

# News from Lealholm Primary school



# Life at Lealholm

What an amazing day we had on Wednesday for our canoeing trip! The children all showed excellent bravery, team work and communication skills when canoeing in the river and whilst playing water-based games!

We are incredibly proud of all of our children well done Team Lealholm!













# **Attendance**

Our attendance this week is 99%







# **Year 6 Leavers Night Out**

The children had a great time at Jump 360 and refuelled at McDonalds.















## **Headteacher's Message**

#### Farewell to Mr. Nightingale

We say a fond farewell to Mr. Nightingale, who began his journey with us as an ECT and quickly became an outstanding teacher and literacy specialist. His passion for phonics and deep knowledge of the Little Wandle programme have inspired staff and pupils alike, and his work across our Trust and the wider county has made a lasting impact. We're incredibly proud of his new role with Little Wandle and wish him every success. He will be greatly missed — and we hope he'll come back to visit soon!

As we reach the end of another school year, I want to take a moment to reflect on what has been a truly remarkable journey for our school community.

A huge thank you to our incredible staff team, who have worked tirelessly to support our journey of improvement. Your commitment, care, and belief in every child have made all the difference.

To our wonderful Friends of Lealholm School (FOLS) and wider community—thank you for your continued support and fundraising efforts. Whether it's organising events, lending a hand, or cheering us on, your involvement helps make our school the vibrant, nurturing place it is.

To our children—thank you for your hard work, your enthusiasm, and the joy you bring to school every day. You make us proud in so many ways.

We also say goodbye to our Year 6 leavers, who have grown into confident, kind, and capable young people ready for their next adventure. We'll miss you, but we know you'll go on to do great things.

As we look ahead to September, we do so with excitement and promise. There are new opportunities on the horizon, and together, we'll continue to grow, learn, and make our school the best it can be.

Wishing you all a restful and joyful summer break.

# **Headteacher's Award**

The headteacher award this week goes to our fantastic Year 6 children-Lily, Isaac and Oliverfor their hard work and determination. They have all worked extremely hard this year and we could not be prouder of them all.

#### Jack and the Beanstalk

The Jack and the Beanstalk winner is Liv.

<u>Afterschool Clubs-</u>Consent for after school clubs in the Autumn term will be send out in September.

#### Music lessons

Music lessons will be on Thursday. Please ensure your child has their musical instruments with them.

#### Information for the next academic year

- Swimming will be every other Tuesday starting on the 9<sup>th</sup> September.
- Music lessons will be on a Thursday.
- PE will be on Fridays

#### Lunch Menu for the first week back

Monday- Training day Tuesday- Training day

Wednesday- Minced beef and Dumpling

Thursday- Hot Dog Friday- Battered Fish







# Key Dates - Autumn 2025

# Music Sessions – Thursdays LC Sport Sessions - Fridays

#### September

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Swimming
Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Phonics Meeting
Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Swimming

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> KS2 Orienteering /Beck Scramble

#### October

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> GOAL

\* Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Harvest Festival Tuesday 7th \* Swimming Thursday 9th \* Parliament Assy Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Parents Evenng Monday 20th \* Tempest Photography

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Swimming
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Sponsored Walk
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> Reading Café 2.45 pm

#### November

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> Swimming

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Stay and Play

❖ Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Swimming
❖ Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Flu Vacinations
❖ Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Children in Need

❖ Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> LW Live
❖ Friday 28<sup>th</sup> Parent Forum

#### **December**

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Carol Concert 2.00 pm
Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Christmas Performance
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Christmas Performance
Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Christmas Lunch
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Christmas Party

## Term Dates 2025 - 2026

- ❖ Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September PD Day
- ❖ Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September PD Day
- First day of Autumn Term Wednesday 3rd September 2025
- Oct half term Monday 27th Friday 31st October 2025
- ❖ Last Day of Autumn Term Friday 19th December 2025







- ❖ Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January PD Day
- First Day of Spring Term Tuesday 6th January 2026
- Feb half term Monday 16th February Friday 20th February 2026
- ❖ Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March PD Day
- Last Day of Spring Term Friday 27th March 2026
- First Day of Summer Term Monday 13th April 2026
- May Day Monday 4th May 2026
- May half term Monday 25th May Friday 29th May 2026
  - ❖ Last Day of Summer Term Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2026

#### Term Dates 2026/2027

- Staff Training Day Monday 7th September 2026
- Staff Training Day Tuesday 8th September 2026
- ❖ First day of Autumn Term Wednesday 9th September 2026
- Half-term Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October 2026
- End of Autumn Term Friday 18th December 2026
- Training Day Monday 4th January 2027
- Half-term Monday Half Term Monday 8th February to Friday 12th February 2027
- Last day of Spring Term Friday 19th March 2027
- Staff Training Day Monday 5th April 2027
- First day of Summer Term Tuesday 6th April 2027
- Bank Holiday Monday 5th May 2027
- ❖ Half Term Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June 2027
- ❖ Last day of Summer Term Friday 23rd July 2027
- Staff Training Day Monday 26th July 2027

Please avoid booking term time holidays, especially during assessment weeks















