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## Weekly Newsletter Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2025



#### **Healthy Snack Competition**

## A message from our Mental Health & Wellbeing Ambassadors...

We, the Mental Health & Wellbeing Ambassadors, are excited to announce our new year's challenge: the Healthy Snack Competition! Let's bring back healthy snacks in 2025 and make our school an even healthier place.

From Monday to Thursday, we are reminding everyone to bring in a **healthy** snack (Friday will remain a treat day) — each year group will have a prize for the most creative healthy recipe! Here is a Year 5 entry from this week!



### Proposed Academy Conversion - Parent Consultation Meeting

A reminder that the parent consultation meeting for the proposed academy converion will be held in school on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at 2pm. This session will give more information about a potential conversion and give you an opportunity to ask any questions you may have. If you are unable to attend, but would like to ask questions, please email them to <a href="mailto:CDLTConversions@craftededucation.co.uk">CDLTConversions@craftededucation.co.uk</a>

Any conversion to an academy will not happen during the current 2024-25 academic year. Thank you to those who have completed the survey, which is still open for those who wish to complete.

### Sports Coaching Group - February Half Term Holiday Club

We are delighted to announce that SCG will be holding their first holiday club based at school.

The club will be running from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> to Friday 21st February inclusive (8am - 5pm). Please see leaflet below for booking information.

Please be advised that the club will need at least 15 children per day in order for it to go ahead, so please book early. Unfortunately if the 15 minimum is not met, the club will have to be cancelled. If this is the case, we will provide information of the locations of other SCG holiday clubs running.



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#### **Official Wraparound & Sport After School Clubs**

A reminder that all bookings for clubs run by Sports Coaching Group are to be made directly with them, and not via school. Full information on how to book, and the flyers can be found on the dedicated website pages under Parent Information/Wraparound Care & Clubs.

All bookings are required to be made online via the SCG portal. Please see the links below to book places:

Wraparound Care: Our schedule | Sports Coaching Group | Powered by ClassForKids

Sport After School Clubs (Spring 1): <a href="https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/804">https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/804</a> Sport After School Clubs (Spring 2): <a href="https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/805">https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/805</a>

If you are unable to book a specific slot, it may mean that the session is full. In this instance please call SCG to discuss your requirments. For any cancellations please also contact SCG directly on 01270 449 770 or email info@sportscoachinggroup.co.uk



#### **YV** Choir

A reminder that the YV choir rehearsals with Mrs Maddock are only running for the next 2 weeks – Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> January. There will be no rehearsal on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February.

## Staff Led - Spring 2 Half Term After School Clubs (25th February to 3rd March inc)

Mondays

- Jewellery Club with Miss Haslam (Years 1 & 2 max 14 places) Parent Survey via School Spider will go live on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 8pm to request a place
- Vocal Coaching with Mr Stannard (Years 2-6 inclusive, confident Y1 children welcome) please email Mr Stannard directly on <u>jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</u>

#### Wednesdays

• SATs Booster Club with Mr Haslam (Y6 only) - no booking required

Thursdays

- **Breathe & Meditation Club** with Mrs Vicki Dean (Key Stage 2 max 20 places) Parent Survey via School Spider will go live on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 8.15pm to request a place
- Lower Peover Band with Mr Stannard (Years 2 6) please email Mr Stannard directly on <a href="mailto:jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk">jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</a>

#### **Medication in School**

A polite reminder that any medication brought into school should be handed in to the main office, together with a completed consent form. Please do not put medication in children's bags. All medicine or tablets must be stored securely so children do not have access to it. It is important staff are aware of the required timing and the dosage required, and details of when they had a previous dose if before arriving at school. Thank you for your cooperation.

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#### **Family Disco 8th February**

Our first family disco will be held at Plumley Village Hall, Sat 8th February 4-6pm, £3 per child (inc. hotdog), £1 per adult.

We will be providing a tuck shop and bar so please come along for a New Year's get-together and support our amazing school. Buy your tickets on the SumUp store using the link below:

https://friends-of-lower-peover-primary-school.sumupstore.com/products



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## **Collective Worship**

Each Friday morning our Collective Worship will be a reflection of the Worships held throughout the week.

Parents are very welcome to join us.

These will be held in the school hall unless advised otherwise.

As well as the reflection service, one child from each year group will share a piece of work. We will also present our Star Vision, Attendance Recognition & Sport Achievement certificates where applicable.

Team dojo winners will also be announced!

We have also scheduled some services to take place in Church, these will be communicated within this section.

We do encourage a calm atmostphere in school, particularly in Collective Worship and ask that parents attending remain quiet when the children come into the hall – thank you for your cooperation.

Please note: There is no Collective Worship in school when Church services take place.

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# Weekly Attendance Winning Year Group - Year 1

Reception: 96.26%

Year1: 98.67% Year 2: 93.94% Year 3: 88.48% Year 4: 90.88% Year 5: 97.90% Year 6: 92.58%

Whole School: 93.83%

## Forest School Rota 2024-25

To comply with our risk assessment, all children must wear appropriate <u>outdoor</u> clothes (long sleeve tops & long trousers/leggings – no football kits) plus, <u>outdoor</u> shoes (please bring shoes to change into).

Hair must be tied up.

If incorrect clothing is worn, unfortunately, children will be unable to take part in the session.

Friday 24th January - Year 4

Friday 31st January - Year 3

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February – Year 2

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February – Reception

Half Term Break

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February – Year 6

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March – Reception

Friday 14th March – Year 1

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## **Weekly Awards**

Children are awarded individual stickers (see below) if they demonstrate any of our new values of Love, Wisdom, and Respect, throughout the week. A Vision Star certificate will be presented during Friday's Collective Worship. Dojo's will be awarded for team points.

## **Dojo Weekly Team Points**

Red Team: 3<sup>rd</sup> place (357 points)

Blue Team: 2<sup>nd</sup> place (359 points)

**Green Team: 4th place (349 points)** 

Yellow Team: 1<sup>st</sup> place (370 points)

# Sport Achievement Certificates awarded to

Nico EW (Y1) & Blake S (Y4)







#### **Vision Stars**

Reception: Asher, Jacob & Eloise

Year 1: Huxley & Willow

Year 2: Marcus & Benjamin

Year 3: Nico L & Jemima

Year 4: Edward & Carys

Year 5: Sam

Year 6: Ellie & Will

## **After School Clubs**

## **Spring 1 Half Term 2025** (06.01.25 to 13.02.25 inclusive)

Day	Club	No of places	Cost	Staff	Year Group(s)	INFORMATION
Monday	Jewellery	Max. 14	£4.50 per child per week	Miss Haslam	Years 3 & 4	Fully Booked
Monday	Vocal Coaching Club		£38 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive (confident Y1 welcome)	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk
Tuesday	Choir (Young Voices)	Max. 45	£20 for all rehearsals	Mrs Maddock	Years 3 – 6 inc	Club resumes 7 <sup>th</sup> January to 28 <sup>th</sup> January 2025 inc only.  Concert Date: 06.02.25
Wednesday	SATS Boosters	Whole Class	n/a	Mr Haslam	Year 6	This club will run every Wednesday from 8 <sup>th</sup> January until the SATS tests in May. Any changes to this will be communicated separately
Thursday	Band		£38 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk
Thursday	Breathe & Meditation	Max. 20	£4.50 per child per week	External provider – Vicki Dean	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6	1 place available

Please note – All clubs will commence the first week back after any half term break <u>unless otherwise communicated</u>.

All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation

Please ensure you have paid on ParentPay to secure your place request(s)

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## Sports Coaching Group After School Clubs Spring 1 Half Term 2025 (06.01.25 – 14.02.25 inclusive)

Day	Year Groups	Activity
Monday	3 – 6 inclusive	Handball
Tuesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Target Games
Wednesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Basketball
Thursday	3- 6 inclusive	Tag Rugby
Friday	All year groups	Try Something New

The system is live to take bookings. Please use the link below. Spring 1 Half Term: https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/804

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All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation

# Dates, Events & Information

## 2024-25 Academic year

#### Spring 1 Half Term 2025

- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January Parent Consultation Meeting Proposed Academy Conversion (2pm in the hall)
- Thursday 23rd January Year 4 Class Assembly & Classroom visit (9am in the hall)
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January Year 5 Class Assembly & Classroom visit (9am in the hall)
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February Year 4 Chester Zoo Outreach Workshop (in school)
- Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February YV Concert (Co-Op Arena)
- Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February Reception Parents Stay & Play (2pm onwards)
- Wedensday 12<sup>th</sup> Feburary Year 6 Class Trip Quarry Bank Mill
- Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February Year 1 Class Assembly & Classroom visit (9am in the hall)
- Friday 14th February Last Day of Term

### Spring 2 Half Term 2025

- Monday 24th February INSET Day
- Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February First Day of Term for children
- Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February Year 1 Toys through Time Workshop (in school)
- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March Reception TeachRex Workshop (in school)
- Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March Year 3 Stone Age Workshop (in school)
- Monday 17th March Year 5 class trip Deva Centre, Chester
- Friday 21st March Reception Parents Stay & Play (2pm onwards)
- Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March Parent Consultation Evening Session 1
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March Reception, Years 1 & 2 Easter Service in Church (9am onwards) Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> & Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April Year 2 Residential (Delamere/Foxhowl Centre)
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April Key Stage 2 Easter Service in Church (9am onwards)
- Friday 4th April Last Day of Term

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