



Littlemoor Academy Newsletter

July 2024

This has been another successful year in so many ways. Our dedicated team works tirelessly every day to ensure that our children are safe, happy and thriving in their learning. Striving to make every child the best they can be.

After 32 years, Sandra Waude is retiring and we wish her health and happiness as she enters this new phase of her life. Sandra has worked as a Teaching Assistant throughout her time at Littlemoor and has made a significant difference to the lives of many children. Debbie Gibson, a Teaching Assistant of over 20 years in our school, is also retiring. Good luck both for the future- we will miss you!

On behalf of all the staff and governors, I hope you all have a lovely summer and that the sun shines (at least for some of the time!).

Kind regards, Carol Ann Turner- Head Teacher



KEY DATES

Friday 19th July: School closes for the summer holidays.

Wednesday 4th September: School reopens.

Thursday 12th September: Skip2Bfit Workshop

Friday 20th September: Boggledybook Children's Bookshop to visit Littlemoor.

Friday 27th September: Macmillan Coffee Morning

Wednesday 16th October: Individual & Family Photos

Friday 25th October: School closes for the Autumn Half-Term holiday

Monday 4th November: School reopens.

Friday 15th November: Children in Need Day

Tuesday 3rd December: Y2 Pantomime Visit

Friday 20th December: School closes for the Christmas holidays

Monday 6th January: School reopens for the Spring Term

Friday 14th February: School closes for Half-Term

Monday 24th February: School reopens.

Friday 28th March: School closes for Easter.



#TEAMLITTLEMOOR

During their final year at Littlemoor, all the Y2 children have been given the opportunity to take part in a range of after-school clubs and inter-school competitions.

At the beginning of July, a team of Y2 children competed in the Leger Sport cricket competition and won! They impressed everyone with their positive attitude and ability to work as a team.



We wish our Y2 children all the luck in the world as they leave us to start the next part of their education journey. It has been a pleasure working with these children and their families for the last four years.

We look forward to hearing about their future successes in Year 3 and beyond.

Keep in touch!



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Y2 TRIP TO THE YWP

On Monday 24th June, our Y2 children visited the Yorkshire Wildlife Park and were able to observe a wide collection of animals at close hand. The weather was very kind to them that day as they walked around the park's extensive grounds.



TEACHING AND LEARNING

We are so proud of our Phonics Screening Check outcomes this year. We have attained our best results ever, with the majority of Y1 children attaining the required standard. We would like to thank our supportive parents who ensured that their children attended our additional after-school reading sessions to help the children improve their phonics knowledge.



ASPIRE

It is our vision to develop **'truly great students in truly great schools.'** During the year, we award staff members and pupils whom we feel have been wonderful role models in our school, displaying the trust values of **Perseverance, Ambition, Integrity, and Responsibility.**

For our final awards of the year, we have chosen Jessica Mawdsley (Mid-Day Supervisor) and Minnie, a Y2 pupil who has such an excellent attitude to learning every day.



FAMILY LEARNING SESSIONS

Our Story Sacks Sessions have been really popular with parents and carers this half-term, with families engaging in activities linked to popular children's books. We hope to host more family learning sessions in the Autumn term.



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