

LUNT'S HEATH

News



Friday 26th April 2024

“ We have seen the latest of our OPAL play equipment be unveiled this week in the form of our gymnastics apparatus into KS2. This has been chosen and planned by the Sports and House Captains over a period of months as something that they wanted to play on. It’s important that we evolve as a school and that we constantly look for new ideas to develop play-based activities and curriculum planning. Thank you for all of your support this week – have a lovely weekend. ”

Mr. D Paton, Headteacher.

SCHOOL MEALS - PRE-BOOKING

Please make sure that you pre-book your children’s meals for the week on a Sunday by discussing the different menu options available so that they can choose what they would like. Please see later in the newsletter for further information and menu choices. This allows the kitchen to order and then cook the correct quantities of meals for each day and manage portion sizes appropriately so no child is disappointed. Please book your child’s school meal using the school booking system. Thank you for your co-operation.

YEAR 3/4 MINI RED TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Selected children from Year 3 and 4 will be representing the school at the Widnes Mini Red Tennis Tournament on Monday 29th April. Please make sure you have completed the Evolve. The children should come to school wearing their school PE kit. They will be transported to the event in staff cars and will require a packed lunch as they will return to school after lunch. If they have their own tennis racket they can bring this.

YEAR 5/6 MINI RED TENNIS TOURNAMENT - POSTPONED UNTIL THURSDAY 13TH JUNE

GOT TO DANCE - WADE DEACON - TUESDAY 30TH APRIL

'Wade Deacon present Got To Dance'. Children from Lunt's Heath have been selected to participate in the Got To Dance showcase. This performance will take place on Tuesday 30th April at Wade Deacon. The performance will take place between 5.45 and 7pm. Pupils will perform a dance that they have learned during our Great Big Dance Off Project. Children will need to meet Mrs Povey outside the main entrance to Wade Deacon at 5pm, doors for the audience open at 5.20pm ready for a 5.45pm start. Children performing will need to wear something silver, sequins or black for the performance as we have not hired costumes for this day.

MIXED DYNAMO CRICKET = WEDNESDAY 1ST APRIL - POSTPONED DUE TO WATER LOGGED PITCH AT THE CRICKET CLUB

**THURSDAY 2ND APRIL - POLLING DAY.
LUNT'S HEATH IS USED AS A POLLING STATION
BUT SCHOOL WILL REMAIN OPEN AS USUAL.**

FRIDAY 3RD MAY - LITTLE LUNT'S HEATHERS - 9.15AM

This Friday we have our next session of our Little Lunt's Heathers Pre-School . This is open to anyone within our school community so please pass this information on to any of your friends or family that might be interested. The sessions will run between 9.15am and 10.15am. Please contact the school office to book your place.

0151-423-3322

FRIDAY 3RD MAY - REPORTS

On Friday 3rd May, we will be sharing our annual school reports with Parents. Please make sure that your child is collected by an adult on this date as reports will not be given to the children. If your child is not collected and walks home from school alone then an adult can collect their report from the school office on Friday. If it is not collected it will then be posted.

ROADWORKS AND TRAFFIC AROUND SCHOOL

Currently as a result of building work in the local area there is lots of congestion and traffic delays around school. We have been made aware that one result of this is a number of cars and lorries using local roads to turn around in. We would appreciate it if you could remind your children about road safety and have a discussion about looking out for unexpected traffic when crossing roads, especially if walking alone to help keep them safe on the roads around school. Thank you.

CLASS 1L ASSEMBLY - FRIDAY 10TH MAY - 2.30PM

Parents and relatives of children in Class 1L are invited to their class assembly on Friday 10th May at 2.30pm in the school hall. Doors will open at 2.20pm so please do not arrive prior to this time. We look forward to seeing you then.

PLACES STILL AVAILABLE AT KS2 JUDO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

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THURSDAYS

Book directly:

<https://forms.gle/uJfzt3bD56SLfCdP8>

Judo Club - Lunt's Heath Primary (4 Weeks)

Place: Lunt's Heath Primary School

Dates: Thursday 2nd May, 9th May, 16th May, 23rd May

Time: 15:15 - 16:15

Cost: £22

Your child will just need a PE kit (if possible). No footwear is required.

When your child's place is confirmed we will contact you with information on how to make payment.

If you have any questions please text/call 07456475612 or email dale@judoeducation.co.uk.

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LITTLE LUNT'S HEATHERS

PRE-SCHOOL SESSIONS

for parents and children aged 3 & 4

Fridays: 9:15-10:15am, in the school hall

24.11.23

26.01.24

08.03.24

03.05.24

07.06.24



To book your place call or email:

0152 423 3322

sec@luntsheath.halton.sch.uk

SUMMER TERM UNIFORM



REMINDERS

PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR A REMINDER OF THE UNIFORM THAT THE CHILDREN CAN WEAR DURING THE SUMMER TERM

School Uniform

Please clearly mark all items of clothing with your child's name:

Plain white shirt (short-sleeve preferred) and school tie (navy and bottle green)

Grey skirt or pinafore or trousers

Navy with bottle green trim school cardigan or V-neck jumper with logo

Grey socks or plain grey tights

Flat black shoes (not trainers or open toe / heel sandals)

Bottle green or navy blue hair tie or ribbons or bands

Only gold or silver stud earrings (no jem stones or shapes)

During the Summer Term until the end of the Autumn 1st Half Term the following may be worn:

Grey tailored shorts

Plain white shirt or blouse or Polo shirt (short-sleeve)

Green & white summer dress with long or short white socks

STARS OF THE WEEK



Is your child a true Lunt's Heather?

- Ambition
- Enterprise
- Inner-Resilience
- Collaboration
- Understanding

Has your child gone above and beyond to demonstrate one of our school values at home? Nominate them for a Value Award and we will surprise them in Celebration Assembly!

Nominate your child by sending an email with reason and supporting photo if appropriate to: sec@luntsheath.halton.sch.uk



Our OTIS programme (On Time, In School) is designed to promote the importance of this. Even being 5 minutes late each day across a year equates to 15 hours lost learning. School has remained open from 8:35am to ensure that children can access easily.

Holidays in term time cannot be authorised unless it for fills the criteria in the Leave of Absence policy. Please keep this in mind when considering any holiday booking.

OTIS AWARD WINNERS

Whole School Attendance target for 2023-2024 is 96%.

Last year was 95.4%

Attendance since 4th Sept = 94.9%

Attendance this week = 95.7%

An increase of 1.5% since last week

OTIS Attendance Winners this week:

EYFS + KS1 = RL - Miss Chorley – 97.8%

KS2 = 3H - Mrs Povey – 98.3%

They will receive an extra playtime.

LUNCHTIME STARS

EYFS = Alexander Pearce

YEAR 1 = Benjamin Greylish

YEAR 2 = Isla Pearce

YEAR 3 = Florence Gerrard

YEAR 4 = Thomas Cunningham

YEAR 5 = Elis Lamkin

YEAR 6 = Narelle Kinsella

LUNT'S HEATH

School Dinner Menu

Please find below the School Dinner Menu for the Summer Term 2024. It is vital that you book your child's school meal a week in advance, using the school booking system. Please remember that from April School Meals will be £2.90 a day.

The rotation of school meals will be across 3 weeks.

Below will be the menu for WC 29.4.24

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
WEEK 3			
CHOICE 1			
	Homemade Sausage Roll served with Mashed Potato & Baked Beans	Cheese & Tomato Pasta served with Garlic & Herb Bread and Seasonal Vegetables	Homemade Mince Beef Pie served with Mashed Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables
	VEGETARIAN VERSION OF THE ABOVE AVAILABLE		
CHOICE 2			
	Jacket Potato with a Selection of Fillings Served with a Side Salad	Deli Choice of Breads with a Selection of Fillings Served with a Side Salad	Jacket Potato with a Selection of Fillings Served with a Side Salad
DESSERT			
	Apple & Cinnamon Muffin	Chocolate Shortbread	Fresh Water Melon Wedge

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY – UNLIMITED SALAD, FRESHLY BAKED BREAD, FRUIT YOGHURT & FRESH FRUIT PLATTER. FOR ALLERGEN INFORMATION, PLEASE ASK ONE OF OUR CATERING TEAM.

	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 3		
CHOICE 1		
	BBQ Chicken served with Savoury Rice and Seasonal Vegetables	Breaded Mozzarella Sticks served with Chips & Peas or Baked Beans
	AVAILABLE DAILY	
CHOICE 2		
	Deli Choice of Breads with a Selection of Fillings Served with a Side Salad	Jacket Potato with a Selection of Fillings Served with a Side Salad
DESSERT		
	Ginger Biscuit	Melting Moment

PLEASE ASK ONE OF OUR CATERING TEAM. ALL THE ABOVE DISHES ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY.

LONDON MARATHON



"Last Sunday Miss Barrett completed the London Marathon in 6 hours 7 minutes raising over £4700 for Bowel Cancer UK. She would like to give her warmest thanks to those that donated from last week's newsletter - it really helped her to get through the run!"



CONGRATULATIONS MISS BARRETT



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We are asking for parent nominations of pupils who have demonstrated one or more of our Lunt's Heath Values at home:

- Ambition
- Enterprise
- Inner-Resilience
- Collaboration
- Understanding

We love to hear about how our children fulfil our school values in their everyday lives. Here are this week's Community Value Award winners:

PLEASE
SEND US
YOUR
NOMINATIONS
FOR NEXT
WEEK

STARS OF THE WEEK

HEADTEACHER AWARDS

EYFS / Key Stage 1 =

Charlotte Pyke – Amazing attitude to learning!

Key Stage 2 = Erin Davies and Emma Connor –

For being amazing friends to others!

EYFS + KEY STAGE 1

Class	Name of child	Reason for award
RH	<i>Lottie Shuttleworth</i> <i>Elijah Little</i>	<i>Curriculum – for great interest and engagement in our minibeasts topic.</i> <i>Enterprise – for having the confidence to make more contributions during lessons</i>
RL	<i>Jacob Parry</i> <i>Ed Shiland-Finnigan</i>	<i>Curriculum – For working hard in phonics.</i> <i>Enterprise – For making amazing creations in the construction area.</i>
1L	<i>Oliver Price</i> <i>Mabel Doran</i>	<i>Curriculum – For showing great concentration and perseverance in lessons this week.</i> <i>Enterprise – For sharing her ideas of how a character maybe feeling in a story.</i>
1H	<i>Noah Darlington</i> <i>George Francis</i>	<i>Curriculum – For reading and spelling our Y1 common exception words brilliantly!</i> <i>Enterprise – For sharing methods with our class for how to solve some tricky equations!</i>
2L	<i>Harriet Lawton</i> <i>Charlie Thomas</i>	<i>Curriculum – For writing an interesting fact file on Queen Victoria in history, always challenging yourself to add even more fantastic facts!</i> <i>Enterprise – For continuing to work hard and push himself when practising for our class assembly!</i>
2H	<i>Eddy Wang</i> <i>Lucy Owen</i>	<i>Curriculum – For working hard in Maths sharing different Methods when solving problems.</i> <i>Enterprise – For working creatively in outdoor learning when building a den.</i>

YEAR 3 AND 4

Class	Name of child	Reason for award
3L	<i>Isabella Melia</i> <i>George Barrow</i>	<i>Curriculum – For working hard and having top presentation across all subjects!</i> <i>Enterprise – For using a range of enterprising writing techniques to up level his writing.</i>
3H	<i>Fraser Connor</i> <i>Henry Kinsella</i>	<i>Curriculum – For always giving 100% effort in all subjects and asking questions for what more he could <u>do</u></i> <i>Enterprise – For sharing techniques on how to be successful in baseball</i>
4L	<i>Nieve Harvey</i> <i>Oden Nelson</i>	<i>Curriculum – For showing enthusiasm and teamwork in our dance sessions.</i> <i>Enterprise – For being able to explore a wide variety of problem-solving techniques in our fluency lessons.</i>
4H	<i>Sarah Zeinah</i> <i>Eedi Wood</i>	<i>Curriculum – For being fantastic at explaining her reasoning in all subjects. Her contributions really help others.</i> <i>Enterprise – For demonstrating excellent leadership skills in our dance lessons.</i>

YEAR 5 AND 6

Class	Name of child	Reason for award
5L	<i>Amelia Quinn</i> <i>Oscar Caldwell</i>	<i>Curriculum – For exploring ambitious vocabulary in her writing to make improvements.</i> <i>Enterprise – For showing great enterprise by exploring different methodologies to complete challenges in Maths.</i>
5H	<i>Isla Mason</i> <i>Frasier Bailey</i>	<i>Curriculum – For always demonstrating kindness in everything that she does, looking out for others.</i> <i>Enterprise – For making links within our history lesson to our new gold threads noticing that part of our learning linked to the political golden thread.</i>
6L	<i>Georgia Ianson</i> <i>Imogen Jones</i>	<i>Curriculum – Georgia has been giving her all the past few weeks as Y6 get ready for their SATs. She works hard in class, always engages and does her best. Keep up the hard work, Georgia!</i> <i>Enterprise – Imogen has shown her enterprising skills in abundance these last few weeks. She has made fantastic links within her learning and always has a good go. Well done, Imogen!</i>
6H	<i>Sam Plant</i> <i>Mason Wright</i>	<i>Curriculum – For not letting anything, including only having one hand, get in his way.</i> <i>Enterprise – For creating an imaginative fictional biography.</i>

YEAR 1 + 2 AWARDS

Spelling Shed Champion

Aaron Griffiths

Maths Shed Champion

Aaron Griffiths

Dojo Champion

Oscar Bell and Alana Bell

YEAR 3 + 4 AWARDS

Spelling Shed Champion

Emma Hainey

Maths Shed Champion

Sami Elsayed

Mirodo Champion

Donovan Butler

Dojo Champion

Amelia Prescott

YEAR 5 + 6 AWARDS

Spelling Shed Champion

Luke Cameron

Maths Shed Champion

Oscar Caldwell

SATS Companion Champion

Asmin Yolcu

Dojo Champion

Rudhvik Vadyala

EYFS

Newsletter

What a busy week in Reception! The weather has been very unpredictable this week meaning when we looked at habitats we have looked at different environments.

'Does a worm have legs?'

This week's Big Question - Does a worm have legs? We have explored worm habitats and learnt about what worms eat. We found out that having worms in your garden is a good sign that you have healthy soil! The children have been exploring in our outside area and have found lots of wiggling worms under rocks and wooden logs.



Mathematics

In Maths this week the children have been counting forwards and backwards to and from twenty to help us with finding one more and less than quantities. From there we have been working on 'first, then, and now' addition number stories.

Drawing Club

In Drawing Club this week, we have enjoyed the book 'Superworm.' The children have really come into their own with their drawing and writing, showing lots more independence and imagination.

Caterpillars

This week we have had a special arrival of caterpillars which the children have been so excited about! We are going to observe them closely and see how they change and transform into a chrysalis and then into a beautiful butterflies over the next few weeks.

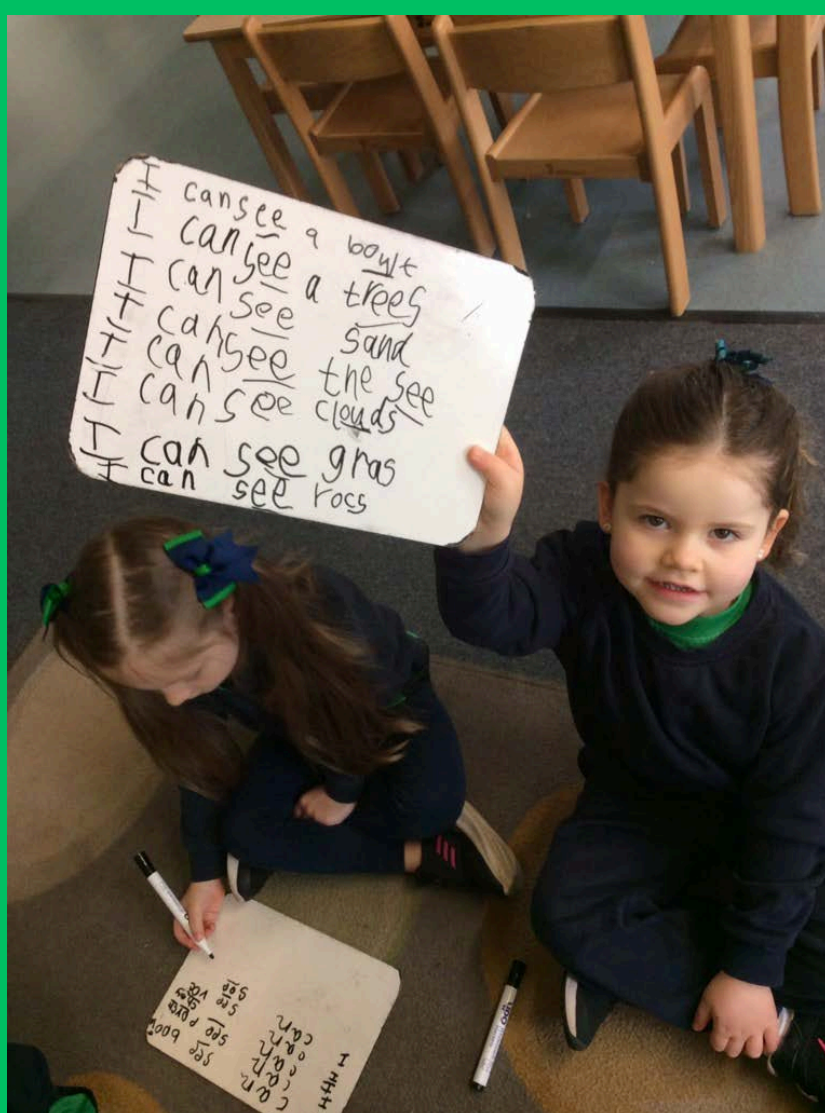
Uniform

Please make sure the children are wearing the correct uniform = blue, green or black hair accessories; gold or silver studs for pierced ears and school shoes not trainers. Thank you.

Thank you for your continued support.
We hope you have a fantastic weekend! The EYFS Team

CLASS AMBASSADORS

RL



This week our ambassador has challenged herself in our writing morning activity.

RH



We are learning about lots of different minibeasts. We found some in the garden too!

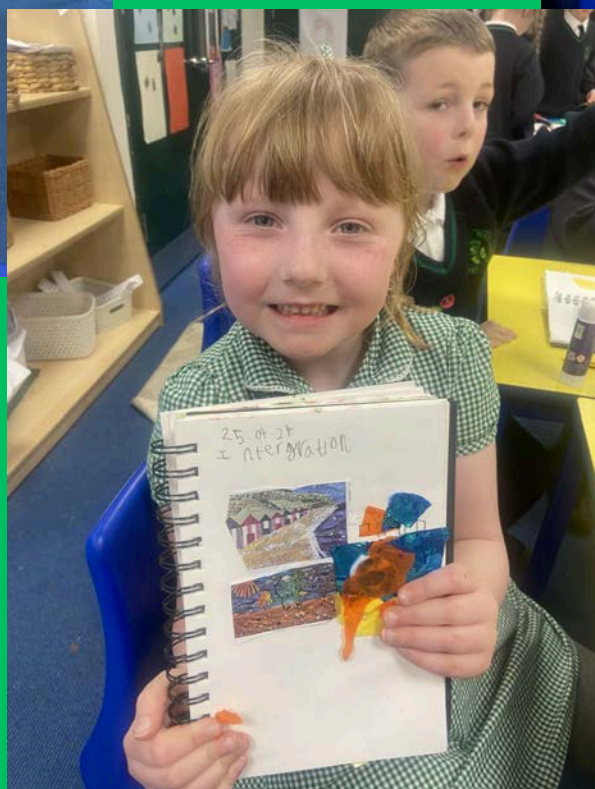
CLASS AMBASSADORS

1L



We have learnt about an artist called Matisse. We cut coloured card and paper into shapes to make a pattern. It is called a collage.

1H



We have had so much fun learning all about Henri Matisse in Art this week!

CLASS AMBASSADORS

2L



In 2L we have enjoyed practising for our class assembly this week. The best part was collaborating on our African dance.

2H



We enjoyed outdoor learning this week creating a den for squirrel and owl. We used our school value collaboration to work together.

CLASS AMBASSADORS

3L



Our ambassadors thought the highlight of the week was our workshop on Volcanoes and Earthquakes. We even got some 3D glasses to inspect the detail of the ground.

3H



We loved using our 3D glasses in our hazards workshop to explore volcanoes and tectonic plates!

CLASS AMBASSADORS 4L



During our trip, class 4L showed a wonderful amount of curiosity and enthusiasm to learn something new and discover the secrets about the Ancient Egyptians.

4H



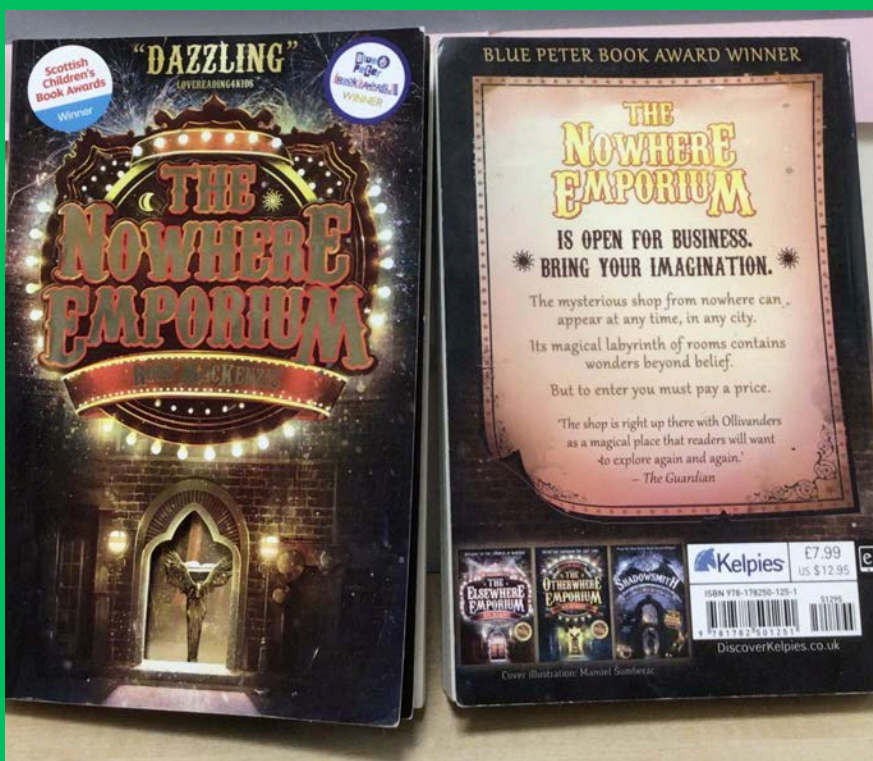
In Science, we have been developing our listening skills and learning all about sound and how it travels on vibrations. We used our enterprising skills to make cup phones and listen to each other at different distances.

CLASS AMBASSADORS 5L



This week we have been working on improving our reaction time in PE to be more effective when fielding during rounders. We had to work on our inner resilience as we are used to just throwing and catching the ball in the traditional way. This was more difficult as we had to show how agile we were to get the ball back as quickly as possible.

5H



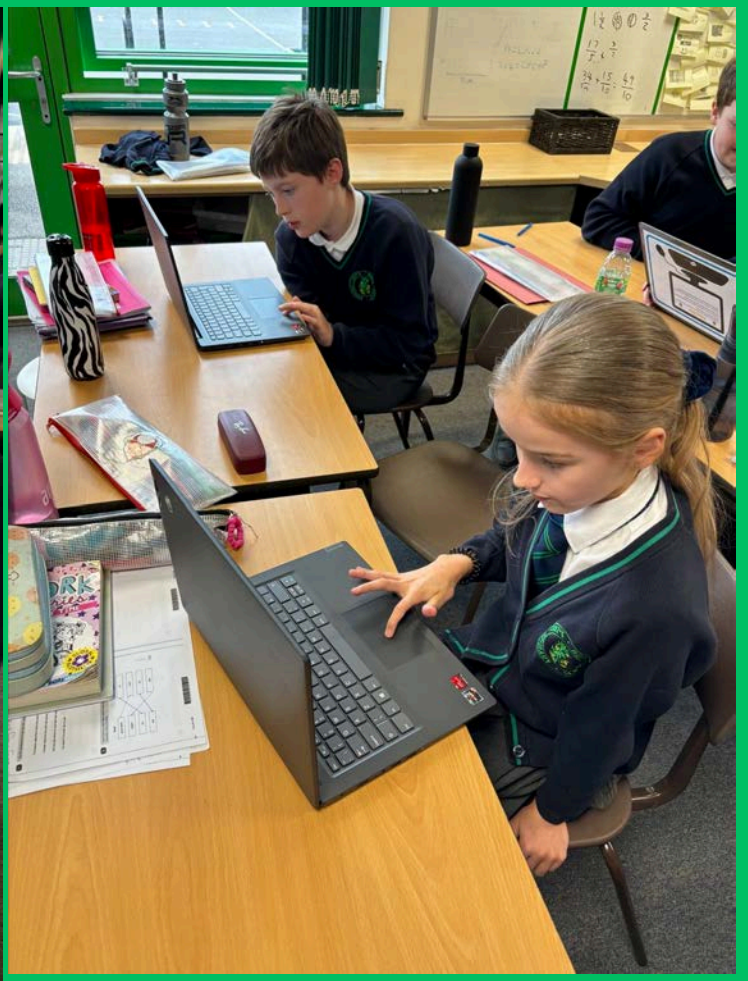
This week we have been reading more of The Nowhere Emporium by Ross McKenzie. We learnt about that the strange character we had met is called Lucien Silver. A boy called Daniel has started to work at the Nowhere Emporium. We are excited to see what happens next!

CLASS AMBASSADORS 6L



**This week, we have had so much fun with
are new playground equipment!**

6H

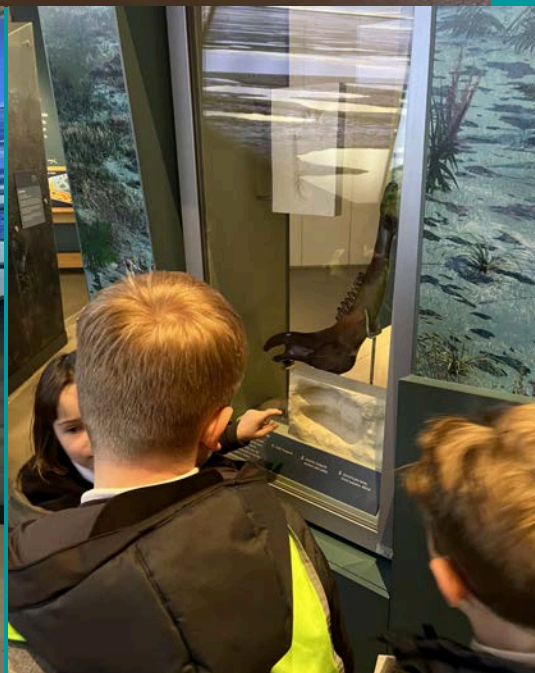


**Year 6 have been using software to
programme a number of every day items
using coding techniques.**

THIS WEEK

YEAR 4 LIVERPOOL MUSEUMS TRIP

On Thursday, Year Four had a fabulous day exploring both the World Museum and the Museum of Liverpool Life. They especially enjoyed learning about the Egyptians, which is our new History topic for the Summer term. They are looking forward to developing their knowledge and understanding further.



THIS WEEK

YEAR 4 LIVERPOOL MUSEUMS TRIP



THIS WEEK

YEAR 5/6 WPSSA CROSS COUNTRY COMPETITION

On Tuesday, some children in Year 5/6 represented the school at the Widnes Schools' Cross Country competition. All the children performed incredibly, which not only led to individual awards for Lewis Jackson and Eric Nieto Gomez but an overall win for our boys' team who became WPSSA Y5/6 Boys Champions.



THIS WEEK

YEAR 1 - LOCAL AREA GEOGRAPHY VISIT

On Wednesday, the children in Year 1 explored the area immediately around school. They considered the position of the school and the signs that directed people towards it. They also discussed the physical and human features in the vicinity and how it could be improved.



THIS WEEK

GREAT BIG DANCE OFF COMPETITION

On Wednesday afternoon, children from Lunt's Heath represented the school in the 'Great Big Dance Off' competition at the Parr Hall in Warrington. Both squads have worked really hard and performed spectacularly finishing in 4th place. We look forward to inviting you to a dance showcase at the end of this half term.



THIS WEEK

YEAR 6 MARBLE REWARDS

On Thursday, some of the children in Year 6 enjoyed cashing in their marbles for their chosen rewards. This week it was cake decorating.



LUNT'S HEATH PTFA Newsletter

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Easter 2024

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LUNT'S HEATH PTFA Newsletter



Happy Easter holidays to you all! How are we two thirds through the school year already?! The PTFA have had a suuuper busy month with Flip the Rules day, Mother's Day, Bonkers Bingo and then event prep for the Easter Trail, Father's Day and the much-loved Summer Fayre. We're still raising funds towards the wider sensory corridor project and outdoor huts— we may have helped the Easter bunny fund a little chocolatey treat for each child today too. We are always in need of extra hands so thanks so much to those of you that joined our ad hoc volunteer Whatsapp group in February. We're still finding our feet with it but we will be asking in the group for volunteers to help with the summer fayre soon —so please join using the link (in main email) if you can! Until then, we wish you a wholesome holidays, love from the PTFA x

£ FUNDS WE'VE RAISED! £



£491

The outdoor classroom became available so we left behind the trolleys for a base! It was the perfect setting—we dressed up the room and the kids were all a delight. It's always a joy to watch them deep in thought, choosing the perfect gift for the special women in their lives.



£1237

Bonkers bingo was indeed that! We sold 120 tickets and the room was a-buzz with dancing and craziness from start to end. The locals that bought the external tickets might have been even wilder than our lot—we may need to up our 'bonkers' next year Lunt's Heath :P...



£341

It's always nice to break up the norm of the every day with something different. We hope your little ones enjoyed flipping some rules for a bit of fun to mark Leap Year Day!

UPCOMING FUN!



THE FARNWORTH BUNNY TRAIL
Many hours of (enjoyable!) research has gone into this FREE family trail. You'll find your child's map in their book bags today for more info on how to locate the bunnies and the info. Easter Holidays '24



Happy Father's Day

FATHER'S DAY SECRET SHOP
The PTFA are busy sourcing gifts for June as we speak for the much-loved Father's Day shop.

June 14th



SUMMER FAYRE
Plans are in motion! Keep everything crossed for clear skies and we'll bring the fun!

29th June



COME BACK CATCHUP
We've arranged for the children to have an extra break from learning again on their first day back, to catch up with their friends. This time, though, they can bring in their own choice of (small) treat to enjoy whilst they catch up. 15th April



Mother's Day 2024

Bonkers Bingo 2024



We have SO much happening on our social media pages! Follow for Friday craft activities, uniform pass-on posts, Lunt's Heath family businesses promotion posts, what's-on for the kids locally—and lots more...



SEARCH for 'Lunts Heath PTFA'



100 CLUB WINNERS

MARCH WINNERS

1ST 41 - P COUNCIL £25
2ND 53 - S DUCK £15
3RD 5 - P JONES £10