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Term 6 2026- Week 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's hard to believe that we are now in the last term of this academic year, which seems to have flown past. Our Year 6's are preparing to move on to their secondary schools with visits and getting ready for the Patina and all year groups will soon be starting transition sessions with their new classes.

It was lovely to welcome our new EYFS parents from September 2026 this week, to share what life will be like in school for their children. We hope we can encourage them to join our Friends of Laughton as we look ahead to what fundraising events we'll host next year.

It is an incredibly busy term with a number of events planned so please use the diary below to update your calendars at home. These dates are on our school website too so if you need an update that is a good place to check first.

Teachers have uploaded the learning grids for this term and they can be found on class pages on our website.

Please don't forget to put the Laughton Fete on 27th June from 2-5p.m in your diaries. We will be opening the classrooms between 2-3p.m so that you can pop in and take a look and try some of the activities on offer.

Please can we remind you that Monday 22nd June is an INSET day and the school will be closed.

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to **Underwater** class who achieved the highest attendance of **100%** last week and to **Underwater** class for the highest attendance of **98.5%** this week. Well done!

Our target for this year is **96.5%** and our current whole school attendance is **95.6%** so we encourage you to support your child with regular attendance.

38 children achieved 100% attendance in term 4. Well done to you all. The winner of our attendance draw is **Ruby**.

REWARDS

Congratulations to the following children who have received their next Pupil Point certificates.

300 Points	Underwater: Alfred, Jude, Lila, Nyla, Ryder
900 Points	Bugs: Freddie Mitchell
1000 Points	Jungle: Jemima
1300 Points	High Peaks: Samuel
1400 Points	High Peaks: Walter
1600 Points	Jungle: Florence



Diary

Jun 2026

Mon 15 th	First Aid training
Weds 17 th	Patina making day Y6
Thurs 18 th	Fathers Day Shop
Fri 19 th	Fathers Day Shop
Mon 22 nd	INSET Day
Tues 23 rd	First Aid training
Weds 24 th	Patina making day Y6
Weds 24 th	Underwater and Bugs trip to Wilderness Wood
Mon 29 th	Y6 Transition day at Kings Academy
Tues 30 th	Y6 Transition day at Kings Academy

Jul 2026

Fri 3 rd	Patina Parade
Weds 8 th	Y6- Bikeability
Fri 10 th	Sports Day
Thurs 16 th	KS2 performance
Fri 17 th	Y6 Leavers Trip
Mon 20 th	Leavers Assembly
Weds 22 nd	INSET Day

INSET days 2025/26

Mon 22nd June / Weds 22nd July

TAKE OVER DAY

Next Friday the year sixes will be taking over the school for the morning! Don't worry, they will be ably supported by the staff.

It is to give them the opportunity to experience the responsibilities in being a Teacher, Head and Office Administrator and gain an insight into what the roles require. They have written their applications this week and we will report back on how it went in our next newsletter.

FUNDRAISING

As you know school budgets are extremely stretched at the moment and to help us increase our funding, we have set up a QR code where any money raised goes straight in to the school budget. This can be spent on anything to do with school such as staffing, resources, buildings e.t.c as it is not ring fenced for specific projects like many of our fundraising bids are.

Donations can be made by anyone so please share this with your work place, extended family and any other organisations who may be in a position to help.

<https://superkind.org/campaign/laughton-community-primary-school-fundraising>

This code will be displayed on our letters and website and will also be displayed at the Laughton Fete on the 27th June

We have carried out a test and it works but please let us know if you have difficulties when using the code. Thank you all so much for your continued support.

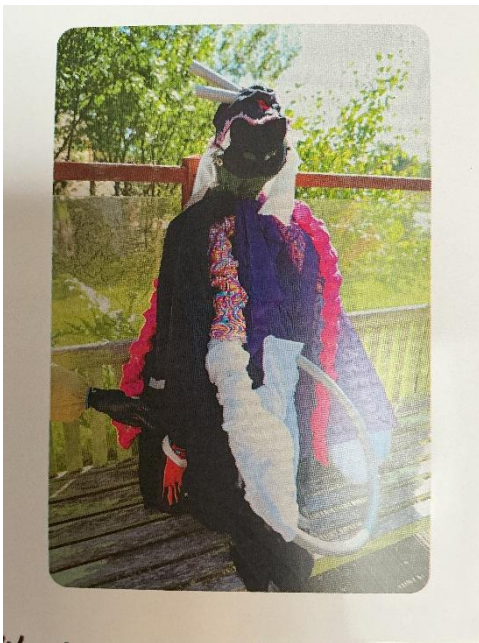
VILLAGE FETE

Laughton Village Fete will be on Saturday 27th June between 2.00pm and 5.00pm and there will be lots going on for the whole family to enjoy. We will be opening the school between 2.00pm and 3.00pm for people to explore our classrooms and learn about our school community.

RAINBOW RUN

Here are the before and after photos of Alba volunteering on the Purple paint station at the Rainbow Run last Saturday in aid of St Wilfred's Hospice.

Alba said " I helped at the colour run last Saturday for St Wilfred's. I threw the coloured powder at the runners as they passed. Our colour station was purple, and I got covered too. It was lots of fun. There were 1500 people taking part in the running. I would like to do it again."



SCARECROW COMPETITION

We took part in the Chailey Heritage Foundation Scarecrow Competition and came runner up. We would like to congratulate all of the children on their creativity, teamwork and imagination. The children came up with the design and worked with Mrs Brown over lunchtimes to make it.

FIRST AID

On either Monday 15th or Tuesday 23rd June your child will take part in a 1st aid course. We have a trainer for the 2 days coming to provide advice and support in basic 1st aid needs. This is being funded by our Sports Premium funding as it is a life skill that could indeed save someone's life one day. The children will do the training in groups and will be supported by a member of staff.

AUTHOR EVENT SATURDAY 13TH JUNE

There is a free author event for children ages 6-9 taking place this Saturday 13th June at 11.30am at Bags of Books in Lewes, as part of Independent Bookshop week. Join Award winning local children's author Paul Ian Cross for an exciting, interactive event celebrating 'SuperQuesters Mission: Desert Danger'.

LEWES ATHLETIC CLUB SUMMER CAMPS

Please find attached details about camps taking place in July and August

SEAHORSE PROJECT SUMMER EVENT

Please find details attached about the Seahorse Project run by St Wilfred's Hospice

ACTIVE STARS SUMMER CAMP

Please find details attached about a summer camp in Uckfield

KEY STAGE 2 SUMMER PERFORMANCE

This year's performance is 'Hercules and Phoebe' and will be on Thursday 16th July. There will be two performances, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. Further details will follow.

FATHERS DAY SHOP

The Friends of Laughton are running the Father's Day shop next week on Thursday and Friday afternoon in school. Your child can buy gifts for either a parent, grandparent, carer or someone who helps them out a lot at home.

Thank you for all your continued support.

Kind regards,
Mrs Rachel West and Mrs Jeanette Fuller