

Livingstone Road Primary Federation

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Today is the last day of term before the Easter holidays and we have had a really busy week starting with a fantastic Reception and Year 1 Spring concert. The children all performed brilliantly and knew exactly when to use their percussion instruments – it was a fantastic way to celebrate all the work they have been doing with Soundstorm this half term.

On Wednesday our Year 6 children hosted their parent/carers for a Make Do and Mend fashion show. The children showcased the clothes they have been making and shared their wartime cookies and made cups of teas for all the adults. They raised a fabulous £184 towards their end of term treat. Please have a look on our Facebook page to see a great video of the event.

This week it was also a pleasure to meet so many parent/carers at our parent's evenings on Tuesday and Wednesday. We had some great feedback. For any parent/carers that were unable to attend this week, class teachers will be giving you a call after the Easter break to have a catch up.

The PTFA hosted their Easter Bonnet competition today. Thank you to all the grown-ups who supported the children at home to create some fabulous Easter Bonnets. Every child who entered will get a packet of sweets and a certificate and there will be a prize winner in each class. Please don't forget to sign up to come along to the PTFA Easter Egg Hunt tomorrow (Saturday 5th April) at the Junior school, and there will also be a tabletop sale that day.

House Points – congratulations to Sandbanks who won the house points this half term is 1503 points Lulworth came second with 1317 points, Brownsea 3rd with 1051 points and Arne came 4th with 1013 points.

Diary Dates

Return to School – Tuesday 22nd April

Cricket Engagement Days – An exciting opportunity for the children to take part in cricket sessions run by a professional coach from the Dorset Cricket Board. The sessions will run on **Thursday 24th April** at the Junior school and **Friday 25th April** at the Infant school – children should come into school wearing their PE kits on these days.

Year 5 & 6 Bikeability – 28th April – 8th May – parent/carers can sign up children using this link
<https://consent.bikeability.org.uk/bring-tired-chase>

SENDIASS Parent Champion in school – **Friday 2nd May** – Our parent champion will be in school during the morning to meet with parents on a 1:1 basis. If you would like an appointment with Malcolm, please contact the office.

Bank Holiday – Federation Closed – **Monday 5th May**

Year 6 SATS week – **Monday 12th to Thursday 15th May**

Class Photos – **Juniors Wednesday 21st May – Infants Thursday 22nd May** – Children should come to school in normal school uniform on these days.

Year 4 Alum Chine Beach Trip – **Thursday 22nd May**

Last Day of Half Term and Non-School Uniform Day – **Friday 23rd May** – donations to support the Hamwic Foundation Trust



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Day in the Life – A chance to see the whole school at work. Please sign up via the office – **Wednesday 11th June**.

Attendance - Congratulations to Willow, Oak, Larch and Elder classes for attendance over 96%. If your child is absent, we have a new email address: student-absence@livingstoneprimary.org. Please do not send absence emails to the office email.

Wishing you all a wonderful Easter holiday break and I am looking forward to welcoming you all back on Tuesday 22nd April.

Claire Addis, Executive Headteacher