



Long Sutton County Primary School

Friday 24th November 2023 Newsletter

Year 2 Visit to the War Memorial



Year 2 have been considering “what makes a hero or heroine?” in History. We learned about the significance of the poppy for Remembrance and last week we walked to the war memorial to see how Armistice Day is commemorated in Long Sutton. Charlie in Pheasants told us that it is commemorated at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month which was very impressive. Well done Year 2 – your behaviour was excellent and we were very proud of you out and about in Long Sutton!



Crazy Hair Day

We want to say a huge well done and thank you to everyone who was able to join in with Crazy Hair Day. There were some incredible designs and there are clearly some very creative people in our community! It was lots of fun and we are very grateful for your support for Rufus and his work in our school.

Football



Congratulations to both our Year 5 girls and boys football teams, both of whom have attended tournaments with Elite in the last couple of weeks. Whilst we may not have brought home trophies this time, the sportsmanship and fantastic attitude of both teams have made us very proud indeed. We look forward to our next sports competition!



Light up Long Sutton

We are excited to be supporting ‘Light Up Long Sutton’ once again this year. Your child should have brought home an outline of a Christmas Cracker for them to colour in. Please bring these

back into school by **Monday 27th November** as we will then be scanning them and sending them off so they can be displayed on the light show on the Church.

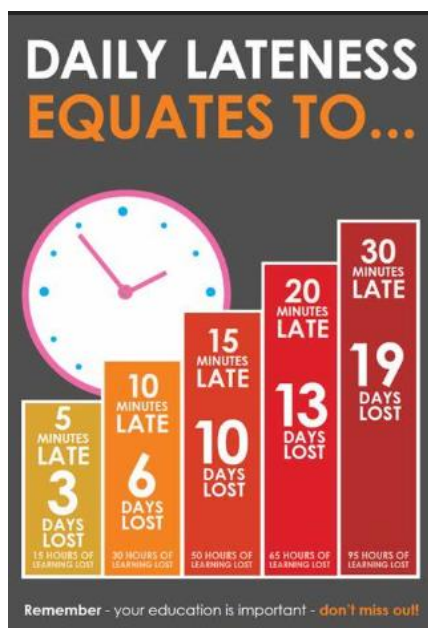
Headlice

We ask please that you are vigilant in checking your child for headlice. Headlice can spread very easily and can be very frustrating to deal with. Regular checks and immediate action definitely help our whole community and is much appreciated.

Photos

If you had your family photos taken by Jeff Dix at the Friends photo shoot, the photos were available to view in school on Thursday 23rd November but will also be available to view on Monday 27th November straight after school. Please come to the fire doors near Miss Law's classroom and you will be shown where to wait for your viewing. Many thanks to everyone who supported this event – the photos are stunning!

Lateness



We have noticed that there are an increasing number of children arriving late to school in the morning once the gates have closed. When children arrive through the office they must be marked as present by the office staff which is currently time consuming for them. It also means that these children are missing the start of their learning in the morning and disrupting a smooth start for those who are on time. Whilst we understand that there are mornings where things do not go to plan, some of the children who are late are persistently late. If you have any issues with getting your child ready for school in the morning please do speak to Mrs Cross, our Family Liaison Lead, who will be able to support you.

Forthcoming dates

Friday 24th November to Sunday 26th November
Monday 4th December

Friday 8th December

Monday 11th December

Tuesday 12th December

Wednesday 13th December

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Friday 15th December

Year 6 Residential trip to London
Non-uniform day in return for a tombola donation for the Christmas Fayre
The Friends Christmas Fayre 5.00pm – 7.30pm
Whole school Carol concert at St Mary's Church - afternoon
Reception Nativity 9.15 am
Reception Nativity 2.15 pm
Parent Update Event 3.20pm - 4.20pm in classrooms
Whole School Santa Dash

Monday 18th December

Tuesday 19th December

Wednesday 20th December

Wednesday 3rd January

Christmas lunch and Christmas
jumper day

Pantomime in school

Last day of Term 2

First Day of Term 3

*Please note all term dates are on the school website