



# Joy Lane Primary School

*A Love of Learning, for Life, for All*

Oyster Bay Nursery & Oysters SRP (ASD)

Executive Headteacher: Ms D J Hines

Head of School: Mr M Ashley-Jones

Dear Parents & Carers

## Terms 5 & 6 Extended Learning Clubs

**Monday 29th April – Friday 28th June 2024 3:20 – 4:20pm**

Welcome to the old summer term, or as we say now - terms 5 and 6. As we embrace the beautiful weather and our wonderful school grounds, the Joy Lane team will once again be providing a range of Extended Learning Clubs to broaden the learning experiences of the children. The intention is that the extended learning clubs on offer continue to nurture, develop and stretch pupils' talents and interests, and we are pleased to share with you our Term 5 and 6 offer.

We will be offering a broad range of clubs for the children to sign up to through the year; however, due to reduced funding for schools and increased costs, we will once again be charging a nominal fee per session for the clubs. If your child is in receipt of **Free School Meals** then the School Pupil Premium allocated will meet the cost of the clubs; following government guidance, an 'early booking' window will also be made available for our Pupil Premium children.

I hope you agree that the list of clubs attached provides excellent value for money and is attractive for the pupils, and I do hope that the children make good use of them.

During Terms 5 and 6, the clubs will run from Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (7 sessions). Places will need to be booked and paid for in advance using our Arbor booking system. All Extended Learning clubs must adhere to the appropriate adult / child ratio and we, therefore, in some cases have to limit numbers accordingly.

**Please note there will be no extended learning clubs running on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June due to the Reading Festival taking place across the school site. Parents/Carers will not be charged for this session when booking via Arbor.**

Booking will go live via Arbor from **5pm Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April for Free School Meal families and from 9am Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April for the rest of the school. Booking will close for the whole school at 9am Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024.**

**Please see attached a brief synopsis of the clubs, which includes details of where to collect your child at 4:20pm once the club has finished.**

Our staff are very kindly providing the extra-curricular opportunities for your children; therefore, it is expected that all children follow our school ethos of being Ready, Responsible Respectful at all times. All children who sign up for a club are expected to attend every session to comply with our Safeguarding procedures. If a child is unable to attend, you must inform the school office so the necessary amendment can be made to the club register.

**After the club has finished, all children will need to be collected by an authorised adult.**

**Years 5 & 6 Children – If you give permission for your child to walk / cycle home independently, please contact the school office for the necessary arrangements to be made.**

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

*M Ashley-Jones*

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