## LIONEL WALDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents,

The staff and I would like to thank you for your support again this year. It has been another busy and very exciting year. Ofsted inspected all aspects of the School in October 2017 and recognised our many strengths; all judgements were Outstanding or Good. We have held many events including our annual themed weeks (Science Week, International Week, Healthy Week and Walk to School/Road Safety Weeks), workshops for parents (including Phonics/Reading/Writing and E-safety), Year 6 Bikeability, educational day visits plus the residential to the Isle of Wight, a host of sporting activities and competitions, molly dancing, music tuition, our Christmas production (Cinderella Rockerfella), the Nativity (presented by Pre-School and our Reception children), class assemblies, our involvement in the Doddington Carnival and much, much more. Thank you to the LWSA for the many events they have organised and to parents and children for supporting them. The funds raised this year (in excess of £6,000) will continue to contribute to our development of our outdoor environments as well as helping to purchase additional resources which we may otherwise not have.

The children have all worked hard and have made good progress. Thank you to staff for their ongoing commitment to the whole school. We wish Year 6 pupils all the very best at the various secondary schools they are moving on to and hope they continue to build on the many strengths they have developed here.

Thank you also for the return of report slips and questionnaires. There have been many positive comments which I shall share with staff, along with ideas and suggestions for future events and improvements. These are very much appreciated. Feedback will follow next term.

Please note that from  $5^{th}$  September, school meals will be £2.20 per day (£11 per week). This is for pupils in Years 3 to 6. I am sure you will agree that this is still a very reasonable price for the quality of meals provided by our own catering team. School meals are available to younger children at no cost.

The staff and I wish you all a happy and safe summer holiday and we look forward to seeing you back at school on Wednesday,  $5^{th}$  September.

Yours sincerely,

S. A. Barnard-Taylor

Headteacher















