



Friday 24th September 2021

Newsletter 3

Welcome back!

Our busy start to the term continued this week with drumming lessons now in full flow. The children are really enjoying working with DCP drumming and are already making real progress. The team from DCP Drums have been so impressed with the response to the drumming and the enthusiasm from every child having lessons.

This week we also welcomed Daniel Richards from Xpress Coaching Services who introduced the school to wheelchair basketball. The children who got to work with Dan thoroughly enjoyed the lessons (as did the staff!) Dan taught us the basic skills needed for wheelchair basketball before playing a few games to practise our skills. We really hope to be able to welcome Dan back to work with the children some more later in the year.

Also this week, Oak Class visited Colonel Frank Seeley for the first time this year to undertake science experiments. It is so important for the Year 6 to spend time in a secondary school this year, becoming more familiar with the surroundings and the routines in secondary education. These opportunities also allow the children to develop their scientific knowledge in real science labs. We are currently looking to offer more opportunities to Oak Class as well as Beech and Pine.

Today, Elm and Birch are heading to Carlton Academy to undertake multi-skills. The children are really excited to be going. For some of these children, it will be their first school trip! I look forward to telling you more about this next week.

Kind regards Lee Chrístopher

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Allergies.

A quick reminder from me that it is essential that <u>NO</u> packed lunches or snacks for school contain nuts (of any kind). I have had to speak to a few children this week who were eating Nutella sandwiches or Nutella snack bars.

I appreciate that the vast majority of the children in school do not have nut allergies <u>however I must stress that those</u> <u>who do, have a severe nut allergy and we must work</u> <u>together to keep everyone safe.</u>

Please ensure that no child comes to school with nut based snacks or lunches. I thank you for your support with this extremely important message.

Parents' Evening

Following my letter earlier in the week, can I remind all parents that our teacher/parent consultations will take place on **Monday 4th October** and **Wednesday 6th October** via Zoom.

Please remember to email the office with your preferences for Parents' Evening so we can plan the days and allocate times.

Teachers will send Zoom links in due course. Thank you.

We believe that safeguarding children is everyone's responsibility.

At Lambley we are committed to keeping our children safe from harm. Lee Christopher, Rebecca Shardlow and Jennifer Swinburne have responsibility for safeguarding & child protection. If we have any concerns reported to us we will always take action to protect a child and inform the relevant agencies.