



e-news @ Leigh & Bransford Primary School

Friday 25th September 2020

t. 01886 832 342 e. office@leighbransford.worcs.sch.uk

Stuart Bill – Head Teacher BSc Hons, PGCE, NPQH

We blinked and 'just like that' it is time to get your photos for the relatives at Christmas again!

Update, Mr Bill - I would like to thank you all for your continued help with keeping everyone safe during this difficult time. It has been really heartening to see everyone respecting social distancing and keeping the integrity of our bubbles intact. I also thank you all for your caution when children become ill and your willingness to keep them at home in order to protect others. Thank you.

There are a few things that I would like to update you on:

- Please note that we are not currently offering morning and after school care to reception pupils. Sorry if there has been any confusion about this.
- If you are walking from home in Leigh Sinton then please feel free to access school from Hoopers Close rather than accessing school from the A4103.
- I would just like to remind everyone that any complaint about an issue you have in your child's class should, in the first instance, be directed to your child's teacher so they have chance to understand and rectify any issues. Please see the complaints procedure on our website for further details. I am aware that these things sometimes circulate on social media when it would be best if they were dealt with directly.

School Photos – These will be taking place on Thursday 1st October. We are going to be ensuring tight Covid measures during these photographs, children will be washing their hands as they leave their classroom and upon their return, bubbles will remain together and photographs will be taken in the outdoor learning area weather dependent. We will be doing sibling photo's but keeping everyone socially distanced with handwashing procedures before and after they leave their classrooms. Essentially, we are washing our hands a lot! Any children that would have done PE or Forest School should come in school uniform, we will be cancelling these activities until the following week.

In the case of illness - It is inevitable that over the coming weeks members of the school community will exhibit potential Covid symptoms, with that in mind I would like to let you know the following procedure.

· If your child is displaying Covid symptoms then please do not send them (or any sibling) to school but do let us know by 8.30 am by contacting the school office. (Symptoms are any of - a continuous cough, a temperature above 37.8c or a loss/change in the sense of taste or smell.)

· Anyone who is displaying these symptoms should arrange to be tested by visiting: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/testing-and-tracing/get-a-test-to-check-if-you-have-coronavirus/> If you are struggling to get a test then please phone the school office on 01886 832342 and we will endeavour to assist you.

· Please note that anyone displaying Covid symptoms should be isolating at home for 14 days from onset of symptoms or until a negative test result is received. The rest of the household should isolate at home until a negative test result is received.

· We will supply work for pupils who are self-isolating.

Parking – Please ensure you do not park in the turning circle or in front of driveways in Hoopers Close, we have had a number of residents complain.

Care Plans – Anyone with a Care Plan form sent out to them – please return as soon as possible.

Newsletter Class Focus – Next week is Mr Powney and his lovely new reception class.

Dates for your Diary

Academic Year 2021/2022


Holiday	School closes on	School re-opens on
Autumn Term	Not Applicable	Thursday 2 September 2021
Autumn mid term	Friday 22 October 2021	Monday 1 November 2021
Christmas	Friday 17 December 2021	Tuesday 4 January 2022
Spring mid-term	Friday 18 February 2022	Monday 28 February 2022
Easter	Friday 8 April 2022	Monday 25 April 2022
Summer mid-term	Friday 27 May 2022	Monday 6 June 2022
End of summer term	Friday 22 July 2022	Not Applicable

Term Dates Academic Year 2021/2022

Holiday	Date
Good Friday	Friday 15 April 2022
Easter Monday	Monday 18 April 2022
May Day	Monday 2 May 2022
Whitsun Bank Holiday	Monday 30 May 2022

TED Days

Monday 4th January 2021, Thursday 6th May 2021, Friday 25th June 2021



Celebrating Our Achievements and Successes – Friday 25th September

Reception

Martha W – Courage & bravery when facing new challenges.

Olive W – Courage & bravery when facing new challenges.

Isabella S – For kindness & helping others.



Class 1

Sam J – Great explanation in phonics.

Roman K – Fantastic problem solving in maths.

Maisy B – Super phonics work.

Class 2

William M – For always doing his best.

Edey G – For excellent effort with her reading.

Roshana C – Fantastic phonics.

Class 3

Alanna D – For excellent effort in every lesson.

Ned W – For always being ready to learn.

Class 4

Harry H & Ava K – For great discussion and teamwork when creating a list of words to describe Leitmeritz the Wizard.

Izzy S – For improving a story opening to interest the reader.

Jenson PS – For persevering when improving a story opening.

Class 5

Millie-May C - Excellent effort with spellings

Neve T - Superb work in history

Rory G - Amazing effort in all learning

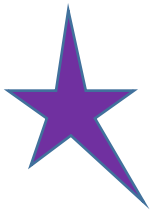
Class 6

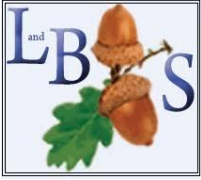
Oliver C- Fantastic effort with reading.

Rosie R- Excellent effort in all work.

Cole TR - Excellent effort in all work.

Luke C - Excellent effort in all work.





Friends of Leigh & Bransford Primary School



100 Club 2020/21

Each year we run a successful 100 Club which raises £600 for our school and gives out £600 in prize money!

Numbers cost £12 each

Monthly draws will take place at the end of each month starting September with Bonus draws throughout the year.

Prizes each month

First £20, Second £10, Third £7.50

Bonus Draw

£50 at Christmas, Easter and Summer!!

Winners will be announced on Facebook and on the journal.

If you would like to join the club, please complete the online form

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=QYA4YykdPEOKsRmij84xxiAUOFR9zMZGrr-zD54XophURVM2VDNTN0pESDhSOVVOSEtNWEtWQVFVQi4u>

And make payment either by PayPal to Claire_randall@yahoo.co.uk or in cash via the office.

Please complete the form and submit your money before the Sunday 27th September.

Families can have multiple numbers.

If we need more than 100 numbers, we will increase to a 120 club with an extra chance to win £10 each month!!