

LYONS HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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Dinner Menu: Week 4 (Winter Menu)

“TOGETHER WE LEARN FOR LIFE”

CHANGES TO NEWSLETTER:

Please be advised all new additions/changes to the newsletter will be highlighted by a green box or text, **urgent and important matters will be in red**, to bring this to your attention and any information relating to The Friends will be in blue.

NOTICEBOARD—COMMUNITY EVENTS

We will be displaying community event posters in the outside display board on the left-hand side wall as you come into school and also on the noticeboard in the side entrance foyer to the car park. This weeks events are as follows:
 NO FLYERS THIS WEEK

CLASS OPEN MORNINGS

These class open mornings will be taking place from 8.50—10am on the following dates: 3Q 12/3/18, 3P 14/3/18, 2B 19/3/18, 3R 26/3/18, 2C 21/3/18, 2A 23/3/18, 1D 30/4/18, 1E 2/5/18, 1F, 3/5/18, 6N 19/6/18, 6O 20/6/18. Invitation letters will be sent home one week before the open morning sessions. **The open mornings maybe subject to change but will give advanced warning if these dates change.**

SICKNESS:

Please note that if your child is poorly could you please call to advise the school office before 9am each day. This applies for every day that they are unable to attend school. Please note that any child with sickness or diarrhoea must be clear for at least **24 hours** before returning back to school – Many thanks for your co-operation.

PLANNED TRIPS:

We would like to keep you updated on trips that each year group have booked for this term and for next year:

10 January 2018—Year 5 Swimming for 10 Weeks
 15 January 2018—EY Chinese New Year Workshops
 17 January 2018—Year 1 Glastonbabies At Lyons Hall
 22 January 2018—Year 3 Trip to Mandir Temple, Neasden—info to follow
 5 February 2018—Barnardos concert at The Barbican—info to follow
 13 March 2018—Year 1 Trip to Braintree Museum—info to follow
 4 July 2018—Year 5 trip to Planetarium Royal Observatory—info to follow

Non Pupil Day

Please note that the remaining 2 non pupil days for 2018 have been set as follows: 9 February 2018 and 22 June 2018

BREAKFAST CLUB

If you are wishing for your child to have breakfast at breakfast club please note that the children need to be attending this club by 8.20 am to receive breakfast. Many Thanks Kim Reeves.

LUNCHTIME ROTA:

Please note that following rota will apply for children going straight into the Hall at 12.15pm for their lunch.

Menu Week

Menu Week	Year
Week 2	Year 4
Week 3	Year 5
Week 4	Year 6
Week 1	Year 3

Photography at Events



Please note that we are happy for you to take photographs at school events such as assemblies for home and family use but we would like to request that the recordings/pictures **DO NOT** get posted to social media sites under any circumstances. Many thanks for your co-operation—Mr A D Smith Headteacher

SCHOOL CLOSURE INFORMATION

In case of school closure due to inclement weather please note that we will be informing parents/carers by **email and text** in the first instance via pmx parentmail and then the school will contact Essex County Council to update their weblink and the local radio stations. To see if schools are closed you can visit <https://www.essex.gov.uk/Education-Schools/Schools/Dates/Pages/Emergency-School-closures.aspx>. For your information any future closures will be notified in this way. Kind Regards Mr A D Smith - Headteacher.

[Applications for Reception 2018 places](#)

Applications for September 2018 are now open and the relevant booklets have been published are on the webpage: <http://www.essex.gov.uk/Education-Schools/Schools/Admissions/Pages/Primary-and-Secondary-Education-in-Essex.aspx> until 15 January 2018.

The following children were awarded certificates/medals in the celebration assembly on **Friday 5 January 2018**:

Dance, Lilia Wrench—1st in The Waltz—Qualified to compete in Grand Final at Blackpool. Tidy Classroom KS1—RI, KS2—5M

MORNING/AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Monday:

Girls Football Years 5/6 on astro 8am—8.40 am starting again 8/1/18
Rugby Tots EY/Yr1/Y 2 Club—astro —starting again on 15/1/18
Choir in Library 11.50—12.20 Years 3 to 6—starting again on 8/1/18
Science Club—Starting 22/1/18
Braintree Town Girls Football 4—5pm on astro Yrs 1—6—starting 08/01/18

Tuesday:

Boys Football Years 5/6 8.00 am—8.40am on astro starting again 9/1/18
Badminton Club Year 6 — starting 9/1/18
SCS Football on Astro (Years 1-6) 3.20-4.20am—starting again 9/1/18

Wednesday:

Netball Club Years 4/5/6 8am-8.40 on Playground—starting 10/1/18
Tennis Club on Astro (Years 1-6) 3.20-4.05pm—starting again 10/1/18
Dance Club (Years 5/6) 3.15—4pm— starting again 10/1/18

Thursday:

Tag Rugby Years 5/6 on astro 8 am—8.40— starting again 11/1/18
PASS Football Club on astro— 3.15-4.15pm—starting again on 18/1/2018
Orchestra Club— starting again on **18 January 2018**

Friday:

Cross Country Years 3/4/5/6 on astro 8 am—8.40am—starting again 12/1/18
Self Defence in Hall 3.15—4.15 - starting 5/1/18

CLASS ASSEMBLIES

Detailed below are the dates for your child's class assembly which take place in the hall from 9—9.30 am for parents/carers to attend. **5M 11/1**, 3P 18/1, 2B 25/1, RI 1/2, 3R 22/2, 5L 1/3, 1F 8/3, 2A 15/3, RG 22/3, 4K 26/4, RH 24/5 . The assemblies maybe subject to change but will give advanced warning if these dates change.

Year 5 Swimming



Year 5 swimming lessons start on Wednesday 10 January 2018 through to Wednesday 21 March 2018. We would be grateful to receive payment for these lessons prior to the lessons starting. Many Thanks

PARKING

We would be grateful if when dropping and collecting children from school that we are mindful of our residents and neighbours where we are parking. The parking restrictions on the yellow lines are in place from 8—9.30 and 2.30—4.00pm every day



24HR CCTV From now on the whole site of Lyons Hall will be monitored by 24hr CCTV for the protection and safety of our staff, pupils and visitors.

Diary Dates 2018:

9 January 2018— Open Morning Session for EY Starters Sept 2018 10.30am
9 January 2018—Family Support Worker Drop In Session from 8.00 am
10 January 2018—Year 5 Swimming Lessons Start
15 January 2018—EY Chinese NY Workshops
17 January 2018—Year 1 Glastonbabies Dance and Music Workshop
22 January 2018—EY Celebration Morning 9—10 am
22 January 2018—Year 3 Trip to Mandir Temple, Neasden—info to follow
5 February 2018—Barnardos concert at The Barbican—info to follow
6 February 2018—Family Support Worker Drop In Session from 8.00 am
7 February 2018—Termly Learning Conference—info to follow
8 February 2018 Termly Learning Conference—info to follow
9 February 2018—Non Pupil Day
12—16 February 2018—Half Term Holiday



23 February 2018—World Book Day—info to follow
6 March 2018—Family Support Worker Drop In Session from 8.00 am
13 March 2018—Year 1 Trip to Braintree Museum—info to follow
30 March 2018—13 April 2018—Easter Holidays

24 April 2018—Family Support Worker Drop In Session from 8.00 am
14 May 2018—SATS Week Year 6—info to follow
22 May 2018 _ Family Support Worker Drop In Session from 8.00 am
28 May 2018—1 June 2018—Half Term
18 - 20 June 2018—Kingswood Year 4 to Grosvenor Hall, Kent—info to follow
26 June 2018—Family Support Worker Drop In Session from 8.00 am
4 July 2018—Year 5 trip to Planetarium Royal Observatory—info to follow