

LOXLEY'S LATEST!



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PRIMARY SCHOOL

April 2026

Message from Mr Dale

It has been wonderful to welcome everyone back for the start of the summer term, especially with the lovely sunny weather joining us, it has certainly helped create a positive and energetic start. The children have returned ready to learn, and it has been a pleasure to see the school buzzing with activity once again.

Attendance Update

Our attendance as of 30th April is **93.8%**, around 1% below the national average. While this may seem a small difference, every day in school remains incredibly important for children's learning and wellbeing. This week, we were delighted to celebrate those children who have achieved excellent attendance and those who have worked hard to improve. They enjoyed their well earned treats in the sunshine, well done to you all!

Key Stage 2 SATs

With KS2 SATs fast approaching, we would like to wish all of our Year 6 children the very best of luck. They have worked incredibly hard and should feel very proud of their efforts. Thank you also to all staff who have supported and prepared the children so thoroughly.

Staffing Update

We extend our thanks to Mrs Severs for her continued support in Sycamore Class and warmly welcome back Mrs MacRae, who has returned to help during this time. We also continue to send our thoughts and prayers to Mrs Ballantine and her family.

FOLS PTA Update

A huge thank you to our fantastic FOLS PTA for organising this morning's breakfast. The delicious smell of bacon wafting through the school was a wonderful way to start the day! We are also excited for Loxley's Got Talent in three weeks' time. We have already received some fantastic entries, but there is still time to take part, please let your child's teacher know if they would like to be included.

London Mini Marathon & Tesco Grant

We are looking forward to participating in the Schools London Mini Marathon on 21st May. Thank you in advance for your support with sponsorship, the fundraising will go towards developing an exciting outdoor provision within our Forest School.

We are also pleased to share that we are part of the Tesco Community Grant scheme. The voting is now live, so please do collect tokens and support us whenever you shop. Your votes will help us improve the outdoor practical area in our Acorns classroom, creating even more opportunities for hands-on learning.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to a busy and exciting term ahead.

Warm wishes

Mr Dale

Headteacher

Dates for your diary

Friday 1st May

FOLS Breakfast Club

Monday 4th May

Bank Holiday - School closed

Thursday 7th May

Whole school celebration - David Attenborough's 100th Birthday
Menu Change

Monday 11th - Thursday 14th

KS2 SATS

Tuesday 19th May

Years 5&6 Singing After SATS trip

Thursday 21st May

Loxley Mini Marathon PM
Census Day - Menu Change

Friday 22nd May

Loxley's Got Talent from 4.30pm
Last day of term

Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May

Half Term

Monthly House Points

Red House

98

Blue House

75

Yellow House

85

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**SCHOOL HELPERS NEEDED.
PLEASE CONTACT FOLS OR THE SCHOOL
OFFICE**

FREE ENTRY!

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE
LOXLEY
**STRAWBERRY
FAYRE**

TRADITIONAL MARKET STALLS, BBQ,
LIVE MUSIC, LAWN GAMES,
FOOD & DRINK

**SATURDAY 4TH JULY
2 - 5 PM**

CARD PREFERRED
❗ SORRY, NO DOGS ❗

EVENT IS TAKING PLACE IN THE
PRIVATE GARDENS OF LOXLEY HALL
CV35 9JP

WITH THANKS TO OUR RAFFLE SPONSORS

 

12:55

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CLASS NEWS



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Acorns Class Reception & Year 1

We have been enjoying reading 'Lost and Found': Year 1 have been thinking of alternative words for 'sad' and have created their own non-fiction leaflet about Antarctic animals, this week we are writing our own version of the story where a boy finds a polar bear and helps it get home. Reception children have been thinking about who the lost penguin belongs to and how it is feeling being lost. In art, we have been thinking about sculptures and how instead of just looking at a piece of art from one angle you can walk around and see lots of different perspectives. We created our own sculptures by rolling paper.



Horse Chestnut Class Year 2, 3 & 4

Over recent weeks, the classroom has been full of beautiful singing as the children have learnt songs inspired by the coast, the countryside and the city. They completed the topic by making up their own sound effects and performing to the class. The end of the Geography unit involved planning a route at the playing fields using a map and 8-point compass directions. The children then had the opportunity to follow the directions that other groups had written - it was PE and Geography in one! The circus came to the classroom this week! To introduce our new text in English, there were acrobats, plate spinners and magicians! Circus music played and there was the sweet smell (and taste) of popcorn. In Science, the children have had fun seeing, feeling and hearing the effects of vibrations and have discovered how sound travels through solids, liquids and gasses.



Sycamore Class Year 5 & 6

This week Sycamore class have been busy completing their truss bridges, sharing their completed designs and evaluating them. In Maths lessons, they have been focussing on angles of shapes, finding the percentages of a number. In English this week, the class have been working exceptionally hard on their sentence writing, adding brackets, to make their writing more exciting. On Friday, the children became artists, looking at different pictures found in the rainforests, they thoroughly enjoyed taking their learning outside in the playground.



★Stars of the Week★

★Acorns Class★

Raafi

★Horse Chestnut Class★

Julia

★Sycamore Class★

Maisie

'Catch Me'

Values Awards

Silver
Sebastian

Gold
Denbigh

Platinum
Willow

Afterschool Clubs

It is lovely to see how many families have booked onto our clubs, and wonderful to see the children enjoying them so much.

We would love to hear which clubs you would like to see at Loxley, so please click on the Forms link below to share your suggestions.

[Afterschool Clubs – Fill in form](#)



Should I keep my **child off school?**



Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.

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You can help increase Friends of Loxley School - Warwick's entries into easyfundraising's giveaway to win one of two £1,000 donations – every new supporter who joins is an entry!

Sign up before midnight 3rd May, it'll only take two minutes:

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/loxleypta/45SZWO/c2s/J1YccjD6/CE942/textcopy/>

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We have an exciting opportunity to raise money for the school via 'My School Find' website. If you shop at Sainsburys or Argos (instore or online) you will earn cash back not only for the School but also for yourself.

These will be returned as gift cards to be used in Sainsburys or Argos. Please pass this on to any family members or friends, the more the merrier.

<https://www.myschoolfund.org/#/home>

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Sainsbury's Argos ESPO

You + Us = More

Introducing My School Fund, an exciting new initiative that combines the spending power of parents, guardians and carers in order to boost school budgets.

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Table Top Sale

Come along and sell some of your unwanted items
In aid of Mountbatten Hospice



Isabella and Harriet are fundraising in memory of their late Grandad ❤️

Mountbatten

- 📅 Sunday 3rd May
- 📍 Wellesbourne Village Hall
- ☕ Coffee and cake available
- 🪑 £10 per table please contact 07572528189 to book

10am-12pm

Mountbatten

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SWIMTIME

WALTON HALL HOTEL & SPA

Early bookings are now open! Take advantage of our early bird special. Lessons to begin after the Easter Holidays.

- Small Classes
- Adult Lesson
- Heated Pool
- Expert Instructors
- All Ages
- Private Lessons

CONTACT US FOR EARLY BOOKING

tel: 0121 371 0498 @westmids@swimtime.org

Walton, Wellesbourne,
Warwick CV35 9HG

START WITH 30% OFF YOUR FIRST MONTHLY BOOKING



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LIGHTS CAMERA ACTION!

AWARD-WINNING, MULTI-ACTIVITY
HOLIDAY CAMPS

GOGO minis	GOGO CREW JNRs	GOGO CREW SNRs
RECEPTION	5-7 YEARS	8-11 YEARS
GO GO CREATORS (ART)	CRAFT CLUB (ART)	CR8TIVE'S (ART)
GO GO EINSTEINS (STEM)	SCIENCE LAB (STEM)	MAD SCIENCE (STEM)
GO GO ACTIVE (SPORTS)	ACTION STATIONS (SPORTS)	SPORT SKILLZ (SPORTS)
GO GO GROOVERS (DANCE)	SHINING STARS (DANCE)	DANCE STEP UP (DANCE)
	TEAM GAMES	BATTLE SESSIONS (GAMES)

Ofsted ★★★★★ RATED 5 STARS ON GOOGLE

MAY HALF TERM
TUESDAY 26TH UNTIL FRIDAY 29TH MAY

LOCATIONS
KENILWORTH WARWICK GATES
WARWICK LEAMINGTON SPA

PRICES & TIMINGS

STANDARD DAY (9AM - 3.30PM)	£34.50
EARLY DROP OFF (8AM ONWARDS)	+£4.50
LATER COLLECTION (3.30PM - 5.30PM)	+£5.50

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TAX FREE CHILDCARE & CHILDCARE VOUCHERS
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Tuesday 26th to Friday 29th May

May
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and **Aylesford School**

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