

Dates for your diary

Thursday 13th June - Year 4 trip to The Tropical Birdland
Friday 14th June - Father's Day EYFS Event (Please see class letters for times)
Friday 28th June - Teacher Training Day - **School closed to pupils**
Monday 1st July - Y3 & Y4 sports day 9.00am
Monday 1st July - Y5 & Y6 sports day 2.00pm
Wednesday July 3rd - EYFS sports day 9.00am
Wednesday July 3rd - KS1 sports day 2.00pm
Thursday 4th July - Year 6 Woodlands
Monday 8th July - - reserve Y3 & Y4 sports day 9.00am
Monday 8th July - - reserve Y5 & Y6 sports day 2.00pm
Wednesday 10th July - reserve EYFS sports day 9.00am
Wednesday 10th July - reserve KS1 sports day 2.00pm

Change To Hours of School Day

The Government is determined that all pupils have the opportunity to achieve their full academic potential. To support this, on 28 March 2022 the Government announced, through the White Paper Opportunity for all: strong schools with great teachers for your child, a new minimum expectation on the length of the school week of 32.5 hours for all mainstream, state-funded schools. Any mainstream state-funded school that does not yet meet the minimum expectation of 32.5 hours should be working towards doing so by September 2024 at the latest.



The 32.5 hour minimum expectation includes the time in each day from the official start of the school day (i.e. morning register) to the end of the compulsory school day (i.e. official home time). The 32.5 hour minimum includes lunch times and other breaks as well as teaching time and any enrichment activities that all pupils are expected to attend. It does not include optional before or after school provision.

Leamore's current times are 08:55 until 15:10 which is a shortfall of 15 minutes per day. Therefore, from 04/06/24:

The new school day will be:
08:40 [Gate opens 08:30] - 15:10



If you would like to share your thoughts on this, please e-mail:

changeofschoolhours@leamoreprimaryschool.com

After School Provision

As part of the changing hours, we are interested to gather views on whether after-school provision is something our community requires. We are considering a parent paid after school provision, in the first instance, that may become subsidised to bring the cost down as external funding is explored. Please would you take a few moments to complete the linked survey to give your views.

[\[Click Here To Give Your Views\]](#)

Walk To School

Firstly, a huge thank you for your support and dedication to taking part in our Walk To School Week event! It was lovely seeing the children getting excited when telling me that they had walked to school that week. After collecting all the data from each class, I am excited to share that **YEAR 4** were the overall winners! As a reward, the children from Year 4 will get to have a visit to the Education Garden. Miss Holford will be in touch to let you know when this will be happening.



Weekly Fitness Challenge!

Super Slalom Run 60 Second Challenge

How many slalom runs can you complete in 60 seconds?
Layout three objects three steps apart. You must run in and out of the objects and back to the start to complete one slalom run.
You need a safe space and three objects! Use objects such as teddies and cans as markers.
Make it easier and see how many times you can run around one object in 60 seconds?
This game is best played outside in the garden with different family members.



PE Champion

Each week, one pupil from each class will get to bring home their class PE Champion trophy! This will be a pupil who has shown resilience, dedication and hard work during their PE sessions.

Can we ask that the trophy is returned the following week, ready to be awarded to the next pupil.

Year 1- Oscar, for an overall improvement with his swimming over the course of the 6 weeks.

Year 2- Elsie due to her excellent warm up skills and perseverance

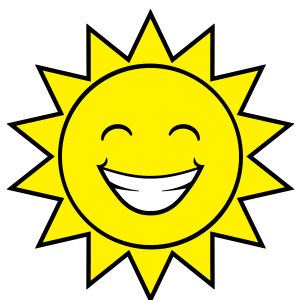
Year 3 - Sian for putting 100% effort into her throwing and running in this week's lesson.

100% Attendance for Summer 1

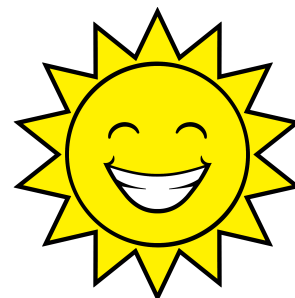


Summer in the Education Garden

Reception have enjoyed spending time outside in the sunshine, over in the Education Garden. We have loved watching the tadpoles grow, running free in the grass, rolling down hills, finding fairy gardens and so much more. Endless summer memories.



Children still need a
childhood with dirt,
mud, puddles, trees,
sticks, and tadpoles.
-Brooke Hampton



Summer HAF

This is a reminder that you are able to register for the HAF programme from 10th June. The link will take you to a video explaining more:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vsl-3UXuFPo>

This link is a document explaining how to sign up:

[\[Click Here\]](#)



No prior experience or auditions needed

Rock Stars Walsall ROCK CHOIR

New choir for 7-12 year olds starting 3 July 2024

4.30pm – 5.30pm on Wednesdays during term time
at Walsall Arena and Arts Centre

Free to attend

Please arrive with a parent or carer to register you on your first rehearsal

Contact elizabeth.sale@walsall.gov.uk
(WMEHS Music Administrator) for further information



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ROCK STARS



WalsallMusEd
Walsall Music Education
Hub & Service

Speech & Language Therapy

Drop-in advice sessions

Do you have questions about your child's speech or language development?

Are you worried that your child is not talking or does not understand you?

Would you like some advice on general strategies to help?

If you're worried about your child's communication skills and your child is not already known to our service, please come to one of our drop-in sessions for advice and support.

Next drop in:

Tuesday 11th June 9.30am - 12 noon

Brownhills Community Centre
Chester Rd North, Brownhills
Walsall WS8 7JS

We will be available to talk with those attending Social Tots and Discovery Tots and for anyone else who wishes to pop into the centre for advice.

To deliver exceptional care together to improve
the health and wellbeing of our communities



Respect
Compassion
Professionalism
Teamwork



Walsall
Family Hubs
Supporting families to live happier lives

Walsall Best Start for Life

A booklet for you
and your baby

Sign
up to our
newsletter and visit
our website for all up to date
information on what's on including
groups and events and information
to help you and your family!



Website: Walsall Family Hubs

Email: familyhubs@walsall.gov.uk



Walsall Families in the Know

Dads come along and join us for a range of free activities for Father's Day

Dads Stay & Play is an opportunity for dads to turn up with their children to play together and have fun together.

No need to book just turn up.

Saturday 15th June 2024

10:00-12:00



At each Walsall Family Hub;

North Family Hub 275 Blakenall Lane, Blakenall,
Walsall WS3 1HJ

West Family Hub, Ilmington House, Crescent Road,
Wednesbury, WS10 8AE

South and Central Family Hub, Birchills Street,
Walsall, WS2 8NG

East Family Hub Silver Court, Walsall, WS8 6HA