



Leigh Vale Weekly Newsletter



Week Ending: 26/4/24

Diary Dates

2.5.24	Y4 Viking Day
13.5.24	Y6 SATs Week
16.5.24	Reception Sports Day 2.20pm
17.5.24	KS1 Sports Day 2pm
22.5.24	Y5 PGL deposit due
4.6.24	Start of Y4 Multiplication Tables Test
6.6.24	Y6 Royal Navy Visitors
7.6.24	Y6 PGL Holiday
18.6.24	KS2 Sports Day
27.6.24	Summer Fair
1.7.24 & 2.7.24	Transition Days for all Y6 pupils who are attending Outwood Academy in September
11.7.24	Leigh Vale's Got Talent at Theatre Royal
12.7.24	Children's reports sent home
15.7.24	Optional Open Evening following reports 3.30 - 5.00pm

Year 6 SATs

The Statutory Assessment Test (SATs) for Year 6 will take place the week beginning Monday 13th May, 2024.

Monday 13th May — Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling
 Tuesday 14th May — Reading
 Wednesday 15th May — Maths (Arithmetic Paper 1) Maths (Reasoning Paper 2)
 Thursday 16th May — Maths (Reasoning Paper 3)

Parents of Children in Y6AM

We would like to wish Miss Matthews all the very best as she will soon be leaving school to commence her maternity leave. To ensure continuity for the class, from Monday 13th May the children will be taught full-time by Mrs Akehurst, who obviously knows the class well.

KS2 Sports Day — Tuesday 18th June

Year 5 and Year 6 Sports Day will commence at 9:30am. Year 3 and Year 4 Sports Day will commence at 1:30pm. Both events will last approximately one hour. The children will be seated in their house teams and will be required to wear a coloured t-shirt to match their team colour: Leigh - Blue, Beecham - Yellow, Evans -

Red, Pilkington - Green. The children should come to school on the day in this t-shirt along with their normal PE kit (black/blue shorts and black pumps or trainers). The children will also need to ensure they bring a water bottle to school on this day with their name on. In the event of warm weather, we would also like the children to wear a hat and ask that sunblock is applied before school.

Y4 Multiplication Check (MTC)

After half term, all Year 4 children will be taking a multiplication tables check run by the government's education department. It will involve the pupils answering 25 random multiplication questions up to 12 x 12, with only 6 seconds to answer each one. School iPads will be used to complete the MTC. Please continue to support your child with their preparation for this test by encouraging them to complete Garage and Soundcheck sessions on Times Table Rock Stars. This will help them to become quicker and more accurate ready for their multiplication check. We have a two week window to complete MTC, starting Tuesday 4th June until Friday 14th June.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/multiplication-tables-check-information-for-parents>

