



Joy Lane Primary School Weekly Newsletter

Friday 6th October 2023

INDIVIDUAL AND SIBLING PHOTOS – NEXT WEEK

Carmel Jane Photography will be visiting our school on Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th October to take the individual, sibling and class photos. Please make sure that your child is dressed in full uniform ready for their photo!

All Parents are requested to pre-register to enable access to your child's photographs. Pre-registration is required for every photo shoot and it only takes a minute. Please visit www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk and enter the following code: **JREGXWV**

You will then be asked to pre-register with your child's full school register name. Once registered, as soon as the photos are available, you will receive an automatic email notification to inform you that your child's photos are ready to be viewed and purchased.

WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY – FRIDAY 13TH OCTOBER



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WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

World Mental Health Day aims to spread awareness about mental health and the importance of looking after it!

The day is a chance for everybody to talk about mental health and explore what we can do to maintain a healthy mind and body.

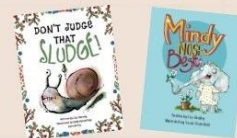
JOURNALING
EXPERIENCING NATURE
ART
MINDFULNESS & MEDITATION
HEALTHY FOOD AND EXERCISE
TALKING, SHARING, REFLECTING
READING



YOGA WORKSHOPS
WITH ABI LOADER,
AN EXPERIENCED
YOGA INSTRUCTOR
(WHOLE SCHOOL)



AUTHOR VISIT
LISA BENTLEY
(EARLY YEARS & KS1)



TAKE AWAY FISH
AND CHIPS AND
SUNSHINE
SHORTBREAD



WEAR YELLOW FOR
WORLD MENTAL
HEALTH DAY!

We will not be collecting on the day, but if you would like to donate to our Young Minds Just Giving Page, please click [here](#).



FIREWORKS DISPLAY – WEDNESDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2023



FIREWORKS DISPLAY

JOY LANE PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEDNESDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2023

GATES OPEN: 17:30

DISPLAY STARTS: 18:30

EVENT CLOSES: 19:00

<https://buytickets.at/joylanepriamaryfoundationschool/1027015>

HOT FOOD AND DRINK STALLS

PLEASE DO NOT BRING SPARKLERS

CARD PAYMENT AND CORRECT CHANGE

ADULTS £7

CHILDREN £4

FAMILY £20

(2ADULTS 2 CHILDREN)

UNDER 3S FREE



Buy tickets: <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/joylanepriamaryfoundationschool/1027015>



'HOUSE CAPTAIN CATCH UP'

Welcome to the weekly House Captain catch-up. On Wednesday, we had harvest festival and the whole school took part by donating as much food and toiletries as possible. We had an assembly and the visitors shared information about the food bank and what we can do to help! It is not just this week though, as you can donate at any time that is convenient for you because they're always looking for more donations!

As it is black history month, Mrs Kyle has sent out a task for all pupils who are interested through ClassDojo. In classes, we will be focusing on heroic individuals such as Martin Luther King and exploring poetry as part of National Poetry Day.

In addition, every Friday we have a music assembly where pupils show their interest in music and play for the school; however, everyone is involved in all the singing, and we learn about historic pieces of music and different instruments.

Lastly, last week all the different clubs started for the children across the school: choir, football, craft club, homework club and many more. The children have loved all the clubs and look forward to them resuming next week.

ATTENDANCE UPDATE

Attendance data week ending 6th October 2023



JLPS Whole School attendance	95.2%
Number of Persistent Absentees (less than 90% attendance)	94 pupils 15.33%

Klee – 94.8 %	Kahlo – 94%	Kandinsky – 90.3%
Van Gogh – 98.6%	Voysey – 93.2%	Vallotton – 98.5%
Picasso – 98.7%	Postgate – 95.3%	Potter – 93%
Riley – 95.2%	Rousseau – 96.3%	Ringold – 96.3%
Hockney – 97.5%	Heron – 95%	Hepworth – 91.4%
Degas – 96.6%	Dali – 98.3%	Da Vinci – 90.4%
Bailey – 95.5%	Banksy – 95%	Boyce – 96.1%
Oysters – 94.8%		

VISITING AUTHOR TO EARLY YEARS & KSI

As part of our World Mental Health Day, author Lisa Bentley will be talking to children in Pre-School, Reception and Key Stage 1 about her books 'Mindy Nose Best' and 'Don't Judge That Sludge!'



She will be running interactive picture book sessions, bringing her stories to life through drama and art activities, talking to the children about their wellbeing and inspiring them to think about their own stories, enthusing them about the joy of reading. Your child will come home with a copy of the letter and an order form to purchase an autographed and personalised copy of her books. Find the letters online [here](#).



FLU IMMUNISATION PROGRAMME

The Kent and Medway School Aged Immunisation Service is coming to school soon to carry out Flu Immunisation Programme for pupils in Years R to 6 – don't forget to consent or decline before the cut-off date via their website <https://www.kentcht.nhs.uk/imms> Scroll down and click on the blue button labelled "Child vaccination form" to fill in the form.

You can also phone the team 0300 123 5205, text 07401320923 or use their [web chat](#) if you have any questions about your child's immunisations.

NEW RECEPTION STARTERS 2024 – OPEN DAYS



Reception Starters
2024
Open days

Saturday	14th October 10am-12pm
Tuesday	17th October 9am -11am
Tuesday	14th November 9am-11am
Tuesday	21st November 9am-11am
Tuesday	21st November 6pm-7pm
Tuesday	9th January 9am-11am

Book a place [here](#).



PARENT & CARER CHECKLIST

- Next week will be **Week 2** of the menu.
- **We are collecting any Usborne Ready, Steady, Read Sponsored Read money until Friday 13th October. Thank you.**
- **Book a place here for our Year 1 Phonics workshop.**
- **Pop in to see Mrs Moorfield if you need tech support on a Monday morning or Thursday afternoon.**
- **Smarten up for school photos on Monday 9th October and Tuesday 10th October!**
- **Pre-register for access to your child's school photos at www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk and enter the following code: **JREGXWV****
- **If you have any unwanted dressing up clothes, Year 1 are looking to add to their play time stock. Please give to the office FAO Year 1. Thank you.**
- **Spread the word about our New Starters Reception events. Book your places here.**
- **Buy your firework tickets here:
<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/joylanepriamaryfoundationschool/1027015>**

