



Newsletter – 21st October 2024

We have reached the last week of this half term. I would just like to say a big thank you to all the pupils, parents and staff for their warm welcome as the new head of Lockwood. Tonight, is our first parents' evening of the year and we look forward to sharing how your child is doing at school. On Wednesday, it is school photo day. Please remember that you need to let Miss Langley in the office know if you want a photo taken with siblings taking otherwise all the photos will be of individual children. Any children who normally come in PE kit on Wednesday need to be in their uniform with their PE kit brought separately. Also this week, we have the Y1 children visiting Lingdale Primary for a PE event, visitors from Hartlepool Power Station in Year 6, a Harvest Assembly with Father Jonathan and the Halloween discos on Thursday – phew! I expect there to be some tired children and staff by Friday looking forward to a week off.

The children below received a Head Teacher's award after impressing their teachers all week:



- ★ Michael Lloyd-Scott
- ★ Rory Birtwhistle
- ★ Charlie Morgan
- ★ Rosie Dawkins
- ★ Harry Weldon
- ★ Harley Porritt
- ★ James Lewis
- ★ Nyla Corner

Numbots certificates were presented to Reggie Day and Lottie Johnson.



Times Table Rockstars awards were given to Freddie Henderson, Jack Geaves and Olivia Brekcon

Dates for your diary

- Monday 21st October – Autumn Parent's Evening
- Tuesday 22nd October – Year 1 PE event at Lingdale Primary
- Wednesday 23rd October – School photos
- Thursday 24th October – Halloween Discos
- Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November – Half term
- Monday 11th November - Remembrance service 10.40am
- Thursday 21st November – Winter BINGO! – all welcome
- Friday 29th November – PD Day – school closed to pupils



Please send any last-minute donations to our Harvest Festival appeal into school by Wednesday. Thank you for all the donations we have received so far. They will be taken to the local food bank before half term.



Photos from another action-packed week

- Peter Pan show
- Fire Brigade road safety assembly
- Afterschool club poppy planting



On Thursday this week we are holding **Halloween discos** for both EYFS and Key Stage 1, and Key Stage 2. The younger children's disco is from 4.00 to 4.45pm, if your child is booked into afterschool club on this day, they may bring their Halloween costume to school to get changed into. All other pupils will need to dash home for a quick change. The Key Stage two disco starts at 5pm and finishes at 5.50pm.

All children will need to be collected from school by an adult (over 16) after the discos have finished. Tickets are available from the school office for £3 which includes sweets and a drink. All money raised goes towards school funds.

On Monday 11th November, any pupils who attend beavers, cubs, scouts, brownies, guides or any of the cadet forces can wear their uniform to school as part of events to mark Remembrance Day.



Our website at lockwoodprimaryschool.eschools.co.uk has lots of information for parents. We will be working to improve our website very soon which should make it easier to navigate.