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**NEWSLETTER: 19**

**9th February 2024**

**School Times:**

8.55am—3.15pm

**Nursery:**

Morning: 8.45-  
11.45am

Afternoon: 12.15—  
3.15pm

**Term Dates:**

Wednesday 3rd  
January—Thursday  
28th March

**Half Term:**

Mon 19th—Fri 23rd  
February

**Remaining PD  
Days:**

Fri 16th Feb

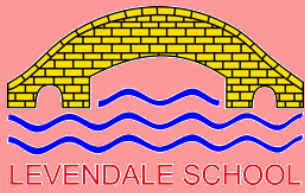
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Tues 23rd July

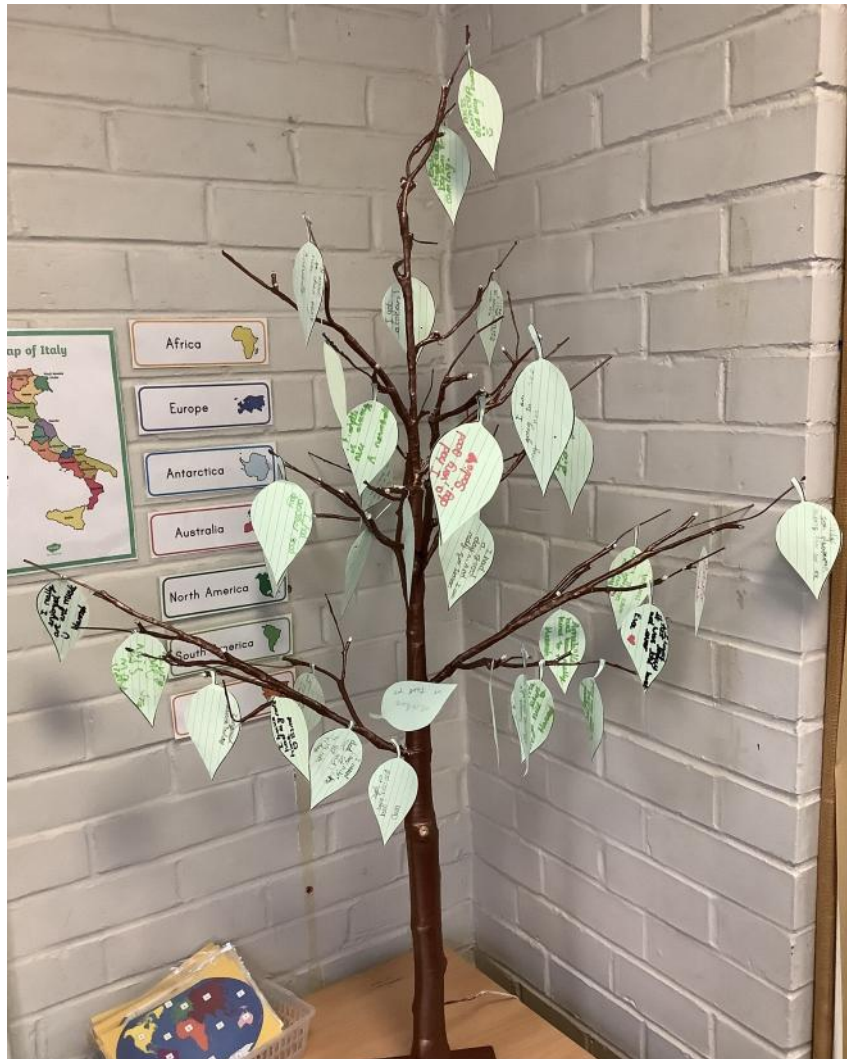
**Dear parents and carers,**

The children in school enjoyed celebrating Safer Internet Day this week, thinking about strategies for a better internet for everyone.





**Year 4 have a 'Positivi-Tree' where children can share their positive thoughts or anything they have enjoyed during the day—and it is growing!**



### **Year 1 Class Assembly**

Y1 children would like to invite parents or family members to their class assembly on

**Tuesday 5th March at 2.45pm.**

Parents can arrive at the main entrance from 2.40pm. As the hall is in use, we cannot allow access any earlier.

Children will leave school at the usual time.



**Year 2 visited a Hindu Mandir as part of their RE topic.**



**In PE, Year 2 have been working on linking gymnastics and developing short sequences including jumps, balances and rolls.**

**They've also been developing their dribbling skills and enjoying using the new KS1 footballs!**





**Well done to the children who represented us brilliantly at the KS2 Active Schools Festival. They were exhausted after the many activities they completed—including archery, golf, martial arts, racket skills and circuit training! Amazing!**







**Nursery have been celebrating Chinese New Year! Together, they made a giant lantern, danced to traditional music, performed a dragon dance and tasted Asian food. They made their own Chinese dragons using paint, mixed media and play dough, built temples and learned a few Chinese words.**





## Achievements

We love to celebrate children's achievements, including those outside of school. Please let us know if your child does something that makes you proud!

Arlo P in Y2

Achieved his 100m swimming award and completed Level 6! Well done!

Alex R in Y3

Won a trophy with his team in the MFC foundation tournament—Excellent!

Sam, Finlay and lots of other Y2 and Y3 children!

Well done to all of the children who won medals at DF coaching for great participation in football !

Esme B in Y4

Was 'Cub of the week' for listening and her positive attitude and got a Scouts Association trophy! Amazing!

## Parents Evenings—week commencing 12th February

Parents can make an appointment to see their child's teacher/s on Arbor. Please contact the office, if you need assistance. Parents of children on the SEND register may be offered an alternative appointment if a longer ses-

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**LEVENDALE  
NURSERY  
ADMISSION  
2024-2025**

**PLACES AVAILABLE**

'Be the Best that you can be.'

"Pupils have an enthusiasm for school that greets you when you enter the building. They feel safe, happy and enjoy coming to school." Ofsted, July 2023

**REGISTER NOW**



## February Birthdays

Happy Birthday month to: George A, Ava A, Emma A, Felicity A, Jack B, Sienna D, Jayati G, Isla H, Ella H-J, Edie H, Evie H, Oscar H, Holly I, Olivia L, Nriti NR, Jaime N, Maria O-L, Mila R, Priya T and Lewis W.



## Awards given in Celebration Assembly this week....



### Levendale Goal—Pupil Voice

<b>Y1</b>	<b>Ayesha F</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Jacob T</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Max R</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Amara M</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Evie S</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Poppy S-W</b>



### Maths Stars

<b>Y1</b>	<b>Mia H-R</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Melody B-L</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Evelyn B-L</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Amelia K</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Cleo W</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Grace B</b>



### English Award

<b>Y1</b>	<b>Alex G</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Ethan L</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Eleanor L</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Lucas G-M</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Lewis W</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Joshua H</b>



## Attendance

'Class of the week' celebrates the class with the best attendance each week. The winning class, across the term, will get a treat they can negotiate with their teacher! **Well done to Year 4 this week!**



Attendance	Winners
Reception	2
Year 1	2
Year 2	1
Year 3	3
Year 4	2
Year 5	0
Year 6	0

## Times Table Rockstars

A huge well done to our winners this week...



Most improved	Ella H-J in Y3
Highest Earner	Ava N in Y5
Star of the Week	Matty H-R in Y6

## Team Captains

Our team captains counted our team points this week, well done to Topaz, who won this week!

We will keep a score and the winning team each term will get a reward!

Teams	Captains	Winners
Emerald	Mila R	2
Topaz	Ali N	4
Sapphire	Theo J	0
Ruby	Snow F	0





## Diary of Events

We are busy planning events for the children, our families and the local community. We will continue to update this list as the term progresses.

**More information will be provided, closer to the time of events.**

Date	Event
w/b 12/02/24	Parents Evenings— <b>No Y6 Booster</b>
12/02/24	Y3 Forest Schools p.m.
14/02/24	Pupil Ambassadors at Whitehouse Primary a.m.
14/02/24	Levendale Lyricals—Royal Opera House workshop a.m.
16/02/24	PD Day—closed to children
w/b 19/02/24	Half Term
26/02/24	Y6 SATS booster
28/02/24	Year 6 visit to see Author Louie Stowell
05/03/24	Year 1 Class Assembly for parents 2.45pm
06/03/24	Y5 Stockton Book of the Year Librarian visit
07/03/24	World Book Day—dress as a book character, or bring a prop or clue!
w/b 11/03/24 and w/b 18/03/24	Year 4 swimming fortnight
20/03/24	Y2 Snappy Spring Music Event
Thurs 28/03/24	Last day in school before the Easter Break
	Easter 'decorated-egg' competition (hard boiled or polystyrene!)