



LANDKEY COMMUNITY PRIMARY ACADEMY

STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE - CARING FOR ALL

Newsletter
26 April 2024

www.landkey-primary.devon.sch.uk

admin@landkey.tarkatrust.org.uk

Tel: 01271 830421

www.facebook.com/landkeyprimaryschool



CELEBRATION CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to these children who have received certificates this week:

Seahorses ~ Joanie, Isla & Bailey

Oysters ~ Xander & Patrick

Starfish ~ Keira & Thomas

Jellyfish ~ Harper & Ezra

Turtles ~ Amelia & Denver

Octopus ~ Mimi & Annabelle

Stingrays ~ Madi & Isaac

Head Teachers Certificate

Grace ~ Octopus

Always following the Landkey charter and being a good friend

Teddy ~ Starfish

Always following the Landkey charter

Well done everyone!

SATS BOOSTER CLUBS

Please be reminded all SATS Booster Clubs will finish on Friday 3rd May

Dates for your diary

New Dates Highlighted

01 May RSHE – 3:30-4p.m Parent Drop-in Session

06 May Bank Holiday

07 May Year 2 Westward Ho! Trip

07 May Year 3 Cricket Festival

08-09 May Year 4 Rock & Rapid Residential

10 May Year 1 Multi Skills

13-16 May Year 6 SATS Week

13-17 May Year 5 Bikeability

17 May Year 6 Harry Potter Day

21 May Sports Day

22 May Summer Fayre

22 May Year 1 & 3 RHS Rosemoor Trip

24 May Aquathon – see advert

27-31 May HALF TERM

30 Jun –03 Jul Year 5&6 Isle of Wight Residential

08 Jul Non-Pupil Day

24 Jul Last Day of Term

SUMMER TERM EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

Club	Day	Year	Notes
Construction	Monday	R, 1 & 2	
Clay	Monday	All	
Scratch	Monday	3, 4, 5 & 6	
Harry Potter	Monday	3, 4, 5 & 6	Starting after half term
Problem Solving	Tuesday	3, 4, 5 & 6	Wednesdays after half term
Rounders/Cricket	Wednesday	5 & 6	Starting after half term
Gardening	Friday	All	

- Please complete the form selecting your child's preference of Extra-Curricular Club. We will do our best to allocate every child a club but please note that we may not be able to meet every request due to limited spaces in each club.
- Please complete one form per child.
- Clubs will start w/c 6th May except for Rounders/Cricket Club which will start after the half term, w/c 3rd June.
- Clubs will not run during Parents evening week, w/c 24th June.
- Problem Solving Club will be on a Tuesday this half term then switches to a Wednesday after half term.
- All clubs will run after school and finish at 4p.m except for Gardening Club which will take place at lunch time.
- Please complete the form by Wednesday 1st May.
- All Clubs will finish Friday 5th July.

[CLICK HERE TO REQUEST YOUR CHILD'S PLACE](#)

DONATIONS

We are looking for donations of good quality family games. If you have any family games which you no longer use, we would be very grateful to receive them.

YEAR 1 OUTDOOR AREA

Year 1 have been enjoying their outdoor area. We were fortunate to have purchased some new resources and had a fence built over Easter to ensure Year 1 have access to outdoor provision.



YEAR 1 LANDKEY WALK

Year 1 had a lovely afternoon spotting the signs of Spring on our walk to Millenium Green. We heard bird song, smelt wild garlic, and a described the different colours of the Spring flowers. We also investigated whether we could find frog spawn in the stream.



YEAR 2 TENNIS

"Starfish class went to Tarka Tennis. There were a lot of children from other schools. We did lots of activities helped by Park School children. Our favourite activity was beat the teacher when we had a rally and we tried to win. There were 9 activities in total and some of us were soo tired at the end we nearly slept on the bus!

We had a great day".

Written by Charlie, Lily & Poppy – Year 2 children



READING VOLUNTEERS

Do you believe in the power of literacy and the joy of reading? Are you passionate about making a positive impact on the lives of young children? If so, we invite you to spread the love for reading among primary age children.

We are currently seeking volunteers to offer some time in the school day to read with our Landkey Primary children! By volunteering just a small amount of your time, you can help inspire a lifelong love of learning in young minds.

If you're interested in becoming a volunteer reader or would like more information, please let the office know.

RSHE

After half term, we will be beginning our RSHE (relationships, sex and health education) lessons. Letters for individual year groups came out this week. **Please note only the lessons highlighted in blue are the lessons which can be opted out of.**

If you wish to know any more information, there will be an optional drop in after school from 3.30 – 4 on Wednesday May 1st to view the materials that will be used and ask any questions to your class teacher.



Drum*Piano*Clarinet

***Saxophone* Lessons**

At Landkey Primary School



In school on Mondays and Tuesdays with Sarah Steed(piano/woodwind) and James Blofeld (drums), prices from £8.50

For more information please contact Sarah

Email: **imsnorthdevon@gmail.com**

Tel: **07974849303**



Landkey Community Primary Academy

Rounders after school club

Timings: 3.20-4.20

Years: 3,4,5 and 6

**Sessions will run for 5 weeks from:
Tuesday 23rd April - Tuesday 21st May
£4 per session**

To Book:

- Visit our website: primary-sports.co.uk
- Click on the tab 'Book Now'
- Scroll to 'Landkey Primary school-Rounders after school club KS2'

For more information please email:

north.devon@primary-sports.co.uk





Spring Fete

Wednesday May 22nd
From 3:30

LANDKEY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

RAISING MONEY TO FUND OUR SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

FRIENDSOFLANDKEYSCHOOL@GMAIL.COM

Enter our Super Draw

Win an iPhone 15 Pro Titanium
OR £1,000 CASH PRIZE

FRIENDS OF LANDKEY SCHOOL YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY

- Tickets cost just £1 a week
- Chance to win up to £25,000
- Play weekly, or just play the Super Draw!
- Win a brand-new iPhone

PLAY NOW:
Go to www.yourschoollottery.co.uk
Search for: Landkey School

18+ GambleAware

See website for Terms & conditions. Enter by 27/04/24

DONT WORRY REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE to buy for spectators at Sports Day

21 May

UNIFORM THRIFT SHOP

Secondhand uniform for free or a donation to Friends of Landkey School

What is the Thrift Shop?

It is a collection of pre-loved uniform items. Created for all pupils in an effort to reuse uniform items that are still in good condition.

What is it used for?

The shop serves many purposes, including:
When a student outgrows current uniform items and needs items in a different size.
Not only does this support financially, it is also a far more eco-friendly approach, supporting our commitment to sustainability.

Donate items

Items can be donated via our Thrift Bin next to the main entrance to school.
We will be accepting all uniform items (with or without logo), including PE kit, as well as good quality school shoes/trainers, wellies and coats.

How can I pick up items?

Please keep your eye on the Friends of Landkey School page on Facebook or come along to a drop in shop.

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about

WHATSAPP

AGE RESTRICTION
16+

In UK and Europe
rest of the world 13+

...MSG ME...

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

With more than two billion active users exchanging texts, photos, videos and documents, as well as making voice and video calls, WhatsApp is the world's most popular messaging service. Its end-to-end encryption only allows messages to be viewed by the sender and any recipients; not even WhatsApp itself can read them. This privacy issue has been in the spotlight recently, as the UK's Online Safety Bill proposes to end such encryption on private messaging. WhatsApp is unwilling to do so and has reportedly considered withdrawing its service in the UK should this legislation go ahead.

EVOLVING SCAMS

WhatsApp's popularity makes it a lucrative hunting ground for scammers. Recent examples include posing as the target's child, requesting a money transfer because of a spurious 'emergency'. Plus a scam where fraudsters trigger a verification message by attempting to log in to your account, then (posing as WhatsApp) call or text to ask you to repeat the code back to them, giving them access.

CONTACT FROM STRANGERS

To start a chat, someone only needs the mobile number of the WhatsApp user that they want to message, if your child has ever given their number out to someone they don't know, that person could then contact them via WhatsApp. It's also possible that your child might be added to a group chat (by one of their friends, for example) containing other people that they don't know.

FAKE NEWS

WhatsApp's connectivity and ease of use allows news to be shared rapidly – whether it's true or not. To combat the spread of misinformation, messages forwarded more than five times on the app now display a "Forwarded many times" label and a double arrow icon. This makes users aware that the message they've just received is far from an original... and might not be entirely factual, either.

VIEW ONCE CONTENT

The facility to send images or messages that can only be viewed once has led to some WhatsApp users sharing inappropriate images or abusive texts, knowing that the recipient can't re-open them later to use as evidence of misconduct. People used to be able to screenshot this 'disappearing' content – but a recently added WhatsApp feature now blocks this, citing increased privacy.

CHAT LOCK

Another new option allows users to store certain messages or chats in a separate 'locked chats' folder, saved behind a passcode, fingerprint or face ID authentication. The risk here is that this function creates the potential for young people to hide conversations and content that they suspect their parents wouldn't approve of (such as age-inappropriate material).

VISIBLE LOCATION

WhatsApp's 'live location' feature lets users share their current whereabouts, which can be helpful for friends meeting up or parents checking that their child's safe on the way home, for example. However, anyone in your child's contacts list or in a mutual group chat can also track their location – potentially letting strangers identify a child's home address or journeys that they make regularly.

Advice for Parents & Carers ...TYPING...

EMPHASISE CAUTION

Encourage your child to treat unexpected messages with caution: get them to consider, for example, whether the message sounds like something a friend or relative would really send them. Make sure they know never to share personal details over WhatsApp, and to be wary of clicking on any links in messages. Setting up two-step verification adds a further layer of protection to their WhatsApp account.

ADJUST THE SETTINGS

It's wise to change your child's WhatsApp settings (go to 'Privacy', then 'Groups') to specify which of their contacts can add them to group chats without needing approval; you can give permission to 'My Contacts' or 'My Contacts Except...'. Additionally, if your child needs to use 'live location', emphasise that they should enable this function for only as long as they need – and then turn it off.

THINKING BEFORE SHARING

Help your child to understand why it's important to stop and think before posting or forwarding something on WhatsApp. It's easy – and all too common – for content to then be shared more widely (even publicly on social media). Encourage your child to consider how an ill-judged message might damage their reputation or upset a friend who sent something to them in confidence.

CHAT ABOUT PRIVACY

Some parents like to check in with their child about how they're using WhatsApp, explaining that it will help to keep them safe. If you spot a 'Locked Chats' folder, you might want to talk about the sort of chats that are in there, who they're with and why your child wants to keep them hidden. Also, if your child has sent any 'view once' content, you could discuss their reasons for using this feature.

Meet Our Expert

Dr Claire Kutherford is an online safety consultant, educator and researcher who has developed and implemented anti-bullying and cyber safety policies for schools. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian government comparing internet use and sexting behaviour of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.



...HEY OSCAR...



National Online Safety

#WakeUpWednesday

Source: <https://blog.whatsapp.com/on-open-letter> | <https://blog.whatsapp.com/077018895432> | https://blog.whatsapp.com/3810599609245/helpref-to_who
<https://www.whatsapp.com/security> | <https://blog.whatsapp.com/chat-lock-making-your-most-private-conversations-even-more-private>
<https://www.oua.com/whatsapp-scams>

@natonlinesafety

/NationalOnlineSafety

@nationalonlinesafety

@national_online_safety

Users of this guide do so at their own discretion. No liability is entered into. Current as of the date of release: 20.09.2023

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.



FREE TASTER SESSIONS

GIRLS RUGBY YEARS 5+6

No experience needed
Just turn up and give it a go!

BARNSTAPLE RUGBY CLUB

FRIDAY 17th MAY 18:30


Questions?
info.barnstaplerugby@gmail.com




PETROC
PERFORMING ARTS

CINDERELLA

RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN'S
YOUTH EDITION



TUES 14th & WEDS 15th MAY
7.30PM

Scan to get your tickets!


BOX OFFICE 01271 316523

Music by Richard Rodgers
Book and Lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II
Adaptation by Tom Briggs

LANDMARK THEATRE
ILFRACOMBE

This amateur production of RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S CINDERELLA: YOUTH EDITION is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals Ltd. on behalf of The Rodgers & Hammerstein Organization www.concordtheatricals.co.uk

fallstarz
MUSICAL IN A WEEK 2024



Disney
BEAUTY AND THE BEAST
© Disney
JR

Monday 5th - Friday 9th August
Ages 11 - 18 years | 9am to 5pm each day
Performances: Friday 9th August @ 6pm/9pm
To book, contact: tolley.angell@yahoo.co.uk

HEADLINE SPONSOR
BREND COLLECTION



NIGHTWALK
BACK TO THE 80's

SAT 11 MAY
nightwalk.co.uk

SIGN UP HERE


TDK
EVANS HEATING & PLUMBING SW LTD

holidaycottages.co.uk
Part of the TRAVEL CHAPTER

BANBURY'S
Kingsley SCHOOL DEVON

Brewer Harding & Rowe
solicitors