

# LIME WOOD PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents, Carers & Families,



TEAMWORK



CURIOSITY



RESPECT



PRIDE



KINDNESS

Welcome Back to our second term! It has been such a fantastic week - the children have all transitioned back into learning really well, picking up where they left off at the end of last term which is brilliant!

Thank you to everyone that returned their 'kindness pebbles' - our rock garden will continue to grow and develop but we think it has been a great start to this project! A big thank you also to everyone that donated pumpkins - we really appreciate your support.

We have been so PROUD of the learning and attitudes displayed by the children this week. It has been a week of 'firsts' with visits to the allotment and to the Food/Science Room too - AMAZING! The children were absolutely fantastic; demonstrating our school values and remaining focused on our school rules.

We launched our new characters linked to our school rules this week which the children have responded well to. These are displayed around the school as visual aids to help the children be reminded of the expectations for behaviour around the school as well as their behaviour for learning. Ask your child about their school rules!

If you are visiting a firework display at the weekend, please stay safe and have fun! Take a look at some of the guidance in our safeguarding section.

Have a wonderful weekend,

**Miss Ingrams and the Lime Wood Primary team.**



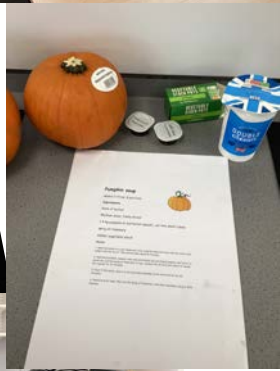
# WE LOVE LEARNING



**BIG BANG**



The children enjoyed visiting our Food/Science Room for the first time. They developed their fine motor and cutting skills as well as their descriptive language. They also visited the allotment for the first time to plant their pumpkin seeds!





# VALUES IN ACTION

**Kindness** - We set off to a great start to the week with some fantastic Kindness pebbles being added to our Kindness Rock Garden. We thought some of the designs were AMAZING!

**Teamwork** - Miss Ingrams has been so impressed with the collaboration between children in their learning inside their classroom as well as the outside learning environment.

**Respect** - Children welcomed our visitors by coming and saying Hello and sharing their learning. Well done!

**Curiosity** - Children thoroughly enjoyed visiting the allotment to have a tidy up and explore!

**Pride** - The attitude and determination shown by children when visiting the Food Science Room for the first time to cut up pumpkins for their Pumpkin Soup!

# ATTENDANCE

We strive for 96%+ attendance for all our children w/c 30.10.2023

Hundred Acre Wood Class

98.33%

Neverwood Forest Class

98.28%

Whole school, Year to date: 97.9%



Please speak to us if we can help with any attendance matters. We are here to help.

# STAR OF THE WEEK

Milani , Albie, Odin, Daania

# GOLDEN BOOK



Fleur, Wren,  
Jonah, Isla-Mai,  
Albie, Pearl, Rubi

# KEY DATES



6th November - Parents, carers & families are invited to join their child's class from the start of the day - Diwali and fireworks!

7th November - The Schools Waste Action Club will be visiting classrooms to introduce children to the 'Wonderful World of Worms!'

8th November - School Photos & PTFA meeting at 9am

9th November - Men in Sheds group from Age Concern UK will be visiting our classrooms as part of our plans for an inter-generational project.

Take a look at the Bexley website which has some useful information.



# SAFEGUARDING

**HOW TO STAY SAFE THIS BONFIRE NIGHT**

- Once a firework is lit, do not reapproach it.
- Avoid using flammable liquids such as petrol to help start your bonfire.
- Keep a bucket of water nearby in case of unexpected fires and for old fireworks.
- Keep all pets indoors and away from the loud noises.
- Ensure that children are supervised at all times, and that they are not allowed to handle fireworks.

Follow the Firework Code





# COMMUNITY



Yvonne and Sara visited from Bexley Road Safety Team - over the course of the year we will be collating evidence to gain the Bronze award accreditation for the STARS programme also known as Transport for London Travel for Life. We will be conducting various surveys over the year as well as activities linked to road safety, walking to school and safe scootering!



Thank you to parents that attended or updated us regarding volunteering for a LWP PTFA. A further meeting will take place on 8th November, 9am - come and join us!

Visits to our school from our Trust community - This week we welcomed our UKS2 Leads and Deputy Headteachers for Curriculum teams from across our Trust schools. They were so impressed with the children's learning!



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from 10/11/2023 to 17/11/2023

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Would your child like to take part in a sponsored read? Any funds raised will come directly to the school and if we raise over a certain threshold, Usborne Books will give us extra funds to spend on books for the school.



Thank you for your pumpkin donations!



Support our local community by parking with care. Please use the school car park for morning drop off and afternoon collection to support our local residents.





We launched our new characters linked to our school rules.



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