



# Landau Forte Academy Moorhead Newsletter

25 August 2015

## WELCOME

We would like to extend a warm welcome to Dr Dixon who has joined us in Blackbirds. Dr Dixon will be teaching Blackbirds up until Christmas. Mrs Parker has been appointed to this role and will commence in the New Year.

**upbeat** This academic year Upbeat Dance is going to be available for Infant children only. Classes take place on a Monday straight after the Academy ends at 3:15pm and finishes at 4:15pm. If your child is interested in joining please collect a letter from the office.

## PARENT & PUPIL QUESTIONNAIRE

Thank you to the 51 parents/carers who filled in the questionnaire. We really appreciate your feedback and the results were very positive with over 90% agreeing that their child makes good progress, feels safe, is well looked after and is well taught. Over 90% also considered the Academy to be well managed and would recommend the Academy to other parents. The senior leadership will be responding and addressing any areas where the Academy was considered to be less effective. The children have also taken part in the survey and we are working on any areas that the children have raised concerns. We are however thrilled that 100% of our children believe that the Academy helps them to be healthy. If you did not complete the questionnaire and wish to do so please collect one from the parents' noticeboard.



*Action & Adventure*

Boreatton Park, Shropshire from **Wednesday, 30 September - Friday, 2 October 2015.**

Numbers have now been finalised for the above trip for our Year 6 children who have signed up for the above.

## **ERIC**

'Everybody Reading in Class' this has now started again for our junior pupils. Parents can come into class to read with their children between 08:45-08:55. Can parents be reminded that this is not a time to discuss any issues with the teacher and is just for reading. Parents with infant children may bring them to ERIC and then take them down to their class at 08:50.

## **INTERNET SAFETY**

Mr Haslam delivered a very important assembly on Internet Safety during assembly on Tuesday. Please could you take some time to discuss with your children the potential dangers of the Internet? If you wish to view and discuss with your children the video shown during assembly please visit <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-nMUbHuffO8>.

There are also some excellent websites including:

<http://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

<http://www.childline.org.uk/Explore/OnlineSafety/Pages/OnlineSafety.aspx>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>

If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff.

## **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                      29 September                      Herons**

**PTFA**

**Next Event: Disco Friday, 9 October 2015.**

### **PANTOMIME DATES!**

We are once again booking to take the whole Academy to see Cinderella at the Derby Theatre. The dates are:

Infant children - Monday, 14 December

Junior children - Thursday, 17 December

The cost of this trip will be £10 and a letter giving further details and asking for payment will be sent out later in the year.

### **RENEWAL OF ACADEMY FREE SCHOOL MEALS**

Thank you to all the parents who have renewed the above. Reminder to infant parents that even though your child is entitled to the Universal Free School Meals you can still apply for free school meals, forms are available from the Office, some of the Academy funding is based on this. Thank you.

### **WATER BOTTLES**

Reminder that children should have one of the above in the Academy to have a drink during the day; these are available from the Office at a cost of £1.

**WE ARE  
MACMILLAN.  
CANCER SUPPORT**



### **MACMILLAN COFFEE AFTERNOON**

Having a coffee afternoon is the perfect chance to catch up over a cuppa and a slice of something delicious for a great cause.

We will be holding our coffee afternoon on Friday, 25 September, at 2:45pm, £1.50 for a coffee & cake. Extra cakes will be on sale, free coffee refills - tea also available!

### **SUN SAFE SCHOOLS**

Many thanks for your support.



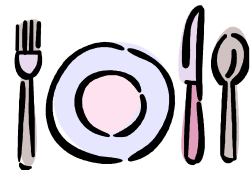
## ACADEMY COUNCIL NEWS!

*Next event: to be confirmed.*

## ACADEMY DINNERS

**Reminder - 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.**

## WRITING CUP

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

Congratulations to:

10-07-15 Liam Lindsay Was For making an extra effort last term  
Finches to finish his writing and for using interesting vocabulary.

## MATHS AWARD

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

Congratulations to:

10-07-15 Josie Payne Was: For always trying her hardest and  
Finches for attempting every challenge.  
Well done Josie.

## PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

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

Congratulations to:

Starts Friday 28 August

## 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:

10-07-15 Haydee Young Was: Finches For being a friendly and caring member of Finches. Haydee always puts in 100% effort into everything she does. A great asset to Finches.

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Reminder we break up **Friday,**  
**16 October at 3:15pm** and return to the Academy on **Monday,**  
**2 November at 8:50am.**