

# Lent Rise School Newsletter

September 2016

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- Autumn Term** Welcome to Autumn Term 2016! We are all looking forward to a term packed full of learning and goals! We are taking on positive mind-sets and will remember that we haven't learnt everything ... yet! We will, however, keep trying! Please do ask your child if they can describe what they can do if they get stuck or find something a challenge.
- Site Safety** Please take extra care when moving in and out of the school site whilst the building work is in progress. I do thank you for your patience and welcome any feedback on how we can help to make things easier during this time.
- Parent Transition Meetings** Please do come along to our new parent transition meetings at which the teachers will update you on curriculum, assessment, visits and other relevant information for your child's new year band. The dates are as follows:
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| <b>Year One:</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> September at 4 pm   | <b>Year Two:</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> September at 5 pm  |
| <b>Year Three:</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> September at 4 pm | <b>Year Four:</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> September at 5 pm |
| <b>Year Five:</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> September at 4 pm  | <b>Year Six:</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> September at 5 pm  |
- Parent Packs** I hope that you received your new Parent Pack today and that you find the updated information useful. Please complete the form page at the back and return it as soon as possible.
- Clubs** You will also have received a letter today offering options for autumn clubs. Please return your slip to school by 9.30 am on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September. All teacher and teaching assistant led clubs, including reading clubs, will start on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September.
- Please contact Mrs Hudson regarding any wraparound child care queries.
- School Development** As a school we are constantly striving to improve and enhance the education provided for the children in our community. Our key areas of improvement focus for this school year are writing, maths and continued improvements in the use of data to support raising standards. Much of our Inset training and staff meeting time is focussed on these areas. If you'd like to find out more, please visit the school website or make an appointment via the school office.
- Literacy Week** We are hosting an exciting Literacy Week in November and have an open evening on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November from 3.30 pm to 7 pm to share pupils' work and activities with you. Please do make a note of this in your diaries!
- Non-uniform Days** To help you plan ahead, we have a couple of non-uniform days planned this term. The first is for Jeans for Genes Day on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September and the second is for Children in Need on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November.
- Open Door Policy** I would like to remind all parents that their first means of communication is through the school office or the class teacher. Please do ask your child's class teacher if you have any queries, in order to support your child at school.
- Individual Photo Day** A photography company will be visiting on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October to take individual (and siblings within school) photographs. Proofs will be sent home in your child's book bag and you can purchase various sized photographs.
- Day-to-day Reminders** The school office is manned from 8.00 am to 4.30 pm Monday to Thursday and 8.00 am to 4 pm on a Friday. Please do contact Mrs Barnard in the school office with any queries or to assist in arranging any appointments with your child's class teacher.
- Dolce Meals** If you have a child in EYs or KS1 and you would like to access their free meal, please email the school office or call Mrs Barnard who will help set this up for you. If you have a child in KS2 and you would like to purchase meals for them, please visit [www.live-kitchen.co.uk/direct](http://www.live-kitchen.co.uk/direct) to set up an account so that you can order any meals you require.

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## Teaching Staff - this reminder may be helpful!

Class Name	Class Teacher
EJ	Miss Johns
EW	Mr Waldeck
1D	Mrs Dear
1G	Miss Gray
1R	Mr Rapley
2E	Miss Enright
2H	Mrs Hind

Class Name	Class Teacher
3J	Mr Jenkins
3S	Mr Smith
4R	Mrs Rever
4S	Miss Sayers
5J	Mrs Johnson
5P	Miss Porter
6S	Mrs Springford
6M	Miss Morris

## Term Dates

### Autumn Term 2016

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September  
Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October  
Inset Days

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December  
Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September  
Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September

### Spring Term 2017

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> January  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February  
Inset Days

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February  
Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March  
Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February

### Summer Term 2017

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April  
Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June  
Inset Day  
Early May Bank Holiday Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July  
Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May

## Diary Dates 2016

### Jeans for Genes

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September

Children may wear jeans and school uniform top half.

### Individual Photo Day

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October

### Parent Teacher Consultation Week

Week beginning 17<sup>th</sup> October with Tuesday as the late night.

### Harvest Festival

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October Further details will be provided in October.

### Literacy Open Evening

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November from 3.30 pm to 7 pm

### Early Years Christmas Play

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30 am

(letters regarding tickets will be circulated in November)

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 2.15 pm

### KS1 Christmas Play

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30 am

(letters regarding tickets will be circulated in November)

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 2.15 pm

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 2.15 pm

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 7 pm (pupils to arrive at 6.30 pm)

### KS2 Christmas Shows

Years 3/4 Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 7 pm (pupils to arrive at 6.30 pm) and Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30 am

(letters regarding tickets will be circulated in November)

Years 5/6 Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 7 pm (pupils to arrive at 6.30 pm) and Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 2.00 pm

### Christmas Discos

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December - times to be confirmed by PTA

### Early Years Christmas Party

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December from 2 to 3 pm

Please note that all dates are subject to change.

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