

LANDAU FORTE ACADEMY MOORHEAD NEWSLETTER

4 November 2014

SENCO

For your information, as from September 2014, Miss Selby has become our Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator at Landau Forte Academy Moorhead.

ATTENDANCE

A big thank you to parents and children for an excellent attendance for Term 1, we have beat our target of 95% last year with our attendance currently being 96.2%. With your help and support I am sure we can continue this into Term 2.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE - SHOEBOXES

Reminder - the last date to receive Shoeboxes is this **Friday, 7 November**. If you are struggling to get a shoebox there are ones available from the Office for you to make up.



POPPY APPEAL

These are available to purchase from the Academy and Team Captains will be going round classrooms every afternoon for children who wish to purchase one - minimum donation 20p. Thank you.

ACADEMY PHOTOGRAPHS

Individual and family group photographs will be taken tomorrow **Wednesday, 5 November**. Any parents who wish their family to be photographed together and their **siblings do not attend the Academy**, may come to the hall **from 8:30am** to be photographed together. All children who attend the Academy will be automatically photographed with their siblings on the day.

DAD'S ROCK

Calling all Male Carers!

You are invited to attend the launch event of our new group Dad's Rock.

Thursday 6 November 2014

3.30 - 5pm

Osmaston/Allenton Children's Centre

Dad's Rock is a new weekly group being held every Thursday 3.30 - 5pm for you to attend with your children to meet other male carers and their children in a relaxed atmosphere at Osmaston/Allenton Children's Centre.

The launch event is to give you the opportunity to come and meet staff and share your ideas on how the group can develop in the future for yourselves and your children.

ACADEMY CHRISTMAS DINNER

This is to be held on **Wednesday, 10 December**, unfortunately it is too late now to book a dinner for any children who are sandwiches. They will however still enjoy the fun in the hall along with the other children.



CLASS ASSEMBLIES

Parents are welcome to come to our class assemblies which will take place this term. They will begin around 9am and last approximately 15 minutes. Refreshments will be served. Grandparents and siblings are welcome. The dates for this term are:

Tuesday 2 December Flamingoes



ACADEMY COUNCIL NEWS!

We will be celebrating this on **Friday, 14 November**, and

for a £1 donation children may come to the Academy dressed as their favourite 'Superhero'!



PTFA

Next event: Non-Uniform Day, Friday, 28 November, children may come to the Academy dressed in their own clothes for a donation of a chocolate bar or a packet of sweets which will be used at the Christmas Fayre.

Forthcoming Events:

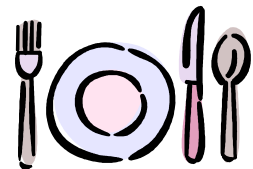
Table Top Sale - Saturday, 29 November: Tables are £5 each, forms are now available from the Office.

Christmas Fayre - Friday, 5 December, 3:30pm-5:00pm.

Next PTFA Meeting: Monday, 10 November, 3:30pm in Wrens all welcome to attend.

ACADEMY DINNERS

For those parents who wish to pay termly for their dinners the cost for this term will be: £63.00.



Can parents please be reminded to send payment in an envelope with your child's name & class clearly written on.

If you are unable to pay for your child's dinner on a Monday morning please make sure you send them with sandwiches and let Mrs Moseley in the office know.

Cost of an Academy meal: £1.80 a day - £9.00 a week. If paying by cheque please make it payable to 'Landau Forte College'.

Please remember if you wish to change your child from dinners to sandwiches Mrs Moseley requires 2 WEEKS NOTICE in writing - thank you.

If you think your child/ren may be entitled to free meals please collect a form from the Academy office. Even if your child is in the Infants and having the Universal Free School Meals, the Academy receives extra funding for children who claim free meals. If you have any questions regarding filling out the form please do not hesitate to ask at the office.



PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

This is an award given to a child who has done something exceptional during the week:

Congratulations to:

10-10-14 Robins Doha Abdula

For finding her big voice!
Well done Doha.

17-10-14 Cranes Tyler-Lee Shepherd

For showing kindness and being helpful to a child in Reception.

ASHLEY STEWART CUP

This is awarded to children who have shown good manners, a caring attitude and are a considerate member of the class:

Congratulations to:

10-10-14 Kingfishers Hayley Acton

For consistent outstanding behaviour and work attitude. Hayley is a pleasure to have in Kingfishers and is a fantastic role model to others.

17-10-14 Woodpeckers Maria Klemarova

For consistent outstanding behaviour and work attitude - a pleasure to teach.

WRITING CUP

This is awarded to children who have made consistent improvement in an area of their writing:

Congratulations to:

10-10-14 Kingfishers Jessica Dunn

For creating superb pieces of descriptive writing using similes, powerful verbs and amazing adjectives. Well done Jessica, keep it up!

17-10-14 Woodpeckers Kelsey Crawford

For creating interesting and descriptive writing by using adjectives and connectives.

MATHS AWARD

This is awarded to children who have shown exceptional mathematical thinking and reasoning:

Congratulations to:

10-10-14	Kingfishers	Kian Carias	For applying his mathematical skills and understanding to solving real life problems.
17-10-14	Woodpeckers	Chanell Price	For using her mathematical knowledge to solve subtraction questions on a number line.

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HOLIDAYS

Reminder we break up for the end of Term 2 on **Friday, 19 December at 3:15pm** and return to the Academy for Term 3 on **Monday, 5 January at 8:50am.**