

Parentmail Thursday 19th March, 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

We would like to wish all families celebrating Eid ul-Fitr tomorrow a very pleasant and enjoyable celebration – Eid Mubarak to you all! I'm also delighted to share that donations at and following the Lakeside Iftar event have reached an amazing £556! Thank you so much for your generosity Lakeside families!

Our Pupil Leadership Team have made a video of a special story for Ramadan and Eid, which you can watch via this link <https://vimeo.com/1174743357?share=copy&fl=sv&fe=ci> using the password pltEID26!

Also tomorrow pupils and staff are invited to wear red for Comic Relief Day and we will be collecting donations at the school gate in the morning. Next week, Year 5 will host their Comic Relief charity sale. This will take place on the morning of **Wednesday 25th March** and pupils in Years 3, 4 and 6 are invited to bring money to school to spend at the sale.

*****Chess Club cancellation*****

Chess Club on Monday 23rd March is cancelled due to Parent Consultations taking place in both school halls.

*****Football Club cancellation*****

Football Club on Monday 23rd March is cancelled due to the teacher attending Parent Consultations.

Parent Consultations

We look forward to welcoming parents and carers to school on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday (Year 1) for their teacher consultations.

PTA Silent Disco – Wednesday 25th March

We're all looking forward to the PTA Silent Discos next Wednesday!

Nursery to Year 3 disco – 5 – 5.45pm (parents/carers must stay with their children please)

Years 3 to 6 disco – 6 – 7pm (no mobile phones allowed at the disco please)

Please enter via main entrance; pick-up at the end of the KS2 disco will be from the KS2 entrance.

Thank you to Rhostio Coffee for their sponsorship of this event. Tickets are on sale from ParentPay (£4 per child; £2 for additional headphones for adults). Refreshments, starting from 50p, will be available to purchase. Parents must stay for the infant (Nursery to Year 2) disco. Adults can also join the fun with a dedicated 80s, 90s and 00s channel and hire your own headphones (come show the pupils your finest dance moves!)

PTA Spring Fair

Friday April 24th April, after school. Time to plant your seedlings for selling at the Spring Fair.

Particularly popular are tomato plants, sunflowers, petunias, geraniums and herb seedlings, also cuttings of plants from gardens.

Wishing you all a pleasant weekend.

Best wishes,

Rachel Mitchell
Headteacher

Upcoming events / Term dates

March 2026

Friday 27th March – break up for Easter
Sunday 29th March – Palm Sunday
Friday 3rd April – Good Friday
Sunday 5th April – Easter Sunday

April 2026

Monday 13th April – back to school
Monday 13th April to Friday 24th April – Year 3 Swimming
Wednesday 15th April – Codi Llais concert Years 5& 6 (plus choir members yr 4)
Thursday 16th April – Reception visit to Barry Island
Friday 17th April – Home Netball match against Lisvane Primary School (from 3pm)
Friday 24th April – PTA Spring Fair
Tuesday 28th April – Colorfoto taking photos of classes and teams

May 2026

Monday 4th May – Bank Holiday
Friday 8th May – Toybox Collection Day
Friday 15th May – Lakeside Netball Festival at school 1.30-4.30pm
Friday 22nd May – break up for Half Term
Sunday 24th May – Whitsun
Monday 25th May – Bank Holiday
Wednesday 26th to 30th May – Eid ul-Adha (during Half Term break)

June 2026

Monday 1st June – INSET DAY
Tuesday 2nd June – return to school
Wednesday 24th June – Foundation Phase Sports Day

July 2026

Wednesday 1st July – Key Stage 2 Sports Day
Friday 3rd July – PTA Summer Fair and Colour Run
Thursday 16th – last day for pupils
Friday 17th July – INSET DAY
Monday 20th July – INSET DAY

Term dates

2025-2026 Academic year

Spring Term 2026

INSET DAY	Monday 5 th January	
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1 st day for pupils	Tuesday 6 th January	
Break up for Half Term	Friday 13 th February	
HALF TERM BREAK	Monday 16 th February	Friday 20 th February
Return to school	Monday 23 rd February	
Break up for Easter	Friday 27 th March	
EASTER BREAK	Monday 30 th March	Friday 10 th April

Summer Term 2026

Return to school	Monday 13 th April	
Break up for Half Term	Friday 22 nd May	
HALF TERM BREAK	Monday 25 th May	Friday 29 th May
INSET DAY	Monday 1 st June	
Last day for pupils before Summer Break	Thursday 16 th July	
INSET DAY	Friday 17 th July	
INSET DAY	Monday 20 th July	

Autumn Term 2026

INSET DAY	Tuesday 1 st September	
INSET DAY	Wednesday 2 nd September	
1 st day for pupils	Thursday 3 rd September	