



# LIME WOOD PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents, Carers & Families,



TEAMWORK



CURIOSITY



RESPECT



PRIDE



KINDNESS

Milestones continued again this week with our first Local Academy Committee meeting. We are extremely fortunate to have a number of members who are all committed to supporting our school to be the best it can be whilst also sharing their own skillsets for our benefit - take a look at the final age for an overview of their special interests. Over the course of the year and moving forwards, each member will conduct 'governor visits' to meet with our children and school community so that they can build a cohesive picture of our school and it's journey to excellence.



Another milestone has been today's trip to Christchurch Church - a first school trip! What an achievement. Mrs Holdsworth and the team will be planning in more trips over the next two terms!

It has been a pleasure to feel the excitement that the festive period brings for so many with a range of christmas themed learning and activities as we continue our 'Journey of Celebrations' - a highlight has to be the arrival of Mrs and Father Christmas who made a special detour from the North Pole to come and say Hello! Together with Christmas Jumper day and a record number of parents joining us for Christmas dinner and arts and crafts, it really has been a festive week!

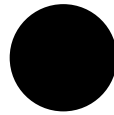
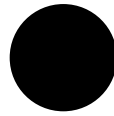
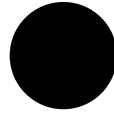
Have a wonderful weekend,

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



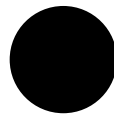
# WE LOVE LEARNING

Father Christmas told us all about his adventures and how he is known by children around the World! He even remembered that the Jolly Postmen had delivered the children's special letters!



Thank you to everyone that attended Christmas dinner - we thought it was great fun!

The children found out all of the names of Santa's reindeers - see if they remember!



Our sponsored read books have arrived - they will be spread out over book corners and our library for everyone to enjoy!





# VALUES IN ACTION

**Kindness** - The children are really embedding our school rules in their behaviours, they show great kindness to visitors - always welcoming them with a smile.

**Teamwork** - Great teamwork from children, parents and families during the Christmas Arts and Crafts sessions this week - thank you to everyone that supported!

**Respect** - Thank you to everyone that participated in the school trip this afternoon, the level of respect shown by everyone during the walk to, back as well as in the Church was really good.

**Curiosity** - Father and Mrs Christmas' visit to our school was met with such excitement and the different questions that were asked were simply fantastic!

**Pride** - The staff team really were delighted to welcome parents in to join their child and have Christmas lunch together this week - it was such a great atmosphere and lovely to spend time together!



# STAR OF THE WEEK

Erik, Emmanda, Oliver, Aleena

# GOLDEN BOOK

Louis, Milani, Odin, Daania



# ATTENDANCE

We strive for 96%+ attendance for all our children

w/c 4.12.23  
Hundred Acre Wood Class  
91.25%

Neverwood Forest Class  
89.66%

Whole school, Year to date: 97.9%



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

# KEY DATES



13th December - Christmas performance at 1.30pm

14th December - Christmas performance at 9.30am

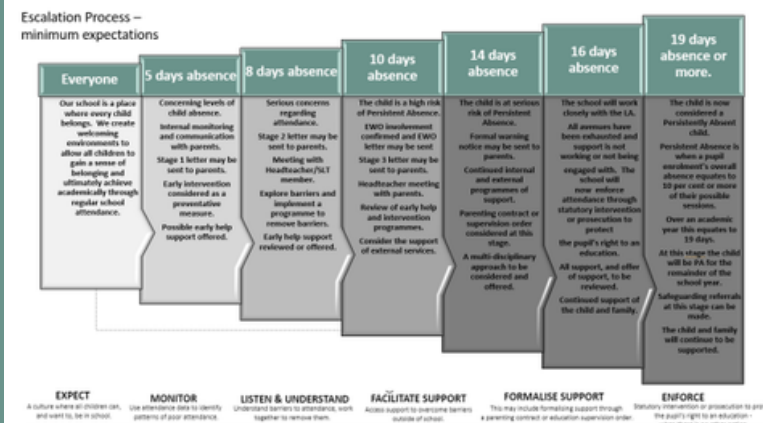
15th December - Attendance Officer visiting

16th December - Carols around the Tree from 2.30pm



# SAFEGUARDING

Attendance & Punctuality is a core focus for our school improvement plan - please take a moment to review our attendance policy and information about our escalation process on our website.



# COMMUNITY



## Showbie Survey

Thank you to everyone that completed our survey last week.

We were delighted that 100% of you are logging into Showbie and feel that it is a useful tool, 62.5% of you are logging in daily!

### You like the following:

- Gives great insights into the way our children are learning and interacting
- Easy to access and easy to use
- Being kept up to date each day

### You would like the following:

- To be able to add your own comments or post your own pictures of out of school achievements
- Teachers comments to be more visible

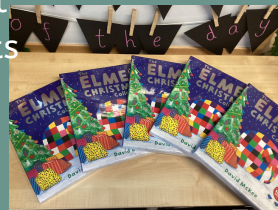
### You told us that you are proud of:

- The children's learning
- Seeing children absorbed in learning
- Seeing my child interact with others
- Children's achievements
- Progress of my child

We are looking at your feedback and seeing what options we have. We hope to feedback more soon.

**In the meantime, we have resolved the request regarding visibility of teacher comments so keep your eyes open for this change!**

**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.**



Another thank you also to one of our parents, Mr Murphy who has donated some books to the school!

## Travel Survey

Thank you to everyone that completed our survey last week. This information will form part of our baseline for submitting our request for a Bronze award with the Transport for London STARS team. More surveys will be conducted over the rest of the year.



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# Local Academy Committee

Each member of the committee has a special interest in areas across the school.



Alexandra Agyekum - Chair  
Safeguarding & LAC



Hamda Mohamed - Vice Chair  
Special Educational Needs



Nicola Taylor  
Community & Engagement



Patricija Naisovraite  
Phonics & Early Reading



Daniel Davies - Staff Governor  
Curriculum - EYFS



Toyeeb Yusuff - Parent Governor  
Attendance & Behaviour



Edyta Sipta - Parent Governor  
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