



LANDKEY COMMUNITY PRIMARY ACADEMY

STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE - CARING FOR ALL

Newsletter

Friday 4th April 2025

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Latest News

Head Teacher Message

What a wonderful Spring term we have had! The children have enjoyed trips, visits and sporting events to enhance their learning. They have all worked really hard and we hope you have enjoyed reading the children in Year 1-6's reports. EYFS reports will be in the summer term.

Thank you to the FOLS for the wonderful Eggstravaganza Easter Fayre £1000 was raised!! Thanks to all who attended. Today the children enjoyed a lunchtime disco using the speaker provided by FOLS fundraising!

We have a fun filled summer term ahead, highlights will include residential for Year 4, 5 and 6, sports day for all and more enhanced learning experiences for everyone.

During the summer term we hope the weather continues to be nice and sunny. To ensure everyone is able to enjoy the weather safely please ensure children have a suitable named hat and have had nut free sunscreen applied in the morning before school. If they need to, they can bring nut free sunscreen in to reapply themselves at lunch time.

We hope everyone has an enjoyable Easter break thank you for your continued support.

Year 5 PE Change of Days

Due to the bank holidays please note Y5 PE will be on Tuesday 22nd April and Tuesday 6th May. Please ensure children wear their PE kits on these days.

School Uniform – Discount Code

My Clothing, one of our uniform suppliers currently has a 10% discount code for parents to use when buying Landkey School Uniform from them.

Code: MYCSS10%

Expires: 31/05/2025



News and Notices

Year 5 & 6 Football Tournament

A team of Year 5 and 6 boys took part in football tournament at Tarka Astro Pitch this week. The team came 7th out of 20 teams! There were awesome saves and amazing goals. The boys showed amazing team spirit, not only to their own team mates but the encouragement towards other teams was incredible. We are very proud of them all. Thank you to Liz Manley and Jemma Lowin who accompanied them.



Year 5 – Bikeability, Monday 12th May – Thursday 15th May

We are delighted that our Year 5 children will be participating in a Level 2 Bikeability Course in May. Parents were emailed a letter last week with more details and a link to complete an electronic consent form. Please can we ask that parents complete the form at their earliest convenience.



News and Notices

Oslo King – 5K Swimathon

A super big well done to Oslo who completed his 5K Swimathon last weekend. He completed it in 2 hours 24 minutes and raised an amazing £825 for Cancer Research. Congratulations!



200 lengths and a great big smile.

School Clubs

There are currently 2 school clubs planned for the Summer Term. Tennis on Friday mornings at 8am and KS2 Football Club on a Tuesday after school. Please see the posters further on in the newsletter for more information.



News and Notices

Railway 200 Poster Competition



This year is a big year for railways including us here at the Lynton and Barnstaple Railway as we celebrate Railway 200. Now you might be asking what Railway 200 is, it's set to be a nation-wide celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of modern railways which originally began at the Stockton and Darlington Railway.

Below is a link to Railway 200 below which offers further information about this celebration and the history behind it all.

Railway 200: <https://railway200.co.uk/about-railway-200/>

We'd like to invite local schools here in North Devon to celebrate with us at the Railway. We are looking to host a railway poster competition, with the winners from each category having their poster designed into a special Railway 200 sign which will then be displayed at Woody Bay Station. We will also look to have the runners up work displayed in our tea-room for a mini exhibition.

Age group categories

- Year 1 and 2 (ages 5-7 years)
- Year 3 and 4 (ages 7-9 years)
- Year 5 and 6 (ages 9-11 years)

The main rule of the competition is the poster must be designed **in felt tip pen**. This competition will give pupils a chance to learn about a few different subjects depending on your preference. It could be railway 200, railways or transport in general, or the chance to study the history of poster design and the encouragement of visiting the seaside for a holiday.

Entries can be handed into school no later than Friday 16th May.



FOLS News

Our Egg Extravaganza was a huge success. Thank you to all the volunteers and contributions to making the event the success it was. Thank you also to everyone who came and supported the event, we hope that every body had a marvellous time. We are pleased to announce that we raised around £1000.

Keep a look out after Easter for more information about our Colour Run event which is taking place on Friday 23rd May – SAVE THE DATE!





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Thrift Shop

GOOD QUALITY **PRELOVED** UNIFORM/SHOES/BOOK BAGS
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TERM TIME

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WELCOME**



PLEASE CONTACT US WITH QUERIES



Celebration Certificates

Congratulations to these children who have received end of term certificates this week

Seahorses	N/A this week
Oysters	N/A this week
Starfish	N/A this week
Jellyfish	N/A this week
Turtles	N/A this week
Octopus	N/A this week
Stingrays	N/A this week
Head Teachers Certificate	Jacob Maines-Blatherwick

Well done!

Next Week's Menu – w/c 21st April

Summer Term Menu 2025

Week Two 21 st April, 12 th May	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Allergen Codes: 1: Gluten & Cereals, 2: Egg, 3: Milk, 4: Soya, 5: Sesame, 6: Peanuts, 7: Mustard, 8: Crustaceans, 9: Celery, 10: Fish, 11: Lupin, 12: Molluscs, 13: Sulphur Dioxide, 14: Sulphites					
Gluten free alternatives available daily. Our menu is sesame & nut free.					
Option 1	Bank Holiday	Brunch Lunch (2)	Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding (2, 3)	Mexican Beef Tacos (4, 3)	Chicken Nuggets
Option 2		Vegetarian Brunch Lunch (1, 2, 3)	Cheese Wheel (1, 3)	Roasted Salmon	Quorn Nuggets (1)
Sides (Bread Available Daily)		Hash Browns, Mushrooms, Roasted Tomato, Baked Beans	Roast Potato, Seasonal Vegetables, Gravy	Herby Cubed Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables, Noodles (1, 2)	Oven Chips Salad & Veggie Sticks
Option 3		Jacket Potato with Cheese, Ham, Tuna Mayo, Baked Beans (3, 10)	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Ham, Tuna Mayo, Baked Beans (3, 10)	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Ham, Tuna Mayo, Baked Beans (3, 10)	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Ham, Tuna Mayo, Baked Beans (3, 10)
Option 4		Baguette with Ham (1)	Cheese Wrap (1,3)	Sausage Roll (1)	Pasta Pot with Choice of Toppings (1, 3, 10)
Dessert (Fruit & Yogurt Available Daily)		Ice Cream with Sauce (3)	Fresh Fruit Salad	Brownie Surprise (2, 4)	Custard Cookie (4)

Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to a free school meal through the Universal Infant Free School Meals Scheme.

Eligible children in Key Stage 2 (Years 3 to 6) are also entitled to Free School Meals.

To find out if your child is eligible for Free School Meals apply through Devon County Council's [Citizens Portal](#). If your application is successful, please send proof of eligibility to the school office (admin@landkey-primary.devon.sch.uk).

School Meals cost £2.50 per meal. Our preferred method of payment is via MCAS (the My Child At School Parent Portal).

Meals must be paid for in advance or on the day the meal is taken. Please do not allow your child's dinner account to become overdrawn.

We may ask you to provide packed lunch for your child whilst overdrawn accounts are cleared.



Dates for your diary

April

Friday 4 th April	Last day of term
Monday 7 th – Monday 21 st April	Easter Holidays
Tuesday 22 nd April	Back to school
Tuesday 22 nd April	Reception & Nursery Easter Bonnet Parade, @ 3pm (parents invited)
Wednesday 23 rd April	Year 2 Tennis Festival

May

Monday 5 th May	May Day Bank Holiday
Wednesday 7 th May	Year 1 Multi Skills Festival
Wednesday 7th May	Year 2 Trip to Westward Ho!
Thursday 8 th – Friday 9 th May	Year 4 Residential – Rock & Rapid
Monday 12 th – Thursday 15 th May	Year 5 Bikeability Level 2
Wednesday 14 th May	Year 1 & Year 3 Trip to RHS Rosemoor
Friday 16 th May	Year 3 Cricket Festival
Tuesday 20 th May	Sports Day (parents invited pm)
Monday 26 th – Friday 30 th May	Half Term

June

Monday 30 th June – Wed 2 nd July	Year 5/6 Residential - London
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July

Monday 14 th July	Non-pupil day
Wednesday 23 rd July	Last day of term / year



Trips & Residentials

Year 5& 6 – London Residential

A reminder to please keep up to date with the payment plan if your child is going on the London Residential.

- Please note that the 'Instalment Deposit' amount of £47.50 needs to be paid by everyone. We understand that this is confusing, but the payment plan automatically labels the first payment in the payment plan as a deposit, despite the school already requesting the initial deposit of £40.00. We are aware that some parents have not yet paid this instalment amount and are asking for it to be paid ASAP so that everyone is up to date.
- Unfortunately, as we are now past the deposit date if your child does not attend you will still be charged this includes pupil premium places.

Instalment	Amount	Due By
Initial Deposit	£40.00	Due immediately
* Instalment Deposit	£47.50	31 st October 2024
Instalment 1	£47.50	30 th November 2024
Instalment 2	£47.50	31 st December 2024
Instalment 3	£47.50	31 st January 2025
Instalment 4	£47.50	28 th February 2025
Instalment 5	£47.50	31 st March 2025
Instalment 6	£47.50	30 th April 2025
Instalment 7	£47.50	31 st May 2025
TOTAL	£420.00	N/A

- Dates of residential – Monday 30th June – Wednesday 2nd July



Trips & Residentials

Year 4 – Rock and Rapid Residential

A reminder to please keep up to date with the payment plan if your child is going on the Rock and Rapid Residential.

Instalment	Amount	Due By
Initial Deposit	£21.00	Due immediately
Instalment 1	£15.00	31 st January 2025
Instalment 2	£15.00	28 th February 2025
Instalment 3	£15.00	31 st March 2025
Instalment 4	£15.00	30 th April 2025
TOTAL	£81.00	N/A

- Dates of residential – Thursday 8th May – Friday 9th May 2025.

School Clubs



Landkey Primary Tennis Club Summer Term 2025



Dear Parents

We are delighted to announce that the **Devonshire Tennis Academy** are continuing our breakfast Tennis club at Landkey Primary in the Summer term.

Our tennis club develops the techniques of all the major shots, getting the children to learn how to rally & play points with the aim to increase your child's confidence & life skills, whilst having fun in a safe and stimulating environment.

Tennis

Friday 25th April – Friday 18th July (Except 31st May for half term)

8 – 8.45am Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 £66 (12 week course)

To book please email the following to: bookings@devonshiretennisacademy.com - places will be allocated on a first come, first serve basis.

Child's Name: D.o.B: Class:

Parent's Name(s): Contact tel N^o:

Alternative tel N^o: Email Address:

Medical conditions / allergies / additional information:

How to pay

Devonshire Tennis Academy SC 30-98-97 Account No. 57684068
(Please use your child's name & school as a reference)

www.devonshiretennisacademy.com

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KS2 FOOTBALL AFTER SCHOOL CLUB



Tuesday 22nd April 2025

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Tuesday 20th May 2025



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Community News



We share adverts on our newsletter which we feel may be of interest to you, these are published in good faith and have no connection to the school.

2025
Devon
COUNTY SHOW
15•16•17 MAY

Devon
primary
times

Primary Times Devon are proud to be partnered with the Devon County Show for this years

JUNIOR COMPETITIONS

There are a variety of classes available for entry by individual children aged 3 to 11

The classes are as follows:

1. Best Home/School Grown Cress Head
2. A Garden in a Milk Carton (to be displayed in a milk carton)
3. A Flower Arrangement in a Yogurt Pot (an arrangement using any flowers or herbs in a yogurt pot)
4. A Homemade Bug House (Made from recycled goods, no bigger than a cereal box and no bugs included)
 5. An Insect (An insect crafted from recycled goods)
 6. Royal Drawings
To be submitted by post to Primary Times Devon,
The Forge, Fore Street, Kenton, EX6 8LF by Friday 2nd of May.
All artwork will be displayed at the Devon County Show.
 - 6a. Age 3 to 5 - Drawing of a Royal Crown (Template Available Online)
 - 6b. Age 5 to 8 - Drawing of a Royal Birthday Cake for Princess Charlotte
 - 6c. Age 8 to 11- A Portrait of You or Your Best Friend

Full details, including downloadable documents with terms and conditions, are available by scanning the QR Code below:

<https://showingscene.com/events/devon-county-show-2025-may-2025/junior-competition>