Mrs Webber' fundraising event. We are asking all of our children to get sponsored to walk a mile on Thursday 7th April in the morning around the school grounds. Our junior children are invited to walk further if they like. They can come dressed in blue and orange which are the colours that represent the charity. We have set up a Just Giving page that you can donate to and we have paper sponsor forms available from the office if required. In the afternoon, we will be holding a special assembly where Mrs Webber will be joining us via Zoom and we have learnt a special song that we will sing for her. If any siblings remember Mrs Webber and want to make a card for her, please can we have them by Wednesday 6th April. At the end of the day, we will be holding a cake sale to raise more money for this worthy cause. Some of the staff are even walking the Surrey Three Peaks to raise more funds. Please see the poster attached for more details about this.

DIY Day:

We are holding a second DIY day tomorrow (Saturday 19th March) from 9.00am to 3.00pm to finish painting the staffroom and some other bits around the school that we need help with. If you can help, please let the office know.

Website:

We are about to upgrade our website over the coming months. It would really help if we had feedback around the current website what works well for you as parents and what you find more difficult when using it. That way, we can build a website that is easy to use and has all the information you need on it. Please let us know via the feedback form or via email - head@loxwoodschool.com or messages@loxwoodschool.com.

Parent Survey:

Please do fill this in – it is your chance to let us know how we are doing and tell us any concerns or praise you may have. It takes a few minutes to fill in. Our Senior Leadership Team is going to be reviewing the survey on Monday 4th April, so please can we have all responses by then. It really is useful information for us that we can act upon. The link is: https://forms.office.com/r/nr41RMWYBJ

Vacancy:

We have an exciting opportunity to join our team as our After School Club Supervisor for Woodpeckers. It is term time only from 2.45pm to 5.45pm every week day. If the right person is available, we would love them to be able to run a holiday club as well so there is scope for holiday work. If you are interested, please contact the office on messages@loxwoodschool.com or 01403 752207. Please do share this opportunity with friends and family.









Football

On Monday 6 children from Year 3 and 4 represented the school in the Horsham District Inclusive Football tournament at Heron Way School. This was a great event with 8 teams competing.

We had a wonderful afternoon with all the children giving 110% in each match. Harrison scored an amazing goal, Ned scored a penalty and Fifi, James, Abbie and Tommy did some amazing tackling and defending. Well done to all the children who took part.





Feedback:

We absolutely welcome your feedback so please feel free to email <u>head@loxwoodschool.com</u> or <u>messages@loxwoodschool.com</u> if you have any feedback for us.

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If you want to provide us with feedback regarding our school, please do so here.

General dates		Half Term / E	nd of Term Holidays 2	021/22
Saturday 19th March	DIY day 9.00-3.00pm	Friday 8th April		Last day of te
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Monday 28th March	U-KS2 Football	Monday 25th April		Return to sch
	tournament	Friday 27th May	10	Last day of half te
Wednesday 30th March	Year 3 & 4 Netball	•	. Friday 2nd Juna	Half te
	tournament	-	y—Friday 3rd June	
Monday 4th April	Parent and Pupil Survey	Tuesday 7th June		Return to sch
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Tuesday 5th April	Billingshurst Lions Book			
	Giveaway			
Thursday 7th April	Walk a mile for Mrs	INSE	days for this Academic Y	ear
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Friday 8th April	Break up for Easter	Mond	ay 6th June 2022	
	Holidays	Wiene		
Friday 20th May	Whole school trip to			
	London			
Friday 27th May	Platinum Jubilee Street			
2nd July 2022	Summer Fayre			
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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CHILDREN WHO RECEIVED A CELEBRATION CERTIFICATE

Acorns	Daxton for Initiative	
Oak Class	Darcy for Confidence and Lewis for Confidence	
Willow Class	Enzo for Focus and Vincent for Consideration	
Rowan Class	George for Kindness, Callie for Helpfulness and Emily M for Teamwork	
Sycamore Class	Cameron for Teamwork and Alfie for Motivation	
Mulberry Class	Sadie for Dedication	
Chestnut Class	Jayden for Confidence and Marlie for Perseverance	
Headteacher Award	Annie for being Empathetic, Caring, Kind and Generous.	

Kindness Tree	
Sam	Year 6
Alfred	Year 1
Freya	Year 4