

Bulletin No. 969 Friday 12th February 2021









Good afternoon to you all,

We have been lucky to sample some delicious food this week, courtesy of our Early Years pupils. The aroma of homemade Valentine's biscuits, chocolate pancakes, spring rolls noodles and pancakes has filled the school as pupils mark Chinese New Year, Shrove Tuesday and Valentines Day. I am sure the pupils have enjoyed this as much as we have, although we may have to get in a few more steps to work it off.

Our eldest pupils in school, UVI, all deserve a special mention as we find out how well they coped throughout all three lockdowns, at a time when they have been preparing for sitting exams. The results are phenomenal and reflects the amount of effort each and everyone of them have put in over the last 12 months. I am tremendously proud of <u>all</u> our UVI pupils, whether they sat entrance exams or not, they have demonstrated such an admirable attitude and should be proud of themselves.

In order to encourage some off-screen time for our pupils, Form teachers will be sending our some activity ideas for over the half-term break in place of our usual 'Holiday Homework'. Please look out for this on Class Dojo this afternoon. Thank you once again for adhering to the social distancing rules in and around school, also for wearing face masks as required. I do hope that at some point we will be able to relax such rules, but until that time we must continue to keep everyone safe in our school community.

Remote learning will begin once again from Monday 22nd February for Forms that remain closed, school will be open from the same date for our Early Years pupils and for the children of Critical Worker's. Stronger flood defences have been fixed to key areas around school which means that ,for those of you who are coming back in to school, we can now use the doors you were using before the changes to cope with potential flooding. Pupils in Lower Kindergarten will move back to The Lodge, so please drop off and pick up there.

Until the government briefing on Monday 22nd February, we are unable to confirm who and when any additional pupils can come back to school. We appreciate this is a very uncertain time for you all, however please be assured that as soon as we have anything to tell you we will be in touch via email.

Please do have a restful half-term break, you all deserve it.

Mr Saunders & The Staff at LadyLane Park School & Nursery













We are delighted to announce that our UVI pupil's have achieved incredible results in their 11+ and entrance exams this year. All our pupils have been offered places at their first choice school. Some pupil's have had offers from all the schools they took the exam for; as well as receiving special awards and scholarships.

Well done to them all! Mr N Saunders Headmaster





WOODHOUSE









School Council Representatives

This week we have enjoyed seeing some of our pupils making speeches on Zoom to their class. Pupils, who wanted to be considered for a Form Representative role on our School Council, were invited to tell their peers why they would make a good representative.

All pupils then voted for their chosen candidate and the successful pupils were informed this morning.

Form 3: Aahil & Nell

Form 4: Hannah, Henry & Yusuf

Form 5: Raine & Zach LVI: Elkie & Lewis

UVI: Heads of School Council, Freddie & Holly

Mrs Moffat

HOUSE POINT UPDATE – CURRENT TOTALS

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YELLOW 6205

GREEN 5679

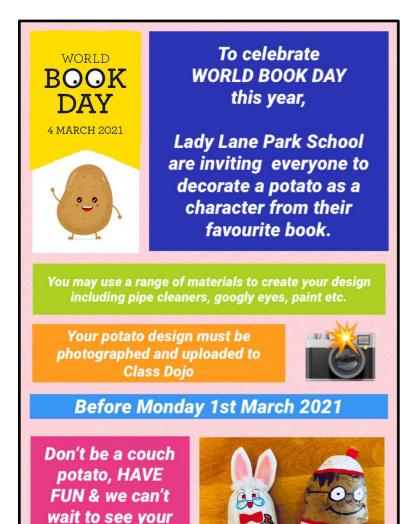
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Parent's Consultations

Week beginning

Monday 1st March 2021

Please watch out for invitations to book a remote parent's consultation with your children's teachers in the next week.





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Giggleswick School will be hosting a Virtual Open Afternoon on Friday 5 March. The afternoon will begin with a live presentation delivered by our Headmaster, Mark Turnbull, followed by the opportunity to connect with staff of particular interest to you and your child(ren) on a one-to-one basis over a prebooked video call (e.g. Head of Performing Arts, Sport etc). You will also be given access to a library of videos, which we hope will provide an insight into what makes a Giggleswick education outstanding. To book your place, please visit www.giggleswick.org.uk/admis sions/open-days

Menu: Monday 22nd February 2021

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5 Veg Tomato sauce & Pasta Homemade Cake	Sausage, oven chips & beans	Mexican Chicken & Rice	Chilli Wraps Salad & coleslaw	Fish Cakes, new potatoes, peas & carrots
	Fruit Crumble & Custard	Raspberry Mousse	Spanga &	Arctic Role
		*Halal & Vegetarian option available	Sponge & Custard	Arctic Role