LEIGH NEWS

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Autumn 'Spring Clean'

On Sunday 1st September we will be having a 'Spring Clean' day where we will be giving the school a thorough clean and tidy before the new academic year. We will be cleaning the carpets, giving some of the outside areas a tidy and washing down all the windows. If any parents were available to lend a hand for an hour or so then it would be greatly appreciated. We'll be having a BBQ on the playground for anyone helping and we're hoping it will be good fun as well. There will be more details nearer the time but please do put the date in your diary.

Ploughman's Lunch

A Ploughman's Lunch has been arranged to raise money for Hospice in the Weald. The Hospice in the Weald is a fantastic local charity that offers varied but integrated services for people with progressive life limiting illnesses, their carers and families. The lunch will be held at Old Kennards, Leigh (TN11 8RE) on Tuesday 2nd July at 12.30pm (for those travelling by car please park in Powder Mill Lane and walk through the footpath beside The Old School House). All money raised will goes to the Hospice. Thank you.

Class 2 Puppet Making

As part of their Victorian topic, children in Class 2 have designed their own puppets and are now in the midst of making them. The puppets will include chimney sweep boys, maids, wealthy ladies and gentlemen and of course Queen Victoria and Prince Albert.

School Shoes

Please may we request that all girls wear low heeled school shoes or sandals as part of the school uniform. Thank you.

SPORTS DAY

We have now arranged the date for Sports Day. This will take place on Tuesday 9th July in the afternoon. Please do attend if you can.

Website Testimonials

We are in the process of redesigning the school website and we hope that this might be up and running by the beginning of September. As part of this we would like some quotes from ex-pupils and parents that can flash at the top of the home screen. If you would like to write something for us (or have an ex-pupil in the house who might like to do the same) then please do email it to me. Ideally the comments should be short (no more than 12 words) and reflect you opinion about a certain aspect of the school. Please could any testimonials be emailed to me by the 5th July on: headteacher@leigh.kent.sch.uk
Thank you.

MORE CHESS SUCCESS

This group of children recently competed in the regional Mega Final in Maidstone as part of the UK Chess Challenge. All the children played brilliantly and Maddie, Max and Harry have made it through to the Giga Final in Reading. Congratulations to all of them.

DISTRICT SPORTS

The annual District Sports day takes place this Wednesday at 6pm at the Knole Academy in Sevenoaks. The children involved know who they are and we wish them all the best as they represent the school in this event.

PTA NEWS

VACANCY FOR CHAIR AND SECRETARY

The PTA have vacancies from September for Chair and Secretary. These positions are vitally important if the PTA is to continue to thrive and support the school in the way it has over the years. If you would like further information about what this night involve then please see one of the current members of the PTA

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the PTA will be on Wednesday 10th July at 7.45pm in the Fleur de Lis

SUMMER FAIR

Leigh Primary School is holding its annual Summer Fair on Saturday 6th July from 1.30pm-3.30pm on the Village Green. At this year's Fair we will be holding a dog show/competition (all dogs welcome!) and will have loads of fun activities on site. Please do come and support the school

DISCO

This term's Disco will take place in Jessica's Hall on Monday 22nd July
Key Stage 1 5.40pm-7pm
Key Stage 2 7.15pm – 8.30pm

Forthcoming Events

24.6.13	Year 6 Cycling Proficiency all week
25.6.13	Hillview Taster Day for Year 5
26.6.13	Year 6 to see the Lion King District Sports
29.6.13	Vicarage Tea Party (2pm-4pm)
1.7.13	Deadline for Year 5 entry for the Kent Grammar School Tests Weald of Kent Grammar School open morning
1.9.13	Spring Clean Day
5.9.13	First day of Term 1

Further dates will be published on the website