



Friday 12th June 2026

Weekly Newsletter

Creative Builders LEGO Workshops

This week, our Year 1 and Year 6 children enjoyed taking part in exciting Creative Builders LEGO Workshops, where they put their teamwork, creativity and problem-solving skills to the test.

Year 1 worked collaboratively in small groups to design and build impressive medieval castles. Their creations included all the key features of a castle, such as towers, battlements, a drawbridge, curtain walls, a keep and a moat. The children then used their imaginations to add their own unique features before bringing their castles to life through imaginative play with the LEGO mini figures. To finish the session, they even had the opportunity to test the strength of their castles by launching projectiles with a catapult!

Meanwhile, Year 6 celebrated the excitement of the World Cup by designing and constructing their own LEGO football stadiums. Working together, they also created colourful national flags, adding an authentic international atmosphere to their impressive builds.

Across both workshops, it was wonderful to see the children communicating effectively, sharing ideas and supporting one another to overcome challenges. Their creativity, resilience and teamwork were on display throughout the day, making the workshops a fantastic learning experience for everyone involved.

Well done to both Year 1 and Year 6 for their outstanding effort and brilliant creations!

Parking Around School

We have recently received a number of concerns from local residents regarding vehicles being parked illegally and inconsiderately around the school at drop-off and collection times.

We would like to remind all parents and carers of the importance of parking safely, legally and with consideration for our neighbours. Please ensure that you do not park on double yellow lines, block driveways, obstruct pavements or park in locations that could compromise the safety of pedestrians and other road users.

We have been informed that these concerns have been reported to the police, who will be monitoring parking around the school and may take appropriate action where parking restrictions are not being followed.

The safety of our children, families and local community is our shared responsibility.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.

LSJP Sports Day 2026

Date: Monday 22nd June

- ✓ Children to have lunch in school
- ✓ Parents collect from school at 12:15pm
- ✓ Parents & children arrive at Leigh Harriers for 1pm
- ✓ Sports day begins at 1:15pm
- ✓ Sports day ends at 4pm
- 👉 All children arrive at school in full PE kit
- 📍 Venue: Leigh Harriers 📍

Well Done, Year 4!

A huge congratulations to all of our Year 4 Maths Ninjas for completing their Multiplication Tables Check this week.

It was fantastic to see the children approach the check with such confidence, determination and positivity. They tackled the challenge with smiles on their faces and should all be incredibly proud of the hard work and dedication they have shown throughout the year in learning their times tables.

Well done, Year 4 – you are all superstars! ★

★🌍🏆 Sporting News 🌍🏆★ 🎖️ Iron Kid's 🎖️

A huge congratulations to all of the children who took part in this year's Iron Kids event in Bolton on Saturday! With over 6,000 children taking part, it was an incredible occasion and a fantastic celebration of sport, determination and achievement. We are sure that everyone involved had an unforgettable experience. It has been wonderful hearing all about the event this week and seeing the children's fantastic medals. We are incredibly proud of everyone who took part and represented themselves so brilliantly. Well done to all of our Iron Kids – what an amazing achievement! 🌟

📖 Year 5 & 6 Visit to Leigh Library 📖

This week, our Year 5 and Year 6 children enjoyed a fantastic visit to Leigh Library, where they had the exciting opportunity to meet children's authors **Farhana Islam** and **Ashley Thorpe**.

Farhana Islam shared her inspiring journey to becoming a published author and introduced the children to several of her books, with a particular focus on *The Misadventures of Mina Mahmood: School Inspectors*. The children thoroughly enjoyed listening to the opening chapter.

Ashley Thorpe also gave a fascinating talk about his own journey to becoming an author. He spoke passionately about how, as a child, he rarely saw people who looked like him represented in the books he read. Determined to help change this, Ashley set out to become an author himself and has since published two books inspired by the rich folklore of Nigeria and Jamaica.

A huge thank you to Leigh Library, Farhana Islam and Ashley Thorpe for such an inspiring morning. We have no doubt that their visit has sparked a love of reading and writing and inspired the next generation of storytellers!

Preparing for

Next Year Together!

Transition Events for Parents & Children

We are excited to welcome our children into their new year groups!

To help them feel confident and ready, we have planned some special transition events.

MEET THE TEACHER EVENTS



Monday 29th June
8.15am – Year 6
with Mr Thomason



3.40pm – Year 1
with Mrs Boardman



Tuesday 30th June
8.15am – Year 5
with Miss Smith



3.40pm – Year 4
with Miss Corbett



Wednesday 1st July
8.15am – Year 3
with Mr Fiefield



3.40pm – Year 2
with Miss Jones



Children will have a number of visits to their new teachers and classrooms. These will begin the week beginning Monday 22nd June and will continue until the end of term.



Well Done, Year 1! 🧐🌟

A huge congratulations to all of our wonderful Year 1 children for completing their Phonics Screening Check this week.

They have worked incredibly hard all year to develop their phonics knowledge, and they should be extremely proud of the effort and resilience they have shown.

We are so proud of the way every child tried their very best and embraced the experience. Whether they were reading real words or tricky alien words, they all demonstrated fantastic perseverance and a positive attitude.

Well done, Year 1—you have all been absolute superstars! 🌟🧐

🍩 Doughnut Sale 🍩

Year 1 will be holding a doughnut sale after school on Thursday 18th June to help raise money for their upcoming visit to Skipton Castle. Doughnuts will be £1 each- please bring correct change if possible.

Thanks for your support!

DIARY DATES

DATE	Event
Each Sunday	St Mary's Church Sunday Service @ 10am with Sunday School. Junior Park 2K Run @ Leigh Sports Village (free for 4-11yr. Old's) 9am
Monday 15 th – Wednesday 17 th June	Year 5 Residential- Ghyll Head
Monday 22 nd June	LSJP Sports Day
Monday 29 th June	Meet the Teacher Events Begin

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SAT 13TH JUNE
12PM - 6PM

GOOD FOOD • GOOD DRINK • GOOD TIMES

- FOOD VENDORS**
- CLIMBING WALL**
- INFLATABLES**
- SINGERS**
- DANCE PERFORMANCES**
- LICENSED BAR**
- MAKERS MARKET**
- DISC GOLF**
- CADET EXHIBITION**

AMAZING FOOD

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LOCAL FLAVOURS

FOOD TO FEAST ON!

- PIZZA IN A BOX**
PIZZAS
- BEVS SNACK SHACK**
BURGERS & HOT DOGS
- GIZ A CHIP**
LOADED FRIES
- THAT SECRET INGREDIENT**
CAKES
- THE GINDEPENDENT**
BEER, COFFEE, SOFT DRINKS
- WINGS N THINGS**
CHICKEN WINGS
- SUSHMA SNACKS**
INDIAN STREET FOOD

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ENTERTAINMENT TO ENJOY!

- NORTHERN STARR**
PERFORMING ARTS
- ZU**
VOCAL COACHING
- RF**
DANCE
- SPIRIX**
DANCE . FITNESS . COMMUNITY
- GEMSTONE**
DANCE ACADEMY
- 94 STUDIO**
DANCE & PERFORMING ARTS
- LIVE ACTS**

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GREAT ENTERTAINMENT FOR ALL THE FAMILY!