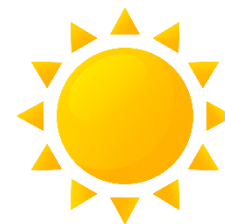


## END OF YEAR MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,

As the end of term approaches, we'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of your support this year, on behalf of the entire Lacey Green team.

Without the ongoing support you provide at home, we would struggle to achieve the success we see in school every day. Your help with regular reading, practising times tables, attending meetings with teachers, regularly communicating with us and supporting whole-school events and values is greatly appreciated by us all. It truly makes a BIG difference!



This term, the school has been a hive of activity, and we've ended the year with a flurry of whole-school events. From our VE Day celebrations (where we stepped back in time to the 1940s and enjoyed wartime games), to our Sports Day (where the spirit of competition and participation shone through) and the fantastic PTA Summer Fair, there are many reasons to feel proud to be part of the Lacey Green community.

A particularly notable thread running through all of these events has been the leadership shown by our older pupils, both in official roles and informal ones. Their patience, support, and nurturing approach towards our younger Lacey Greeners has been nothing short of inspiring. Once again, our children have not only met the high expectations we hold for them, but exceeded them in every sense, proving themselves to be a true credit to the school.

At this time of year, transition events are in full swing: we've been welcoming our new starters with short visits to Reception; our 'Meet the Teacher' morning is scheduled for tomorrow for pupils in Reception through to Year 5; and our Year 6 pupils have been visiting their new secondary schools. A great deal of time and thought goes into preparing all of our children for their next step, and we are confident they will begin September ready and excited for what lies ahead.

We'd like to offer our heartfelt thanks to our Year 6 pupils and wish them all the very best as they move on to the next stage of their educational journey. They've had an incredibly busy and rewarding year. Whether it was completing their SATs, conquering fears on the zipline at PGL, or learning lines and stage-managing the brilliant end-of-year performance What a Knight!, they've demonstrated maturity, resilience, and the unmistakable Lacey Green spirit throughout. Well done, Year 6—you should be very proud!

We'd like to welcome back Mrs Griffin, Miss Zwanepoel and Mrs Fesmer, as they return from maternity leave, and are pleased to announce that Miss Brown and Miss Ashcroft will be joining the teaching team from September. Miss Moxon, Mrs Field and Miss Moldovan will be leaving us this summer to move to pastures new. It is with huge gratitude and best wishes that we say farewell and thank you from all of us here at Lacey Green.

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to our PTA for their tireless work and dedication throughout the year. From organising memorable events like the Summer fair, school discos and supporting multiple events across the school, their efforts have made a real difference to our children's experiences. However, our current PTA is incredibly low on numbers and it urgently needs more volunteers to continue its fantastic work. Without additional support from parents and carers, we are at real risk of not having a functioning PTA in place next academic year. If you are able to give even a small amount of your time, we would be hugely grateful—your involvement, in any capacity, really does matter.

With just one week to go before the summer break, we'd like to wish all our families a safe, restful, and enjoyable summer holiday.

We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on **Wednesday 3rd September**.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Shaw and Mr Copland

## SPORTS

We would like to congratulate our Year 3 and 4 girls' football team. Their hard work has culminated in a second final for them resulting in the team becoming Runners Up once again last week. Our school staff are all, Mr Jenkins in particular, very proud of what they have achieved. The girls have certainly come a long way, becoming regular finalists and one of the best teams in the competition. Well done girls!





## YEAR 6 PERFORMANCE- WHAT A KNIGHT!



We would like to congratulate all of our Year 6 children for their excellent end of year performances of 'What a Knight', which have taken place this week. The children pulled off four magnificent performances for our pupils, parents and family members alike!

*We are sure that you will agree that all the children were outstanding and that their many talents and skills allowed them all to flourish in their roles. We would like to thank all of the parents/ family members who came to watch and support the children as well as a truly deserved thank you to all the school staff involved, in particular Mr White and Ms Bacon for their fantastic direction and choreography! Well done Year 6 – an outstanding performance!*

## TRANSITION MEETINGS – TUESDAY, 15<sup>th</sup> JULY

On Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> July, children from Reception and Year 5 will have a 'Meet your New Teacher' session when they will meet their new teacher in their new classroom. This should enable your child to become familiar with his or her new class teacher and is an opportunity for your child to share a little about themselves as individuals. We hope that your child is looking forward to moving on in September to their new class.



## PTA SUMMER FAIR SUCCESS!!



We would like to thank all parents, carers and family members who supported the recent PTA Summer Fair. It was an excellent event and very well attended! We thank everyone for their support and would also like to thank all of the PTA Committee Members and parent volunteers who spent a large amount of their day setting up for the event. We would also like to thank all of the staff who attended the event and helped with the fundraising activities.

The proceeds from the event go towards improving the educational opportunities and outcomes for all of the children, once the PTA costs of running the event have been covered.

Thank you Tami for your tremendous preparation and time organising this annual event! If you are a parent/carers who is interested in helping to support the PTA next year, please contact Tami in order to find out more about how to help and/or become a Committee Member.

Contact Tami at: [pta@laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:pta@laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk) or join the PTA members on Facebook – Lacey Green Primary Academy PTA

## ANNUAL REPORTS 2025

Parents/Carers will receive their child's Annual Report and recent test scores / teacher assessments at the end of today - Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> July via Class Dojo.

For security reasons, the report will be password protected. Once you have downloaded your child's report, **parents will need to message their child's classteacher (via Dojo) to request the password.** Within this message, please **include the following information:**



Your child's full name	Child's Date of Birth	Parent Name (Full)
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If any information is missing, the password will not be released.

Teachers will be available online from 3.45pm until 4.45pm on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July, and will then deal with any subsequent password requests as soon as they possibly can and given their teaching commitments.

Please contact Mr. Jenkins (via email) if you have any major issues accessing the reports on [itsupport@laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:itsupport@laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk)

**NEW CLASSES /TEACHERS 2025-2026:** These will be released at the end of school on Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> July.

## Y6 LEAVERS' ASSEMBLY



Parents/Carers of all Year 6 children are invited to the Year 6 Leavers' Assembly in the hall on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 9.30am. This will be a chance for both the Y6 pupils and parents/carers to reflect upon their child's time at Lacey Green, to celebrate their successes, and share the memories that they will take with them on the next part of their academic journey.



We look forward to seeing family members of our Y6 pupils on Thursday morning for what will be a very important milestone!

## Y4 ROBINWOOD 2025



**ROBINWOOD PAYMENTS:** Thank you to all parents (whose children are currently in Y3) who have now managed to secure their child's place at Robinwood Residential in the Autumn Term by paying their final balance. The final interim instalment deadline was **due at the end of June.** Please note that if the outstanding payments have not been made by the end of the term, then the place may have to be withdrawn.

*If would like to discuss any issues regarding payments, please contact the school office.*

## END OF YEAR – EARLY FINISH



Please note that we **close** for the end of the year on **Friday, 18th July at the earlier time of 1.15pm.**



## GENERAL REMINDERS

Parents can follow us on **Class Dojo** as we post reminders, useful information, celebrations, and updates from classes, school and other community events of interest.

DIARY DATES		
Date	Event	Who for
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Annual Reports sent out via Class Dojo	All parents/carers
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Children meet their new teachers – a slip will come home to inform parents which class their child is in on this day.	Rec – Year 5 children
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leavers' Assembly-9.30am	Y6 parents/carers/grandparents
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	End of the Summer Term – <b>EARLY FINISH – 1.15pm</b>	All parents/carers
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Start of the Autumn Term - <b>First day back in school</b>	All parents/carers

Link to our academic year dates: : <https://www.laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk/page/term-dates/475>

## COMMUNITY NOTICES / EVENTS



Wilmslow Town Council is funding free Street sports sessions for children aged 8 – 14 years, from 2nd June 2025 until the end of summer.

Run by coaches from Macclesfield FC Community Trust, the sessions will offer a range of sports at two Wilmslow parks:

Mondays (from 2nd June), 5.30pm- 7pm, Lacey Green Park, SK9 4BS.

Wednesdays (from 4th June), 5.30pm- 7pm, Gravel Lane Play Area ('The Pleasure'), SK9 6LL.

All Macclesfield FC Community Trust coaches are qualified, professional and will provide support and encouragement for children taking part.

Sessions are free and pre-booking is not required; just bring your child with a drink, wearing suitable clothing.

<https://www.wilmslowtowncouncil.gov.uk/free-street-sports/>

Please see below for a message from one of our Wilmslow Town Councillors:

### Help us create a vision for Lacey Green Park

Transition Wilmslow Tree Group, Lacey Green's Town Councillors and Cheshire East Council Parks team have all been working together to develop a vision for an improved Lacey Green Park, to make it a place where more of our local community, young and old, will choose to spend time. Our ideas are illustrated in a draft MasterPlan: <https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/pdf/leisure,-culture-and-tourism/parks-and-gardens/lacey-green-masterplan-2025-draft.pdf>

Please tell us what you think of the draft plan, and any of your own ideas for the park. There is no survey or form to fill in – just email your thoughts to: [Parks@CheshireEast.gov.uk](mailto:Parks@CheshireEast.gov.uk)

(NB: this email address has been updated since the plan was launched at the Lacey Green Fun Day in June)

- What would make a difference to the way you and your family use the park (and if you don't, what might make you want to



visit?

- How could the children's play area be made more appealing to children and their parents?
- What ideas do you have for improving the BMX and Multi-Use Games Area?

You can attach photos of play equipment, pump / blading tracks or exercise trails, or anything else that you enjoy in other parks, to illustrate your ideas when you email us.

Tell us what you think of the ideas described in the draft Master Plan:

- A new footpath / running track around the perimeter – perhaps with exercise facilities
- More trees to bring blossom and leaf colour throughout the seasons (an arboretum)
- An orchard
- Areas of grass with wild flower and spring bulbs – mowed to mimic Turing Patterns\*
- Science and nature trails with information boards
- Art installations or art trails
- Events in the park (e.g. live music, dog shows, garden produce and plant sales)

\*Alan Turing, the inventor of computers, lived and died in Wilmslow. He worked out mathematically how patterns occur in nature, like cheetahs' spots and zebras' stripes. We have looked at ways to incorporate Turing Patterns into planting layouts and art trails. Find out

more about Turing Patterns here: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=alH3yc6tX98&ab\\_channel=MinuteEarth](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=alH3yc6tX98&ab_channel=MinuteEarth)

With support from volunteers from the National Trust's Quarry Bank Mill, over the summer we'll be calling on local residents to make sure as many people as possible are given the opportunity to share their thoughts. The collective feedback will be used to create a vision which will be published as a final Master Plan for the Park. This will help us with grant applications, so we can find funding, step by step, to turn the vision into a reality over the coming years.

This project will bring opportunities for community events, so we'll need volunteers to help with various activities. If you'd like to get involved, or simply be kept informed, please email me to give us permission to contact you directly about this project: [Elaine.Evans.business@gmail.com](mailto:Elaine.Evans.business@gmail.com)

Thank you