

# LANGSHOTT NEWS

# Learning - Pride - Success

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### From the Headteacher

It has been another fabulous half term at Langshott. I am constantly amazed by the selfless staff and Governors, generous parents and hard working pupils and this half term has been no different.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> November, we marked Remembrance Day with a special assembly. We thought about the sacrifice of soldiers throughout the years and



reflected on why it is important to remember them. We discussed the symbol of the poppy, where it originated and what it means to those who choose to wear it. We also held a short period of silence and our children really demonstrated the Langshott value of 'respect'. I was so proud that we were able to be part of the Horley Remembrance Parade and we see here our Head Girl and Deputy Head Boys laying our wreath at the Horley Memorial (see pages 14 - 16).



On the 14<sup>th</sup> November, we began our whole school PSHE topic 'Celebrating Difference'. We are an inclusive school where everyone is valued, so we celebrated our similarities and differences and learnt that we are all unique, but equally important. We discussed friendship, including bullying and online safety too. The display in our corridor (shown here) gives a flavour of the work the pupils did. See page 21.

This term featured two elections for Parent Governors - congratulations to Annie Munday and Alex Carter. Annie is new to the role and Alex a returning member. Thank you!

The remainder of the half term has been dominated by Christmas and the Christmas spirit was certainly in abundance on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. Firstly, our choir sung at the Methodist Church and again later that day at the launch of our Christmas Fair. We were honoured to have been visited by Santa himself - ho ho ho! Thank you to our amazing Friends Team who organised the whole thing and to everyone who attended and gave so generously of time and money. Never has your support for the school been more important given the funding crisis that is hitting schools.





Finally, it has been lovely to see so many of you at our Christmas performances; I do hope you have enjoyed watching them as much as the staff and children have enjoyed preparing them for you.

Wishing you all a lovely Christmas and a happy New Year. I look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023 for the start of the Spring Term.

Mrs Mackintosh

## Thank you!

Thank you to the governors for buying these lovely books for our library as Christmas gifts.





Thank you to The Friends for buying a Christmas gift for the classes up to the value of £50 per class. Santa sent the children a message via video link (how very modern!) with their gifts (a variety of books and wet play games) that each class opened on Thursday this week. These gifts were paid from the money made at the Halloween mufti and bake sale – so, every parent who donated a pound for mufti or made a cake, or bought a cake at that bake sale, has contributed. Thank you!

Another huge THANK YOU has to go to The Friends for the amazing Christmas Fair. The children had great fun and approximately £6,000 was raised. Amazing! Special thanks has to go to the sponsors:

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and to the fair organisers, Carina Glasgow and Jo Basting, ably supported by the amazing Friends Team. Here are some photos to bring back those wonderful memories.







# **End of Term Gifts for Pupils**

In previous years, we have provided a small end of year gift for every child to take home at Christmas. This year, we have not done this, but spent the money on buying books for every classroom.

# **Headteacher Award Badges**

Congratulations to the following pupils who have been awarded Golden Head Teacher Awards since the last Newsletter (from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December). Well done all!





Head Teacher's Award

Name	Reg	Name	Reg	Name	Reg
Alex Janes	Sapphire	Alfie Nevill	Onyx	Amelie Marchais-White	Quartz
Arthur O'Brien	Sapphire	Dominic Glennister	Onyx	Catherine Tillotson	Quartz
Dylan Choolun	Sapphire	Elise Day	Onyx	Emily Lincoln	Quartz
Elliot Wootley	Sapphire	Raymond Chhetri	Onyx	Kendra Opoku-Appah	Quartz
Emily Mayhew	Sapphire	Alix Romanzin	Amber	Leo Cresswell	Quartz
Evelina Lipe	Sapphire	Emily Oxlade	Amber	Mason Cook	Quartz
Jessica Oxlade	Sapphire	Ethan Barker	Amber	Oliver Basting	Quartz
Lucy Robinson	Sapphire	Hareem Sherwani	Amber	Ruby Walder	Quartz
Zachary Green	Sapphire	Imogen Hornbrook	Amber	Sophie Davies	Quartz
Alfie Metcalfe	Ruby	Jack Hollis	Amber	Teddy Suggett	Quartz
Daisy-Mae Squires	Ruby	Keith Fordjour	Amber	Thea Nguyen	Quartz
Dexter Warner	Ruby	Molly Minty	Amber	Tristan Muller	Quartz
Elliot Hack	Ruby	Nathan Zvoma	Amber	Vedika Nair	Quartz
Finn Vaudin	Ruby	Oliver Burton	Amber	Winston Warner	Quartz
Frankie Gillam	Ruby	Rhea Hutchins	Amber	Ali Khan	Jade
Holly Quigley	Ruby	Sofia Derlikiewicz	Amber	Charlotte Ferguson	Jade
Kobe Glasgow	Ruby	Sophie Allison	Amber	Ethan Harwood	Jade
Morgan Delapena	Ruby	Victor Dercaci	Amber	Ethan White	Jade
Olivia Greaves	Ruby	Abby Harwood	Opal	Jasmine Donnelly	Jade
Sienna Thompson	Ruby	Adele Gaskaite	Opal	Joshua Dunne	Jade
Soames Langton	Ruby	Amelia Metcalfe	Opal	Oscar Green	Jade
Tianna Sandulescu	Ruby	Casey Fegan	Opal	Oscar Jones	Jade
Alexander Hollingshead	Topaz	Charlotte Butterfield	Opal	Ryan Patel	Jade
Bobby Quigley	Topaz	Elodie Owen	Opal	Taylor Hall	Jade
Cedar Hopper	Topaz	Ethan Taylor	Opal	Amelia Springett	Peridot
Chloe Rutland	Topaz	Grace Christianson	Opal	Charlie Jones	Peridot
Gregor Ellis Perisic	Topaz	Henry Shackleton	Opal	Ethan Coomber	Peridot
Isaac Botcherby	Topaz	Jaxon Duplock	Opal	Eva Page	Peridot
Laicey Darby	Topaz	Joshua McCord	Opal	Freddy De Vulder	Peridot
Lara Hogg	Topaz	Marina Xhuvani	Opal	Jessica Parker	Peridot
Nixon Bonus	Topaz	Ollie Bradley	Opal	Joey Wicks	Peridot
Oliver Lockhart	Topaz	Percy Suggett	Opal	Joshua Lockhart	Peridot
Poppy Humphrey	Topaz	Agney Srudheesh	Amethyst	Andrea Temo	Jet
Ruby Staff	Topaz	Arhaan Puvvala	Amethyst	Charlie Saunders	Jet
Ryan Chen	Topaz	Ava Field	Amethyst	Dalia Tabac	Jet
Selena Marsh	Topaz	Faye Robinson	Amethyst	Liv Meikle-Day	Jet
Sienna Sim	Topaz	Finley Stewart	Amethyst	Maisie Blatcher	Jet
Aadhya Kasetty	Diamond	James Belton	Amethyst	Nathan Harding	Jet
Adam Abdelmonem	Diamond	Layla Pearcey	Amethyst	Tom Romanzin	Jet
Anja Muller	Diamond	Myleene Sibanda	Amethyst	Zachary Douglas	Jet
Harry Sibley	Diamond	Natalia Jazxhi	Amethyst	Adena Mante	Pearl
Isla Harney	Diamond	Nathan Stride	Amethyst	Brandon Magowan	Pearl
Jessica De Meyer	Diamond	Olivia Woodruffe-Tostevin	Amethyst	John Hamley	Pearl
Maida Rahman	Diamond	Panormetis Twine	Amethyst	Josephine Felstead	Pearl
Olivia Page	Diamond	Rory Munday	Amethyst	Leo Hogg	Pearl
Teddy Van Pelt	Diamond	Samuel Cragg	Amethyst	Louie Bradley	Pearl
Theo Bonard	Diamond	William Glennister	· ·	Oliver Van Pelt	Pearl
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# **STARS Points**

Congratulations to our STARS Point top scorers for this term. Celebrations will take place in the New Year.

Name	Reg	House	Total
	Jet	Red	625
Keyaan Tafader			
Ethan Taylor	Opal	Yellow	600
Percy Suggett	Opal	Blue	600
Zachary Douglas	Jet	Blue	575
Kyla Weston	Jet	Yellow	550
Aadhya Kasetty	Diamond	Green	500
Abigail Limb	Diamond	Yellow	500
Adam Abdelmonem	Diamond	Blue	500
Abby Harwood	Opal	Green	500
Adele Gaskaite	Opal	Red	500
Aaliyah Thomas	Peridot	Red	500
Kevin Prundaru Furdui	Topaz	Red	450
Arthur Ruschel Dos Santos	Diamond	Green	425
Nati Serrano	Amethyst	Green	425
Leo Cresswell	Quartz	Blue	425
Elliot Wickenden	Emerald	Yellow	400
Hafsah Sultan	Emerald	Blue	400
Morgan Delapena	Ruby	Red	400
	Diamond	Yellow	400
Anja Muller			
Ryan Tree	Onyx	Yellow	400
Mason Cook	Quartz	Green	400
Olly De Vulder	Jet	Green	400
Arthur O'Brien	Sapphire	Yellow	375
Evelina Lipe	Sapphire	Red	375
Violet Clarke	Ruby	Green	375
Alexander Hollingshead	Topaz	Red	375
Mason Lawrence	Quartz	Green	375
Kayla Mackenzie	Jade	Red	375
Aisha Khan	Jet	Red	375
Jake Benjamin	Pearl	Green	375
Oliver Maudsley	Emerald	Yellow	350
Remi Hodson-Gaynor	Emerald	Red	350
Ollie Sellen	Sapphire	Red	350
Rowan Hulkua	Sapphire	Red	350
Antonio Xhuvani	Ruby	Red	350
Gregor Ellis Perisic	Topaz	Yellow	350
Joycelyn Danso	Jade	Green	350
Eoin Spalding	Jet	Blue	350
Imogen Crofts	Pearl	Green	350
Elliott Vincent	Emerald	Blue	325
Ethan Boxall	Sapphire	Blue	325
Hayley Soghmanian	Sapphire	Blue	325
Joshua Mordue		Blue	325
	Topaz		
Rian Thathupara	Topaz	Yellow	325
Bradley Boxall	Diamond	Blue	325
Theo Sogari	Amethyst	Blue	325
Teddy Suggett	Quartz	Blue	325
Amelia Springett	Peridot	Green	325
Christian Boyadzhiev	Jet -	Yellow	325
Isla Brumpton	Emerald	Green	300
Owen Hack	Emerald	Yellow	300
Charlotte Chukwuebuka	Topaz	Yellow	300
George Carroll	Topaz	Green	300
Teddy Van Pelt	Diamond	Blue	300
Tulin Tanriverdi	Diamond	Green	300
Nourah Shanaz	Onyx	Yellow	300

Name	D		T-1-1
Name Emily Oylada	<b>Reg</b> Amber	<b>House</b> Yellow	<b>Total</b> 300
Emily Oxlade			
Nathan Stride	Amethyst	Blue	300
Ethan Coomber	Peridot	Red	300
Joshua Lockhart	Peridot	Green	300
Josie Bates	Peridot	Red	300
Nathan Harding	Jet	Red	300
Chloe Card	Pearl	Green	300
Josephine Felstead	Pearl	Blue	300
Willow Jones	Sapphire	Blue	275
Frankie Gillam	Ruby	Red	275
Oliver Lockhart	Topaz	Green	275
Mia Choolun	Onyx	Red	275
Finley Vucinic	Amber	Yellow	275
Maximilian Buch	Opal	Blue	275
Flynn Cheetham	Quartz	Green	275
Eliza Barnes	Jade	Blue	275
Archie Squires	Peridot	Yellow	275
Charlie Coyle	Peridot	Green	275
Dylan Glasgow	Peridot	Yellow	275
Amber O'Gorman	Jet	Green	275
Jack Harney	Pearl	Yellow	275
Liam Engel	Pearl	Green	275
Poppy Morris	Emerald	Red	250
Millie Taylor	Sapphire	Red	250
Aidan Wilkinson	Diamond	Yellow	250
Daniel Dunne	Diamond	Red	250
Jasmine Jones	Diamond	Blue	250
Evelyn Basting	Onyx	Green	250
Zoe Croney	Amber	Blue	250
Jennifer De Meyer	Opal	Blue	250
Jesse Chapman	Amethyst	Red	250
Johaan Kattumpurath	Amethyst	Red	250
Karl Lucas Tilling	Amethyst	Blue	250
Melios Woolston	Amethyst	Blue	250
Panormetis Twine	Amethyst	Yellow	250
Jessica Beaumont	Quartz	Red	250
Sophie Davies	Quartz	Red	250
Stanley Rogers	Quartz	Blue	250
Ali Khan	Jade	Red	250
Mehmet Macit	Jade	Green	250
Anouska Ziya	Peridot	Blue	250
Daniel Chhetri	Peridot	Blue	250
Lucas Rozycki	Pearl	Green	250
Maria Dulnik	Emerald	Green	225
Amber Barker	Sapphire	Red	225
Duru Macit	Sapphire	Green	225
Parker Duplock	Sapphire	Red	225
Timora Opoku-Appah	Sapphire	Blue	225
Brian Selimi	Topaz	Yellow	225
Laicey Darby	Topaz	Green	225
Charlotte Butterfield	Opal	Yellow	225
Dhanuj Bhat	Opal	Blue	225
Dylan Shevel	Jade	Yellow	225
Imogen Gannon	Pearl	Yellow	225
Lola Day	Pearl	Green	225
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### Pen Licence - Congratulations to

Annabella Carter – Year 6 Max Van Pelt – Year 4 Jessica Beaumont – Year 4 Teddy Suggett – Year 4 Amelie Marchais-White – Year 4

### A Note from the Governors

As the weather begins to get really quite cold, we are all conscious of our energy needs, as well as the wider cost of living crisis. These are concerning times for many and there is a lot of pressure on our finances. The school is no different. Costs are rising and already stretched budgets are under more pressure. You will have seen the letter from Mrs Mackintosh recently outlining some measures that are having to be put in place, such as the cancelling of the AstroTurf project. Please be assured that there is a strong finance foundation within the senior leadership team and they are very proactive in tackling the budgetary issues. The Governing Body of course supports them where necessary. We also have a dedicated finance committee with extensive financial background who are able to scrutinise, and challenge, the decisions that are being made. Every decision is made with the children as the priority.

On a more positive note, the school's Christmas preparations are moving into top gear. I was fortunate enough to be able to watch the Christingle performance with Years 5 and 6, which was a very enjoyable afternoon. From the Governing Body, we wish you a merry Christmas and a very happy new year!

Jeremy Basting - Parent Governor

# **Cultural Capital - Our Vision for Langshott**

From Reception to Year 6, the Langshott curriculum builds upon experiences, skills and knowledge, as children journey through the school. We plan our broad and balanced curriculum carefully to ensure children have progressive rich opportunities. Further to this, Langshott Primary School pupils benefit from introduction to cultures around the world and situations in which they might not have previously experienced. Therefore, they are able to draw upon decision making skills, awareness of society and understanding of the world around them to be successful in society and the world of work. We believe this to be of paramount importance to their ongoing life and journey.

Langshott Primary School recognises 6 key areas for development that contribute to pupils' cultural capital as being:

- Personal development: citizenship, transition support, pastoral support, inc. ELSA, growth mindset encouragement, wellbeing opportunities, showcasing talent opportunities such as year group assemblies and local events (dance festival, young voices), residential trips for Years 4 and 6 and a variety of children's leadership opportunities across all faculties.
- Social development including political and current affair awareness: charity events such as harvest, in class reflection time, assemblies, school council across all year groups, watching Newsround, local community participation such as remembrance/carnival and children's leadership opportunities across all faculties.
- Physical development: anti bullying accreditation, healthy eating policy and health week, a broad and balance PE curriculum, extra-curricular activities (from both internal and external providers), activity based residential trips for Years 4 and 6, Bikeability, forest school, celebration of sports through sports week and PE class of the week, the weekly Langshott lap, promotion of walking and cycling to school and a wide range of lunch time equipment and apparatus.
- Spiritual development: a broad and balanced religious education, acts of reflection, support to express individual faiths, Christmas nativity performances and acts of religion such as Christingle led by a local minister, assemblies to reflect different cultures and faith.
- Moral development: a broad and balanced religious education curriculum, behaviour policy underpinned by the British values, STARS rules followed by consistent reward or sanction, contribution to charitable projects such as the foodbank during harvest, a progressive PSHE curriculum with wide opportunity for reflection on gender, race and sex.
- Cultural development: junior citizenship education in Year 5, access to arts such as music and art for exploration of different cultures, access to language (Spanish lessons in KS2), use of BSL in collective times, a well-structured History curriculum to support understanding of how history shaped our lives and children's leadership opportunities through our Global ambassadors.

If you have any questions abut Cultural Capital, please speak to Mrs White.

# Children's Leadership

It is important to us at Langshott that the children have a say in the running of their school. For this reason, we have a number of Leadership opportunities, not just Head Girls, Boys and Prefects in Year 6, but throughout the school.

We were overwhelmed by the effort children put into their home learning for the Children's Leadership roles. Giving responsibility to children not only enables them to shine, but also gives them life skills for their future. We appreciate some children were disappointed not to have been given a leadership role this year, but there are many opportunities for developing leadership skills in school. Later on in the year, we will review our new leadership roles with the school council to look at how we can make it even better next year.

Our Children's Leadership roles this year are:

Year 2 Play Leaders	School Council	Spanish Ambassadors
Stirling	Reception - George and Elliott	Victor
Aadhya	Topaz - Gregor	Emily
Olivia	Ruby - Sienna	Theo
Jess	Diamond - Teddy	Percy
Harry	Onyx - Jude	Abby
Oliver	Opal - Lexi	Jaxon
Micah	Amber - Charlotte	Rhea
Elis	Amethyst - Sandra	Jemimah
	Quartz - Amelie	Dylan S
	Year 5 - Jasmine and Jessica	Zara
	Year 6 - Andrea and Brandon	Aeron
	School Council Minute Keepers:	
	Zac and Charlie	
Digital Leaders	Library Monitors	Register Monitors
Year 2 - Benji	Charlotte	Isabelle
Year 3 - Jessica	Sophie	Daisy
Year 4 - Rory and Theo	Ana	,
Year 5 - Joshua L	Elodie	
	Zoe	
	Sofia	
House Captains	Sports Crew	Forest School Leaders
Red - Noah	Charlotte	Sapphire - Arlo and Penny
Jessica	Tilly	Emerald - Charlie and Remi
Blue - Max	Alys	Topaz - Nixon and Shelbie
Kendra	Paige	Ruby - Antonio and Ivy
Green - Myles	Lizina	Diamond - Noah and Aria
Faye	Charlie	Onyx - Ryan and Evelyn
Yellow - Tristan	Ralphie	Amber - Jacob and Molly
Natalia	Ethan	Opal - Reggie and Emma
Nacana	Ethan	Quartz - Flynn and Sophie
	Brandon	Amethyst - Jesse and Olivia
1		Jade - Joseph, Joshua and Eliza
		Peridot - Elliott, Archie, Eva and
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Miss Isard (Assistant Head and School Council Leader)

# **News from the STEM Faculty**

Our Faculty Mission Statement - Through high-quality engaging experiences, we aim to prepare our pupils to thrive in a highly complex world. Pupils will be competent across Mathematics, Science and Computing; they will be able to understand and prepare research and investigate questions they will face in their futures. Teachers will provide an imaginative curriculum to encourage children's curiosity and expose them to the wonders of the world. Opportunities will be given to pupils to enable them to work collaboratively to problem solve in a meaningful real-life context.

### **Mathematics**

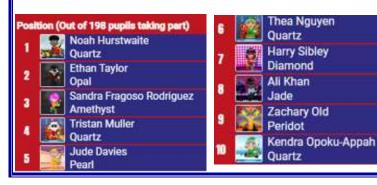


From Monday 14<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> of November, Years 2 to 6 took part in the TTRS England Rocks Competition. We are so proud of our results and we celebrated our achievements in year group assemblies. Lots of certificates and stickers were given out, the top three classes received a chocolate advent calendar and some children even received some special post.

Class results (average score)

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1665	Quartz - Langshott Primary School	1,115
2331	Pearl - Langshott Primary School	930
3131	Jade - Langshott Primary School	761
3286	Amethyst - Langshott Primary School	736
3384	Opal - Langshott Primary School	722
3787	Peridot - Langshott Primary School	670
4676	Diamond - Langshott Primary School	567
6589	Amber - Langshott Primary School	408
7435	Jet - Langshott Primary School	361
9571	Onyx - Langshott Primary School	264

#### Top twenty players across Year 2 – Year 6







#### Top three players in each class

Diamond	Harry Sibley	Aidan Wilkinson	Aadhya Kasetty
Onyx	Raymond Chhetri	Elis Marchais-White	Jude Howson
Amber	Hareem Sherwani	Victor Dercaci	Molly Minty
Opal	Ethan Taylor	Isaac Perez	Dhanuj Bhat
Amethyst	Sandra Fragoso Rodriguez	Nathan Stride	Arhaan Puvvala
Quartz	Noah Hurstwaite	Tristan Muller	Thea Nguyen
Jade	Ali Khan	Joshua Green	Tilly Jakins
Peridot	Zachary Old	Joshua Lockhart	Elliott Dawes
Jet	Charlie Saunders	Andrea Temo	Keyaan Tafader
Pearl	Jude Davies	Maisie Winter	Talon Fleming-Holt

#### **Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS)**



#### TTRS Battle 3

10.11.22 - 22.11.22

There are some OUTSTANDING scores here!

1	Diamond	27,805
2	Onyx	12,358
1	Opal	30,466
2	Peridot	16,539
1	Quartz	131,984
2	Pearl	67,412
1	Amethyst	111,447
2	Jet	25,268
1	Jade	57,612
2	Amber	28,106

#### Congratulations to Diamond, Opal, Quartz, Amethyst and Jade.

The winning classes received a chocolate advent calendar for their class and the top three players in each class were awarded a certificate. Our focus for this battle was also an improvement in speed and accuracy and we were very proud to present certificates to lots of children.

Well done to everyone who participated in this battle.

#### TTRS Battle 4

<u>24.11.22 – 6.12.22</u>

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1	Opal	51,454
2	Onyx	20,041
1	Amber	37,506
2	Diamond	37,120
1	Amethyst	72,621
2	Peridot	15,449

1	Quartz	159,247
2	Jade	91,813
1	Pearl	70,226
2	Jet	44,876

#### Congratulations to Opal, Amber, Amethyst, Quartz and Pearl.

Quartz continue to dominate with very high scores and they have retained the TTRS trophy. Diamond were so close to winning their battle – it is probably the closest battle we have ever had! We all agreed that Jade were unlucky to go up against Quartz as they would have won any other battle in this round.

Well done to everyone who participated in this battle and to those who received a certificate for their achievements.

#### WOW! We are at the top of the TTRS Leader Board

Rank	Name	Mean Studio Speed (seconds / question)
1	Langshott Primary School	2.66
2	Dunottar School	2.68
3	St Margaret's CofE Primary School, Crawley	2.70
4	Reigate St Mary's Preparatory And Choir School	3.01
5	Oakwood School, Horley	3.08
6	The Mill Primary Academy, Crawley	3.17
7	Felbridge Primary School	3.33
8	Maidenbower Junior School, Crawley	3.48
9	St Matthew's CofE Primary School, Redhill	3.59
10	Earlswood Junior School	3.76

# **Computing - Online Safety**

We have an online safety workshop on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023 for parents and carers of children in Years 3-6. More information to follow. Children's safety online is very important to us and it is a great way to share experiences and supportive ways for you to know how keep the children safe at home. Please see the attached help sheets for some useful information.



#### **Breck Foundation**

We are lucky enough to have booked the Breck Foundation to come in on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March to speak with the children about how to stay safe online. There will also be a Zoom session that evening for parents to login to and find out what the children learnt. More information will be shared nearer the time.



### Year 1

The Year 1 children had a fantastic time at the British Wildlife Centre. It linked strongly to our 'animals' topic and really enhanced the children's learning. The children learnt about a variety of animals, including their diets (herbivores, carnivores and omnivores) and habitats. It was a wonderful day out and they all came back with smiling faces and more knowledge about animals than they had before. Here are just a few pictures of the learning that look place on the trip.







### Year 2

In our Year 2 science lessons, we investigated everyday materials. The children identified and compared the suitability of a variety of materials and what they could be used for. The materials investigated included wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard. They gathered and recorded data confidently. Using this knowledge, the children created a poster promoting a material of choice.





## Year 3 Rocks Workshop

We were very lucky to start our term off with an exciting workshop learning all about rocks! To deepen our knowledge and understanding on different types of rocks, their properties and where we might find them, we were joined by a local Geologist who bought in a huge selection for us to explore! Here are some pictures of the children enjoying the activities.





# News from the English & Creative Arts Faculty

Our Faculty Mission Statement - We are passionate about providing all children with a rich and varied creative curriculum, at the heart of which are high quality, engaging texts rich in language, which will inspire, inform, stimulate, challenge and entertain children. It is through these texts that teachers will provide children with a range of meaningful opportunities, encompassing; music, dance, drama, art and design, which foster children's natural creativeness and imagination and will enable them to develop a broad range of transferable skills in order for them to achieve a high level of standard in a range of subjects.

### Music

On *Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2022*, our Young Voices choir had the honour of signing at *Horley Methodist Church* as part of the Christmas Tree Festival. It was a momentous occasion for all involved, bringing lots of Christmas joy to the children and families who attended. The choir sang a variety of Christmas songs acapella including; *Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer, Santa Claus is coming to Town* and *Silent Night*. At the end of the performance, the children were greeted with an abundance of appreciation, including members of the public commenting on the children's tuneful singing and beautiful annunciation. To end this spectacular experience, our lovely Young Voices also got to open the Langshott Christmas Fair in the afternoon. What a day!

Mrs White and I would like to take this opportunity to thank each member of our choir who put in maximum effort every time we meet. Thank you for being so wonderful and for representing our school so gracefully.

Mrs Patel ©





**Years 2, 3 and 6** have been working on their vocal skills this term. The children have been working on technical development and group choral skills. They have learnt to improve their singing voice, whilst learning a range of songs across multiple musical genres. Throughout the lessons, the children have also developed their vocal technique by adapting their voice to suit each genre. George Ezra and Adele have been amongst the artists that have been featured as inspiration. These lessons have been magical and the voices have been angelic.



Finally, as we write, rehearsals for the various Christmas shows are underway. I am sure you will be as impressed as we are by the children's performance skills.

# Rhino Readers - EYFS & KS1 Update

We have had lots of positive feedback about the new Twinkl Phonics scheme that was implemented in September. We are impressed with the impact it is having so far and would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of the support and feedback we have had.

#### **Caring for Books**

The school recently purchased a large number of books that runs alongside the Twinkl Phonics scheme to support children with their reading. **Please ensure your child looks after their book.** 

They should not tear or crease the pages, bend the spines or deface the pages by drawing or writing on them. We need your support to ensure that every child is able to benefit in the long term.

#### **Lost or Damaged Books**

We understand that accidents happen and it is especially easy for water bottles to open in book bags. However, due to the cost involved in purchasing and replacing these books, we kindly ask parents/carers to ensure your children are careful when using the books at home or transporting them to and from school. Regrettably, if books are damaged at home, we will ask you to pay for a replacement. If a book is lost, children will not be allocated a new book until the one is returned or paid for. Charges of £5 for any lost or damaged books will be made and go towards replacing the book. If a lost book is subsequently found, and is in good condition, your payment will be refunded. To help, we have just purchased plastic zip wallets to transport the books. We hope this will help to keep the books in tiptop condition so that we can continue to provide quality books for years to come.

Reading is at the heart of everything we do at Langshott and we want to ensure all children receive quality books. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

#### Year 4 Iron Man

In Year 4, we have been learning about the Iron Man in English and DT. We wrote a story about what the Iron Man did to the farmer and his machinery. As part of science and DT, we built our very own Iron Men that had light up eyes. We used our knowledge of electrical circuits to help us.

Rory Munday – Amethyst







### Year 5

To kick start Year 5's learning about Shackleton's journey, they had an incredible experience day to immerse themselves in their new topic.

#### Rescuing Shackleton's Ship from the Ice

For one of the tasks on the experience day, we broke out toy ships from packed ice, which relates to the destruction of the endurance. We enjoyed that a lot, however, most of us did not bring gloves but it was still very fun.

#### Camping

For another one of the activities, we camped in a tent-like structure like Shackleton and his crew would have, we also ate digestives (sledge biscuits) like they would have. We would say the majority of people would agree that this was one of the most favoured activities.

#### **Frozen Planet**

Another one of these activities was watching Frozen Planet because it expanded our knowledge of Antarctica (David Attenborough narrating).

#### Researching Polar Explorers

The fourth activity was researching polar explorers in the library. We were each asked to pick a book and find out one fact from the book. The sofa was the most comfortable place to sit. This was the most relaxing activity.

#### **Exploring Artefacts**

The final activity was looking at artefacts from their exploration (not real ones) and reading part of Captain Scott's diary. In addition, we explored different educational videos and Google Earth and actually saw inside a preserved hut.

Altogether, this experience day was one of the best days in Year 5. By Charlotte and Brandon

The children were also inspired by the artist Paul Klee to create abstract landscapes based on the artwork in Shackleton's Journey.



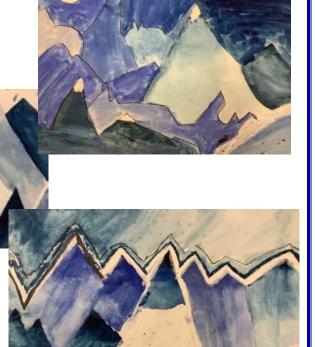












# News from the Global Understanding & Awareness Faculty

Our Faculty Mission Statement - Our aim is to create and inspire the next generation of global citizens. We believe that all children should be given the opportunity to discover and learn about the historical, geological, religious, cultural and ecological events of the past, that have helped shape the present. Through engaging and memorable learning experiences - which celebrate the ever changing, complex and diverse world in which we live - we believe that we can help to encourage and enable the future generation to thrive.

# History - Horley Remembrance Parade 2022

On **Sunday 13th November**, children from Years 5 and 6, accompanied by Mrs Felstead, Miss Booker and Mrs Forster, attended the Horley Remembrance Parade. Fortunately, the weather was kind to us and it was a dry, mild day to be representing our school at such an important occasion. We gathered outside the Royal British Legion with a feeling of nervous excitement while we waited for the parade to start. Whilst there, we saw many other Langshott children proudly wearing their Rainbows, Brownies, Beavers and Cubs uniforms. Everyone looked very smart.

We began our march by walking along Vicarage Lane. The children marched quietly whilst spotting friends and family in the crowd as they passed. We then moved into the War Memorial Gardens for a traditional Remembrance service. Here the children continued to show a great amount of self-control and respect. We engaged in prayer, sang hymns and listened to the incredible Redhill Corps of Drums who have led the parade for the last 40+ years. Our deputy head boys, Oliver and Nathan, along with our head girl Dalia, laid a beautiful wreath. It was a very memorable and moving occasion and we were so proud of our Year 5 and Year 6 children and all children who took part from Langshott School.































































# **History Facts and Features**



In each newsletter, we will be including a fun History fact for you to share with friends and family. *Did you know...* 

#### There were female Gladiators in Ancient Rome!

While they were extremely rare, there were female gladiators who were called Gladiatrix or Gladiatrices. Talk about girl power!

### **RE Christmas Week**

With Christmas in the air, Langshott have had a magical week exploring the Christmas story and its deeper meaning in lots of practical, fun-filled and interesting ways. Early years looked at festivals and celebrations and talked about important events in our lives – a lovely way to begin their Religious Education journey.

Year 1 investigated the nativity story and recreated the events through a superb puppet show using felt puppets that they cleverly created themselves. Year 2 delved a little deeper, looking at the symbolism and meaning of some of the clues in the Christmas story – such as the star and gifts given by the wise men. Their final piece was an artistic lift and flap picture.

The Year 3 classes looked at the meaning of gifts given at Christmas time and in the spirit of giving, presented thoughtful ideas of ways to give at Christmas which do not involve money (a very timely topic).

Looking at various forms of Art, Year 4 compared how different artists present the events of Christmas, finally making their own stunning stained glass windows using coloured cellophane – these are beautifully displayed in their classroom windows.

With a modern twist, Year 5 spent time researching different ways that the nativity story is recorded in the Bible and used technology to write an email of how the Good news might be spread today. They were entertaining and very creative and I daresay we had a few future journalists in the making!

It was a real delight having a local Pastor, Tim Hill, in to teach Year 6 about the symbolism of the Christingle as they learned about light vs dark at Christmas time. Pastor Hill even conducted our very first Christingle service where the children got to light the Christingles they had made and sing some lively songs they had been practising. This was greatly enjoyed by parents of Year 6 and children alike – what a treat!













# News from the Health, Well-being & Community Faculty

Our Faculty Mission Statement - Through a holistic approach, we aim to deliver a rich curriculum - with a clear progression of skills - that promotes healthy minds and bodies within the community. With clear outcomes and links to core subjects, staff will be empowered and supported to deliver high quality, well-structured lessons. By providing opportunities for all (including those who are disadvantaged) to be active in a range of disciplines, children's well-being will be enhanced. The environment and resources will be engaging and safe for all.

### **Forest School News**

As the second half of the Autumn term began, both Reception and Year 4 donned their wellies and waterproofs and braved the driving rain, showing amazing resilience. They were rewarded with plenty of jumping in muddy puddles, much to their enjoyment!

Reception learnt the Forest School rules to keep themselves safe in the woodland and were even lucky enough to hear the legend of the 'Langshott Little People' who live in the Forest School area. Ask your child to tell you the story of the Fire Dragon and how Reception helped to rebuild the Langshott Little People's homes and made them a muddy tea party! The children also enjoyed role-playing in the hammocks and woodland shelters and even collected different types of firewood, which we then used to make a fire and toast marshmallows, supported by some of our older Forest School leaders and champions.









Year 4 were able to make excellent links between their classroom learning and their Forest School adventures. They built their own 'Timber Man' in the style of 'Iron Man' from their class book. They learnt about and 'celebrated differences' between the different trees in the forest and linked this to their PSHE learning about celebrating differences within a community. In Science, the children had been studying Electricity, therefore they went on a treasure hunt for different electrical components that had been hidden in the woodland and then used sticks to represent wire to create a giant electrical circuit diagram. As well as this, they practised their knot-tying skills to create some natural festive decorations.

We were also fortunate enough to benefit from a delivery of free saplings from The Woodland Trust, which Mr Humphries and the Year 4 Forest School leaders planted to

create a natural hedge boundary along one side of the Forest School area.

After the Christmas holidays, it will be the turn of Year 3, Year 5 and Year 6 to explore our frosty Forest School world. Look out for a separate letter with further details (and make sure they pack their hats and gloves)!

Mrs Shevel Forest School Leader





#### PE

**Reception** – Reception children have enjoyed lots of fun PE sessions with Miss Boardman this half term. As well as learning the fundamentals of how to find space, stopping, and starting safely, they have explored Langshott's "magical sweet factory", weaving their way in and out of the candy canes, jumping over gumdrops and balancing on a liquorice tightrope. They also pretended to be different modes of transport, such as bicycle, car, train and aeroplane while we played games around these themes.

**Year 1** - Children in Year 1 have really improved their ball handling skills, including their catching and throwing. As a year group, their chest passes and bounce passes are looking really good and they are also working together well with partners and small groups using their reciprocity skills. We have focussed on invasion games this term and the children now understand the notion of defending and attacking during these different types of sports.

**Year 2** – It has been a great half term for Year 2 who have taken their understanding of invasion games to another level. We even had a chance to play mini games of netball, basketball and football to deepen their understanding of what they have learnt so far. All the children really got involved and enjoyed this extra challenge!

Year 3 - They have been very impressive with how quickly they have picked up netball this term. It has been great to see them develop their understanding of the rules, improve their netball skills, as well as working together as a team and encouraging each other. Year 3 have used all these skills to play mini netball matches against each other and it has been amazing to see their progress this half term.

**Year 4** – It has been exciting to see how much they have improved their netball skills this half term. During the term, we have been working on "positions" and some strategy in games and the children have really risen to the challenge. As well as stressing the importance of defending "in the circle", Year 4s have also worked on spacing and communicating with teammates. It has been heartening to see them putting their learning powers into practise during these games, particularly resilience and reciprocity.

**Year 5** - They seem to be loving basketball this term and have really improved since we started the sessions in September. Their passing and dribbling skills have come on so much and they are playing well as a team during their mini matches. Year 5s have great team spirit and really encourage each other, which is lovely to see!

**Year 6** - Basketball is a firm favourite with Year 6s and it is great to see all the children getting involved and everyone working together as a team. After picking up the sport in Year 5, this group have really embraced the sport and are showing great skills including dribbling, passing and shooting.

**Athletics** - Congratulations to Leo, Marina and Josie, who competed in an indoor Athletics competition in Worthing on 30<sup>th</sup> October as part of Crawley Athletics Club. They gave 100% in each event, which included standing long jump, speed bounce, sprint and relay. They showed fantastic Langshott resilience and did themselves and the school proud! Well done!

Miss Boardman (PE Coach)

# PE Days for the Spring Term 2023

Children in Years 1 to 6 should come to school wearing their PE kit on PE days.

Reception – Monday (Arrive in uniform & bring PE kit in drawstring bag to change at school)

Year 1 - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Year 2 - Tuesday and Thursday Year 3 - Wednesday and Friday

Year 4 — Monday and Wednesday

Year 5 - Tuesday and Friday

Year 6 - Thursday and Friday

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit and footwear. Earrings and watches must be removed for PE.

### **Sports Crew Seminar**



Congratulations to our newly appointed Sport's Crew – Charlie C, Ethan H, Ethan C, Ralphie, Brandon, Alys, Paige J, Lizina, Charlotte and Tilly! In preparation for their new role, they attended a Sport's Crew Seminar on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October. During the seminar, they learnt more about their role and the important qualities they need in order to be successful. They also had the opportunity to deliver games to their peers and receive feedback. They represented Langshott incredibly well!

## **KS2 Cross Country**

On Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December, KS2 took part in a Horley schools cross-country competition at Manorfield Primary School. The weather was perfect conditions for running. The competition got started with the Year 6 races, who got us off to a great start with 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place finishes. They showed so much resilience to keep going even after they were exhausted and cold! At the end of the competition, the results were announced – we came 4<sup>th</sup>! The children were a credit to Langshott and they should be so proud of their achievements.



### Year 5 & 6 Girls' Football Tournament

On Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November, eight Year 5 and 6 girls took part in a local football tournament at Yattendon Primary School. They were incredibly resilient and persevered, as it was the first time the majority of the children had competed in a football tournament! The reciprocity on show was excellent, they should be very proud of themselves.

# Year 6 Boys' Football

On Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> and Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November, Year 6 boys took part in two football tournaments. The first of the tournaments took part at Woodmansterne Primary School, where Langshott competed with other schools from the borough. The second of the two tournaments took place at Yattendon School where they were up against other local Horley schools. Throughout both tournaments, the boys showed so much reciprocity and resilience, they should be so proud of themselves!







# **PSHE Week "Celebrating Difference"**

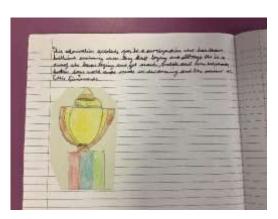
On the 14<sup>th</sup> November, we started our PSHE week based on our topic 'Celebrating Difference'. Each year group celebrated this by looking at our similarities and differences. We have learnt how we are all unique and we discussed friendship, including bullying and online safety. All of our PSHE learning links with our STARS rules. During this topic, we focused on the T, R and S rules. T = Take responsibility for your actions, R = Respect and S = Stay safe.



In Reception, they created paper chains describing what makes them special. In Year 1, the children made a gingerbread person reflecting on their similarities and differences with their friends. In Year 2, they created their own friendship trophies. The Year 3 children created conflict kites based on a story. In Year 4, they created a photo frame identifying their own special features. In Year 5, they researched a different culture and created a culture wheel. The Year 6 children researched an inspirational Paralympian and explained why they deserved the admiration accolade award.

Have a look at some of the wonderful work that has been completed and what our children say about friendship and online safety.

Year 6



Year 3

### <u>Friendship</u>

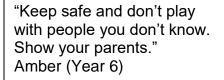
### What would you do if someone did or said something you didn't like?



"I'd run away and tell a grown up and I'd find someone else to play with." Elliott (Reception) "Tell someone (a grown up) and play with someone else. I'd say I didn't like that." Olivia (Year 1) "I would tell a teacher and my parents and move away." Esme (Year 2)

### Online Safety

### Have you any advice for anyone going online to keep safe?



"Turn off your computer if a stranger talks to you, block and tell an adult." Oscar (Year 5)



"Don't tell anyone online where you live and don't take photos standing next to your road sign." Ronnie (Year 4)

### **Oakwood Panto**

Our Year 4, 5 and 6 pupils were fortunate enough to be invited by the house teams at Oakwood Secondary School to watch their sensational panto performances. Pupils studying drama from the different house teams used their reciprocity to create adaptations of the panto classics Aladdin, Jack and the Beanstalk, Cinderella and Sleeping Beauty. The children at Langshott had to



vote on their favourites and the two winning teams won the chance to perform at their school Christmas show. Thank you for having us Oakwood, you were amazing!





## Safeguarding and Child Protection at Langshott

Langshott Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Safeguarding and child protection is **everyone's** responsibility.

#### Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children means:

Protecting children from maltreatment

Preventing impairment of children's mental and physical health or development

Ensuring that children grow up in circumstances consistent with the provision of safe and effective care

Taking action to enable all children to have the best outcomes

**Child protection** refers to activities undertaken to prevent children suffering, or being likely to suffer, significant harm. If you are worried about a child, you can contact any member of our school's safeguarding team.

Email address: dsl@langshott.surrey.sch.uk

Designated Safeguarding Leader: Miss Booker (Acting Deputy Headteacher)

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leaders: Mrs Mackintosh (Headteacher), Mrs Mehta (SENCo) and

Miss Watts (Amethyst's Class Teacher and the Online Safety Leader)

# **NSPCC**

You can also contact the NSPCC Helpline for free on 0808 800 5000 https://www.nspcc.org.uk/what-is-child-abuse/spotting-signs-child-abuse/

### **Attendance Winners**

Week Commencing 17<sup>th</sup> October: Onyx Class and Quartz Class
Week Commencing 31<sup>st</sup> October: Sapphire Class and Quartz Class
Week Commencing 7<sup>th</sup> November: Ruby Class and Jade Class
Week Commencing 14<sup>th</sup> November: Topaz Class and Opal Class
Week Commencing 21<sup>st</sup> November: Diamond Class and Peridot Class
Week Commencing 28<sup>th</sup> November: Onyx Class and Jet Class
Week Commencing 5<sup>th</sup> December: Diamond Class and Opal Class

# Parents' Information



### **Communication with Teachers**

We welcome communication with our parents, but please only pass on very short messages at drop off. If you need a longer chat, please do that at pick up time or by emailing in to make an appointment. It is important that we get the pupils into class as quickly as possible in the mornings and get lessons started. There is always an adult on the Key Stage 2 door, they can take messages and pass them onto to the teachers for the older pupils.

All email communication should be sent to

info@langshott.surrey.sch.uk head@langshott.surrey.sch.uk or SENCO@langshott.surrey.sch.uk

Teachers do not have a direct email for parent use, this facility was removed a few years ago when we became aware of the impact that emails were having on teacher well-being. We want teachers focusing on planning and delivering the very best lessons for the pupils, not spending hours on emails. If the office, SENCO, or I as the Head can address the query, this alleviates the pressures on the teachers. The office or I will often respond to parents on the teachers behalf, usually more quickly than the teacher can, who is teaching all day. Please be aware when emailing, that your child is one of thirty in the class, please think about what is a reasonable number of emails to be sending.

Please note we do not receive emails from the SCOPAY system. If you have unsubscribed from receiving emails from the SCOPAY system, there is a "re-subscribe" link in the blue area at the bottom of the SCOPAY login page.

Mrs Mackintosh

# **Funding Crisis / Cost of Living**

I wrote to parents recently about the cost of living crisis, but thought I would re-print it here, just in case anyone did not see it.

As I am sure you are aware, we are experiencing a cost of living crisis. Many of you will be facing difficult financial decisions of your own, with rising energy bills and food prices. The school's budget is also affected by these economic circumstances and our funding has not been increased to cover the additional expense. The recent Autumn Statement outlined £2.3 billion coming to schools - this equates to a 4% rise, however, many of our costs have risen by much more than 4%. Consequently, we must make savings in our budget to avoid a shortfall.

I would like to assure you that our first priority when making these difficult decisions is to provide your child with the best possible education. We will also ensure that our pupils continue to be comfortable, healthy and safe in school.

Unfortunately, the budget cuts will result in the following:

- a) Reallocation of staffing hours to ensure the most cost effective model.
- b) Cancellation of the AstroTurf project I cannot countenance spending £70,000 on a pitch when we may have to reduce staff hours and cut back on resources.

Please be assured that our governing body and senior leadership team will be working hard to minimise the impact on our pupils and make fair and appropriate decisions.

If you are able, please consider helping us through this challenging time by continuing to supplement the cost of school trips and extra-curricular activities and help our excellent PTA, The Friends of Langshott, in their fundraising endeavours, including the Christmas Fair this Friday.

If you are struggling financially, please make us aware, so we can signpost you to organisations that might be able to help.

Mrs Mackintosh

### Reception Donation Station Outside Emerald Classroom

The team and children would like to say a big thank you to everyone that has donated to our year group so far. Please continue to donate to the 'Donation Station' that can be found by the pupil entrance near Emerald Class. Look out for the sign above this to see what we are collecting. We also welcome anything odd and obscure! There will be items in your homes, in your shed, in the back of cupboards, in your kitchen. We like to be creative, so either check with a member of the team first or pop your donation in the 'Donation Station' and we will have a look. Thank you!

# **Entry to the School Buildings**

For the safety of all our pupils, parents are not permitted inside the school building unless they go through the Main Office. Please do not come inside at drop off or pick up unless signed in or accompanied by a member of staff.

# Deadline for on-time Reception School Place Applications

The closing date for Reception applications for September 2023 entry is **15 January 2023.** Online applications are made via https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/eAdmissions/app, however, parents can also request a paper application form or seek impartial help in completing an application via the Surrey Schools & Childcare Service (0300 200 1004, Mon-Fri 9am-5pm). Full information is available on Surrey's website at www.surreycc.gov.uk/primaryadmissions.

Applications received after the closing date without good reason will be treated as late and will not be considered until all on time applications have been processed. This may jeopardise the chance of a parent being offered one of their preferred schools for their child.

### 300 Club Winner November 2022

Congratulations to Mrs Croney who won the 1st Prize this month.





Click on this title here for Twelve15's Parent/Carer December Newsletter

# The East Surrey Family Grapevine - Winter Online Edition Link



Please find the link to the online edition of the Winter 2022 East Surrey Family Grapevine Magazine. This Winter edition is packed with hundreds of local listings, some great competitions and a pick of family events in East Surrey. There are also some fantastic Christmas and Winter Recipes!

The hyperlinked Winter edition can be downloaded or viewed on the go from mobile phones and tablets.

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#### School Meal Price - Spring Term 2023 YEARS 3 - 6 CHILDREN ONLY

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL GUIDELINES MEALS MUST BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE

Dinner Money £ 2.60 PER DAY, £13.00 PER WEEK

First Half Term £ 72.80 Second Half Term £ 78.00 TOTAL FOR THE TERM £150.80

The above takes into account public holidays and INSET day closures ONLY.

Pay online at https://www.scopay.com/langshott-inf?redirect=true or via www.langshott-surrey.co.uk SCOPAY Link.

If you wish to change your child's meal requirements, please give the office one week's notice.

If your child brings a packed lunch, please ensure that the contents are healthy and that the lunchbox is clearly named. If your child needs a spoon for their packed lunch, please include this too.

WE AIM TO BE A "NUT FREE" SCHOOL. The school menu is displayed on the website and parents/carers noticeboard.

### **School Term and Holiday Dates**

Please find below the School Term and Holiday dates. These are the Surrey dates and may be slightly different to ours, due to timings of INSET Days. A reminder that you must not book holidays or treat days in term time, if you do, these will NOT be authorised. Link to Surrey website for term dates is here: School term dates - Surrey County Council (surreycc.gov.uk)

#### Academic year 2022/2023

#### Autumn term 2022

Start of term	Half term	End of term
1 September 2022	24 October to 28 October 2022	16 December 2022

#### Spring term 2023

Start of term	Half term	End of term	
3 January 2023	13 February to 17 February 2023	31 March 2023	

#### Summer term 2023

Start of term	Halfterm	End of term	
17 April 2023	29 May to 2 June 2023	21 July 2023	

### **DIARY DATES - Langshott Primary School**

#### **REMAINING INSET DATES FOR 2022-2023**

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2023, Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023

PUBLIC BANK HOLIDAY – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023 – Marking the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III (School Closed)

ACADEMIC YEAR 2022 - 2023				
DECEMBER 2022				
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	a.m.	Whole School Peter Pan Pantomime Visit to The Hawth, Crawley		
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	1.15pm (KS2)	Break Up end of Term		
	1.30pm (R-Y2)			
JANUARY 2023				
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8.35am/8.45am	Return to School for Spring Term 2023		
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup>	From 2.50pm	Friends Krispy Kremes Sale		
w/c 9 <sup>th</sup>		Mock SATs Year 2		
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	Year 4 Juniper Hall Talk for Parents & Carers		
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>		Closing Date for Primary School Applications		
w/c 16 <sup>th</sup>		Mock SATs Year 6		
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup>	pm/evening	Young Voices, O2 London		
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	12 Noon - 3.00pm	Year 5 Junior Citizen Event, Reigate		
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>		Years 5 & 6 Sportshall Athletics		
Tuesday 31st	5.00pm	KS2 Children & Technology Meeting for Parents/Carers		
FEBRUARY 2023				
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> – Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>		Year 4 Juniper Hall Residential		

Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup>	2.50pm/3.00pm	Break Up for Half Term
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	All Day	INSET Day – School Closed to Pupils
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	8.35am/8.45am	Return for Second Half Spring Term
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	0.55d111/0.45d111	Year 4 Juniper Hall Assembly for Parents & Carers
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Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	All Day	World Book Day
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	pm/evening	Year 3 Dance Festival, The Harlequin, Redhill
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	8.15am-9.00am	Book Look / Report Collection
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> -Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>		Scholastic Book Fair
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	8.15am - 9.00am	Book Look / Report Collection
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup>		Parent Consultations
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup>		Breck Foundation Visit (Online Safety)
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>		Parent Consultations
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup>		Break Up End of Term
APRIL 2023		
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>	8.35am/8.45am	Return to School for Summer Term 2023
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>		Primary School Place Outcomes
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	Year 6 SATs and Residential Talk for Parents/Carers
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	Year 2 SATs Talk for Parents/Carers
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	KS2 Children & Technology Meeting
MAY 2023		
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup>		Deadline for Parents/Carers to Accept/Decline Primary Place
w/c 1 <sup>st</sup>		KS1 SATs
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup>		Bank Holiday – No School
w/c 9 <sup>th</sup>		KS2 SATs
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Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	Year 1 Phonics Screening Talk for Parents/Carers
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