

Week Commencing 10th September
All clubs/Activities start this week (see list)

Monday 10th – Swimming for Forms 2 & 3 begins

Tuesday 11th – Head Boy, Head Girl, Deputy Head Boy, Deputy Head Girl and Head Librarian trip to Stephen Smith's Garden Centre to select a year tree

Wednesday 12th – Junior Information Evening for Forms 5, LVI & UVI – 6.00pm in the hall

Friday 14th – UVI planting year tree up on the school field with Rev. Martyn Weaver

Coming Soon

Friday 21st September – Macmillan Coffee Morning in the hall – 8.15am

I hope you have all enjoyed the wonderful summer. It was lovely to have the children back in school with us this week sharing tales of their adventures and holidays they have been on. May I extend a very warm welcome to all the new families who join us this academic year.

A huge thank you for all the wonderful array of gifts bestowed upon us all at the end of last term, you really do spoil us!

We warmly welcome back Miss Burraway who has been absent through illness. She joins Miss Creasey in Lower Kindergarten. We also welcome back Miss Holmes following her maternity leave, who will be joining the Kindergarten team alongside Mrs Wilson and Mrs Kernick.

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Mrs Claire Moffat as our Mathematics coordinator and year 6 teacher, alongside Mrs Smith (Deputy Head) for September 2018. Mrs Moffat has been our part time Science specialist over the past few years and is delighted to have the opportunity to take on this challenging and exciting role in school. Mrs Moffat will take over the teaching of Mathematics in Lower 6 and Upper 6 from September and will coordinate Mathematics throughout school. Mrs Moffat will continue in her present role of Science specialist alongside her new role and will be raising the profile of STEM (science, technology, engineering and maths) in school.

Thank you for your continued support and we are looking forward to a year of enrichment, learning and fun.

Lastly, we congratulate Mr & Mrs Walker on the birth of their beautiful daughter Freya Rose who was born on Saturday 4th August at 10:26 am weighing 9lb5oz! I am sure you will agree she is gorgeous.



Best wishes to you all from Mr N Saunders and all the staff.

Lady Lane Park School

Clubs and Activities –Autumn Term 2018-19

To start week commencing Monday 10th September 2018 unless stated.

Day	Time	Location			Staff
		Hall/Gym	Outside	Classroom	
Monday	1.00-1.30	Jnr Choir – starting week commencing 17 th September. (F4-U6)			Mrs Cartwright Mrs Lorimer
	3.30-4.30	Table Tennis (L6-U6)			Miss Raw Mrs Mulligan
	3.30-4.30			Art Club (F4-F5)	Mrs Cardus
	3.30-4.30			Homework clinic (L6-U6)	Mrs Arnold
	4.30-5.40	Dance (F4-F5)			Mrs Hudson
	3.30-4.30	Jnr G&S		Gym/Music room	Mrs Earl Mrs Lorimer
Tuesday	3.30-5.30	Gym Club			Mrs Waters
Wednesday	2.10-2.30	Table Tennis (F2-F3)			Miss Raw
	3.30-4.15	Table Tennis (F4-F5)			Miss Raw
	3.30-TBC	Ballet			Mrs Prescott
	3.30-5.30		Fixtures		Mr Saunders Mr Walker Mrs Smith
	7.00-8.00p.m	Leavers' Dance			Mrs Hudson
Thursday	8.00-9.00	Dance (F2-F3)			Mrs Hudson
	3.30-4.15		Activ-8 (F1)		Mrs Kernick Mrs Wilson
	9-12.30	Voice works			Mrs Cartwright
	3.30-5.00	Act 4			Mrs Cartwright
	3.30-4.15			STEM club (F3)	Mrs Moffat
	3.30-4.45		Football club (F2-U6)		Mr Walker Mr Saunders
	3.30-4.45		Netball club (F3-U6)		Mrs Smith
Friday	8.00-8.30	Jnr Running Club-- starting week commencing 17 th September. (F4-U6)			Mr Walker (Coordinator)
	9-12.30	Keyboard			Mrs Cartwright
	3.30-5.00	Dance (L6-U6)			Mrs Hudson

Parking – Please be considerate to our neighbours!

We know there are difficulties with the main school car park, but we are in fact lucky to have a car park at all, many schools don't have this facility. Please however, can I ask you **not** to park on the road below the school i.e. Byron Mews or anywhere below the school car park entrance. Please will you also walk with your child to and from the playground. The road outside school is far too busy and congested just to allow your children to cross the road on their own. Children rarely look to see if a car is coming, they just walk blindly across and possibly into the path of a passing car. Care, consideration and **SAFETY** must be our watchword, for **all** our children.

Please also be courteous to our neighbours in the houses near The Lodge and don't park in any of the parking spaces allocated to their houses, or adjacent apartments, or park in such an inconsiderate way that residents are prevented from leaving their own property. It is a very short walk if you park down Lady Lane.

Welcome Evening – Forms 5, LVI & UVI

All F5, LVI & UVI parents are invited to our welcome evening on Wednesday 12th September at 6.00pm in the school hall.

This is an informal evening to meet the teaching staff and discuss what they have in store for your children this year! You will also be given a welcome booklet containing lots of useful information and it will be a chance for you to ask any questions or queries you might have.

I do hope you can join us.

Mr N Saunders

Swimming lesson for Forms 2 and 3

The first session will take place on Monday 10th September, 2018 at Bingley Swimming Baths. Please will you ensure that the children have a towel, the school swimming costume/trunks which are plain navy (and white/blue swimming caps for girls). Please could we also ask that children do not bring swimming bags with long strings attached, last year there was a few accidents with children and staff tripping over the handles!

This is a special reminder for all Form 1 parents. Swimming lessons for your children **will not start until Monday 5th November** – but they will need the above 'kit' by then.

Children can wear their **trainers** alongside their school tracksuit instead of school shoes.

If anyone has gained any swimming badges during the holidays, please let me know as soon as possible.

Miss S Raw

Football Club

Football Club commences on Thursday 13th September for Form 2 – UVI at 3.30pm – 4.45pm. All welcome to attend, remember you need your school games kit (Form 4 – UVI or PE Kit Form 2 plus tracksuit) football boots and shin pads to play. Parents, please will you collect your child/children straight from the field.

Mr N Saunders & Mr C Walker & Mr Rawlins

Netball Club

Starts on Thursday 13th September for **Form 3 - UVI** inclusive from 3.30pm – 4.45pm on the school netball court at the field. Please sign up on the notice board along the Form1/2 corridor by the gym. All welcome.

Collection straight from the field please at 4.45pm.

Mrs K Smith

Forest Schools

We are looking forward to starting our Forest School program this year; dates as follows

Autumn Term

Half Term 1	Half Term 2
12/09/18 Form 2	07/11/18 Form 2
19/09/18 Form 3	14/11/18 Form 3
26/09/18 Form 4	21/11/18 Form 4
03/10/18 Lower 6	28/11/18 Form 5
10/10/18 Upper 6	05/12/18 Lower 6
17/10/18 Form 5	12/12/18 Upper 6

Spring Term

Half Term 1	Half Term 2
09/01/19 Form 2	27/02/19 Form 2
16/01/19 Form 3	06/03/19 Form 4
23/01/19 Form 4	13/03/19 Form 3
30/01/19 Form 5	20/03/19 Form 5
06/02/19 Lower 6	27/03/19 Lower 6
13/02/19 Upper 6	03/04/19 Upper 6

Summer Term

Half Term 1	Half Term 2
24/04/19 Form 2	12/06/19 Form 2
01/05/19 Form 3	19/06/19 Form 4
08/05/19 Activity Week	26/06/19 Form 1
15/05/19 Form 1	03/07/19 KG/LKG
22/05/19 KG/LKG	10/07/19 F3

The Forest School Team (Mrs A Grote, Mrs S Cardus & Mrs J Saunders)

YOUNG VOICES Reminder for Parents of Children in F4 to U6

We still have a few places available for Junior pupils to attend the **Young Voices concert at the Sheffield FYLDSA arena, on Tuesday January 15th 2019**. This is an amazing opportunity for all children who love singing to join with approx. 5000 other voices in an arena concert as part of a massed choir.

The massed choir, of which your child can be a member, will sing a variety of music with amazing artists, from all different backgrounds. The song list for the concert includes 2 songs from Disney's Moana, a medley from Greatest Showman, Viva la Vida by Coldplay and lots of others. There will be opportunities for songs to be practised at school this term and at home using online resources. Family and friends can attend the concert as members of the audience. For further information about the event contact me via the School Office or look at www.youngvoices.co.uk/for-parents/

If your child is currently in F4-U6 and would like to attend then please complete a form and return to Mrs Wright **by Friday September 21st** (Mrs Wright has the form in the office).

Mrs C Lorimer

Menu 10.9.18

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
Sausage Rolls / Quorn	Baked potato	Spaghetti Bolognese/Quorn Bologanise	Roast Chicken/ Quorn Escalope	Fish Cakes
Diced Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables	Cheesy Beans	Apple Pie & Cream	Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots & Broccoli	New Potatoes & Peas/ Sweetcorn
Jam Sponge & Custard	Chocolate Krispy Buns		Sultana Sponge & Custard	Large Homemade Cookie

Our September Check list!

Office Administration

Mrs Wright (School Secretary) is at her desk from 8.30am, please ring **after 9.00am** if you need to leave a message re a child's absence or you can email her on secretary@ladylanepark.co.uk

For any new families recently divorced or separated, or who hold joint custody or interest in a child's progress, are welcome to apply **in writing** to the office for a copy of their child's report. In such cases, the original report is usually forwarded to the parent responsible for the payment of the school fees.

Please note our weekly bulletin can always be found on our website www.ladylaneparkschool.co.uk Bulletins are emailed out every Friday. If you change your e.mail address please remember to tell Mrs Wright so she can amend your records. This also applies to mobile telephones, so please let us know if you change yours during the course of the year to enable us to contact you via our text messaging service should the need arise.

Please make sure you read the bulletin, all current and up to date information is in it!

Payment of Fees

Please note that the preferred method of payment is by transfer directly to our bank account, as detailed in the letter with your invoice. However if you can only pay by cheque, this must be sent in a sealed envelope marked for the attention of Mrs Wright in the school office. Credit or debit card payments can be made by contacting Mrs Wright who can set this up for you via School Money. All queries regarding fees or payment methods should also be directed to Mrs Wright.

Fees are due on or before the first day of each term.

Notice to Leave

As per our Terms & Agreement and via the Acceptance Agreement which you have all signed when you registered your child with the school, please note the following:-

- If you intend to remove your child from Lady Lane Park School at the end of the Autumn Term, 2018 you should already have given notice on the last day of the previous term i.e. Tuesday 10th July, 2018.
- If you intend to remove your child from Lady Lane Park School at the end of the Spring Term, 2019 you need to give notice on the last day of the previous term i.e. Friday 14th December, 2018.
- If you intend to remove your child from Lady Lane Park School at the end of the Summer Term, 2019 you need to give notice on the last day of the previous term i.e. Friday 5th April, 2019.

Notice must be in writing to Mr Saunders by letter and/or e.mail. If you fail to submit the correct notice you will be liable for a term's fees in lieu of notice, all notices will be acknowledged. If you do not receive confirmation please get in touch with the school and speak to Mrs Wright as this indicates it has not been received.

Medicines

If your child is unwell and requires prescribed medicine, please make sure you fill in a Medicine Form obtainable from the school office. If your child attends Early Bird crèche, Mrs Simmonite also has some forms available. **Without the permission form, we are unable to give any medicines.**

If your child has any medicines in school on a permanent basis, a Medicine Form also needs to be filled in and renewed **each term**. This is **your** responsibility – so please ensure medicines are clearly named and all the appropriate paperwork is with Mrs Wright.

Sickness Policy

In an important effort to keep all children and staff as healthy as possible, – our rule re children who have been unwell, particularly with sickness and/or diarrhoea, is that you **must** keep them away from school for a minimum of **48 hours** after the last episode. This helps to stop the spread of infections!

School Hours

The school day begins for all children at 8.40am and ends at 3.30pm. The main school doors will not open until 8.30am and children should be supervised by a **parent** until that time. A member of staff will be on duty in the playground from **8.30am - 8.40am**. The classroom doors are open for both Lower Kindergarten and Kindergarten at 8.30am.

The bells the bells !!!

The morning parent's bell, and the children's bell!

Just before 8.40am we ring the school bell – this is the parent's bell and is the signal for all parents/grandparents to wave good bye to the children and leave the playground. A few minutes later, we ring the bell again – this is the children's bell and is their signal to 'line up' ready for their class teachers to take them into school. I'm sure you'll soon get the hang of it – but if not – then the children will be happy to remind you.

Lower Kindergarten

Please notify the school office or liaise with the Lower Kindergarten team if you wish to increase any of your child's sessions. An increase in sessions can be made at **any time** during the school year.....we always try and accommodate all children where we possibly can.

The only time we will not be able to accommodate you is if the session is already full due to staff/children ratios.

Uniform

Other than Kindergarten and our new children entering school for the first time, all children should wear their full **summer** uniform until October Half Term. Please ensure that all items of uniform are clearly labelled for there will be a uniform check, so don't be caught out! Please ensure that name tapes are clearly visible – the sewn in ones are certainly the best. Please don't forget that caps for the boys and hats for the girls are worn by all children from Kg – Form 5

inclusive. If you purchase an item of uniform from our New to You shop, please ensure that all former name labels are removed!

The Homework Folder - LKG - UVI

The school folders for Lkg - Form 3 are priced at £6.50 and the folders for Forms 4 – UVI are priced at £8.50. All items can be purchased from the School Office. Please do not let your child attach any key ring/'embellishments' to their folder!!

Crèche

May I remind parents that we have a fabulous crèche facility. The cost is £3.50 per half hour which includes a drink and snack.

Early Birds is run by Miss Wright, Miss Saunders and Mrs Simmonite and is available from 7.30am at The Lodge. We offer cereal, toast and drink in our 'breakfast club' for those children who are in Early Birds between 7.30am – 8.15am.

Night Owls will be run by Mrs Simmonite and Mr Rawling and is held every evening at The Lodge from 3.30pm until 6.00pm. Those children in the Junior Department wanting to complete homework tasks will have a quiet corner designated for this purpose upstairs at The Lodge.

For those children who attend crèche and are then going on to a 4.30pm club or activity, or who will be staying well beyond 4.30 pm, we shall be offering a sandwich to help 'put them on' until they get home for their tea.

Mrs Simmonite and Mr Rawling will be assisted by our Sixth Form student from Beckfoot School, Miss Rosie Wright. The children in Lower Kindergarten - Form 3 will be based in Lower Kindergarten's room with the junior children using the upstairs room as usual.

Prompt collection of children at 6.00pm is expected. Crèche mobile phone no. 07528 401694. Please note, the crèche facility will be withdrawn from any family who persistently collect their child **after** 6.00pm!! Both Early Bird and Night Owl crèche is available to any children at any time, there is no need to telephone the office or pre book any sessions, the facility is there for you to use as and when you need it. The cost for each full term will be billed at the end of each month via School Money.

Badges

House badges, available from the School Office at a cost of 50p and are worn on the school sweater or cardigan. Badges should be worn at all times.

Junior School Games Bags - Form 4 - UVI

These can **only** be purchased via the School Office at a cost of £25.00. The school bags are required as a 'games' bag for children in the Junior Department i.e. Forms 4 - UVI inclusive and should only be in school on 'games days'.

The bags are exclusively endorsed by the Australian Physiotherapy Association and are proven to reduce the severity of harmful postural response to carriage of weight and they have a reflective strip for added safety.

Junior Games Lessons

Please will you ensure that all games kit is brought to school inside the large blue school games bag and not separately in carrier bags or sports bags. Boot bags are the only exception to this.

Games sessions for 2018-19 are: Tuesday F4 & F5, Wednesday L6 & U6

Art and Science Overalls for the junior children

These blue overalls should be in school at all times. They really only need to be washed at the end of each half term. Please ensure that they are clearly named, for they are all identical as you know, and a nightmare to track down if one goes missing without its name tape! The overall should 'live' in each individual child's school pump bag.

Healthy Eating

We more than welcome the children bringing a piece of fruit or a healthy snack bar, no chocolate, crisps or anything that needs refrigerating and please remember we are a nut free school. All children are also offered an apple for their morning break. We will always encourage them to drink plenty of water throughout the day and we have drinking water fountains in school.

Please remember we are a **nut free school**, for we have children in school who are severely allergic to nuts.

Caps & Straw Boaters

Caps and straw boaters are **not** worn by Lower & Upper VI children but all other children in school are expected to wear theirs please on entry and exit from school.

Long trousers for boys in LVI & UVI

Please be aware that these are an option for the boys in L & UVI only, although school shorts can always be worn if desired, especially in summer!

The Ornamental Bridge & Pond Area in front of the school

Please do not allow your children to play on the bridge or around the pond – we do not own this area and must respect the rights of the people living in the Mansion. The children are taught to keep to the main path near school - please help us to enforce this at the end of the day when you take your children home. The children know that the pond, the bridge and the surrounding grassy areas are all out of bounds for them – please support us with this vital rule. The pond is not very deep, but potentially dangerous none the less for unsupervised children.

Clubs & Activities

Specialist Tuition

*** Please contact any of the specialists directly should your child wish to commence lessons or join a club ***

Drum Kit/Percussion

These are run by our percussion specialist, Mr Graham Sykes who can be contacted on 7910 779288 or grahamsykes@rockschool.co.uk. Mr Sykes is in school every Wednesday.

Piano Tuition

Lessons are conducted each **Tuesday** from 7.45am to 3.30pm by our specialist Mr Robert Sudall BMus (Hons)/Grad.RNCM and will commence on Tuesday 11th September in the Music Room. Mr Sudall takes pupils from 3 years old upwards. Please contact him directly on 07986 659034 or robertsudall@gmail.com for further details.

Keyboard

The first session this year begins on **Friday** 14th September in the morning. New members are welcome from the Junior Department, please contact Mrs Cartwright on 01274 560561 for further details.

Brass Tuition

Lessons are conducted by Miss Rebecca Long and she can be contacted on becky.long93@gmail.com. Miss Long will be in school every Tuesday and lessons will commence on 11th September.

Singing Tuition – Voiceworks

Lessons take place on **Mondays** and **Thursdays** from 9.30am onwards and are taken by Mrs Margarette Cartwright. They will commence on Monday 10th September and Thursday 13th September in the gym. Please contact Mrs Cartwright for further details on 01274 560561 if you would like your child to join.

Ballet & Jazz

Lessons are conducted each **Wednesday** by Mrs Jaki Prescott-Stoddart. Tuition will commence, Wednesday 12th September. Mrs Prescott-Stoddart is available before lessons to speak with any new parents of girls and boys who may be interested in joining the class. Lessons take place in the hall.

Beginners Ballet for children in Kindergarten, Form 1 and Form 2 will be on Wednesdays in the little gym from **3.30 to 4.20**.

Senior Ballet and Modern for children aged 6yrs and upwards will be on Wednesdays in the Hall at **4.20 until 5.20**.

Children can be collected from and returned to crèche at your request. I hope that the earlier times will make it easier for children and parents. I look forward to welcoming any child who would like to learn to dance regardless of age or experience in September.

Please note that any child from Lower Kindergarten – UVI inclusive can join these classes. You can contact Mrs Prescott-Stoddart direct on chance2dance@hotmail.co.uk.

Gym Club

Lessons take place each **Tuesday**:-
Beginners - from 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Advanced - 4.30pm - 5.30pm

Lessons will commence Tuesday 11th September in the main hall. Please contact us on llpsgymclub@gmail.com or speak to us after school on Tuesday if you would like further information.

Mrs V Waters & Mrs M Vyse

Speech & Drama Tuition

Lessons with Mrs Druett will commence on **Thursday 13th** September.

Please contact Mrs Lisa Druett on 07535 702548 or Lisa.druett@sky.com for further information or if you would like your child to take lessons.

Dance Club

The new year of exciting dance begins next week! We have a lot of hard work to do to live up to the fabulous success of Footsteps 18 but I already have Footsteps 19 planned with lots of amazing choreography already spinning in my head!

Please put the following dates in your diary now as they are essential for the success the show:-

Sunday 9th June, 2019 **(last Sunday of half term) Dress Rehearsal 12 – 4pm LLPS**
Friday 21st June 2019 **7pm Footsteps 19 Bingley Arts Centre**

If you would like your child to be part of this hugely popular club please see me as soon as possible. Please remember that forms and payment must be received before a place can be confirmed.

Please also note that once maximum numbers are achieved the class will be deemed full and a waiting list place will be allocated.

Mrs J Hudson

Please note that it is the policy of the school to give half a term's notice, in writing, to terminate any of the above specialist lessons