LEVERINGTON

newsletter

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"Autumn is the time of year when Mother Nature says, "Look how easy, how healthy, and how beautiful the world can be."

Harvest

We would like to say a big thank you to everyone that joined us at the Harvest Festival in Church this week. Our annual celebration was a real treat and I am sure you will agree, the singing was a particular highlight! Thank you for all of the wonderful donations that were received.



Trips



Year 6 had a wonderful time at the New Theatre in Peterborough earlier in the term when they were treated an author talk by children's poet Valerie Bloom.

Year 3 also visited Milton Hall and took part in a range of exciting activities, including a minibeast hunt and a tour of the Estate.

Reception are looking forward to their upcoming trip to the theatre to watch The Gruffalo!



We were absolutely thrilled to see how many people attended our OPAL parents session this term. It was lovely to see the chidlren showing parents how they use the equipment and also to see parents playing as well.

As the weather begins to become more autumnal we ask that children have their wellies in school so that they can get the most of the provision that we have. We now have some wonderful welly storage in place - don't forget to name them though!



Zero Tolerance Zone

As part of our commitment to providing a safe and positive environment for all members of our school community, we operate a zero-tolerance policy towards drugs, alcohol, cigarettes and vaping products being brought on to school premises. We ask all parents, carers, visitors and members of the wider community to support us and our children by ensuring that these items are not brought onto the school site at any time.

Open sessions in school

We are always delighted to welcome parents and carers into school during our open classroom sessions. These opportunities allow you to see your child's learning in action, celebrate their achievements and engage positively with both staff and the wider school community. To ensure these sessions remain a valuable experience for everyone, we ask all visitors to maintain a respectful and supportive approach. Open sessions are not the appropriate time to raise concerns, challenge staff or engage in behaviour that may distract from learning. By working together and treating one another with courtesy and respect, we can continue to offer these opportunities for families to share in their children's school experience.

Staffing update



Miss Johnson has recently left her roles as Midday Supervisor and After School Club Assistant. We would like to thank her for her hard work and wish her every success for the future. Following this change, Mrs Holt will now be joining our After School Club team.

We are also absolutely delighted to be welcoming Mrs Johnson, our new SENDCO, who will be joining us after half term. Mrs Johnson brings a wealth of experience and is looking forward to getting to know the children and families in our school community. She will be on the school gates in the mornings, so please do take the opportunity to say hello and introduce yourself. We are excited to have her as part of the team and know she will be a fantastic support for our pupils and families.

hello Autumn

Dates for the diary

Friday 23rd October – Poetry Competition Launch
Monday 2nd November – **Children return, Autumn Term continues**
Wednesday 4th November - R/Y6 Height and Weight Check
Friday 6th November – Poetry Competition Deadline
Wednesday 11th November – Rememberance Day
Friday 13th November – Children In Need
Monday 23rd November – Xmas Decoration Competition Launch
Tuesday 24th November – The Big Sing at TCA
Thursday 26th November – Reception trip to Key Theatre 'The Gruffalo'
Friday 27th November – Non-uniform day - Donations for Xmas Fayre
Friday 27th November – Rocksteady Concert at 2pm

Thursday 3rd December – 9:15am Christingle service at Church
Friday 4th December – 3:30pm to 5pm Christmas Fayre
Thursday 10th December – 9:15am Reception/KS1 Nativity Dress Rehearsal
Thursday 10th December – 3:30pm Carols around the tree
Friday 11th December – 9:15am and 2pm Reception/KS1 Nativity
Wednesday 16th December – Pantomime 'Sleeping Beauty' (Oh yes it is!)
Thursday 17th December – Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day
Friday 18th December – 2pm Christmas Make and Take
Friday 18th December – Term Ends

Merry Christmas everyone!