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YOU

NEWSLETTER #2

September 11th 2026

I wanted to start with a huge thank you to the Leedon school community.

Our first full week back has been fantastic! Children are, on the whole, in the correct school uniform, eating (and enjoying) fruits and vegetables at snack time. They are arriving at school on time, ready for the day and I have been so impressed with how quickly they have settled into their new classes and new routines. Classes have started their new units of work and are engaged showing the values of Learning & Quality.

Whole school attendance: **93.2%**

Congratulations to Moon Class who have the highest attendance at **100%**! This means that they can have a non-uniform day on Friday 18th September - yipee!!



After School Clubs

We are working on a menu of After School Interest Clubs which will start after the October half term. Staff will be running these between 3:30 - 4:30pm and we aim to offer a range of activities from art, sports, board games, cooking, film club, bead art, Lego and more!

The Leedon team will offer their time and expertise, but there will be a minimal fee to some clubs, in order to buy consumable resources. More info coming soon ...

Home Learning Opportunities

Many parents have requested information and ideas for how they can support learning at home, today your child will have bought home a **Home Learning** sheet (Y4s will come asap).

The activities are linked to this half term's learning and you may choose as many or as few of the suggested tasks as you like. Projects should come back to school **week beginning 12th October** and we plan to have a Home Learning Gallery on **23rd October at 1:30pm**. The gallery will be an opportunity for some children to share their work with the school community.

We are looking forward to seeing these mini homework projects.

School Lunches

The children are enjoying the new revamped school menus, particularly the dessert selection! If you would like your children to have a hot school meal (especially as the weather is getting cooler) please visit www.playground-pantry.com for more information. Menus run on a 3 week cycle and are shared with children and parents each week.

Just a reminder that sweets and chocolates are not allowed in packed lunches. We have noticed some children who do not have the expected healthy lunch box. Sweet treats such as chocolate biscuits (Penguin, Club etc) or mini cookie snack bags or similar are fine.



Can you help?

We are looking for good condition 2nd hand toys, games and puzzles for After School Care Club. If you have any donations please drop them off at the school office - thanks in advance!



Leedon PTA needs you!

Our busy Parent / Teacher Association are always looking for fresh ideas and support.

The AGM is on **14.10.26 at 6:30pm** followed by a short meeting. Planning for the festive season ahead! We look forward to seeing familiar and new faces.

Monday 21st Sept 6pm → Year 4 parents - Grafham Water Residential information evening

Tuesday 22nd Sept → School Photos! 8:00am for sibling photos.

Wednesday 23rd Sept 8:45am → SEND coffee morning with Mrs Dyos

Tuesday 29th Sept 3:45 and 5:00pm → Parent information meeting for YR, Y1 and Y2 - Phonics with Mrs Byrne

Wednesday 14th Oct 4:30 - 6:30pm → Autumn Open Evening. No appointment needed

