



Lower Farm Weekly



Friday 22nd September 2023

We are coming to the end of another fantastic week at Lower Farm Academy and children are settling well to school life. Please see dates attached for your diary with added details of upcoming events throughout the year.

School Photographs Monday 25th September



Parents are welcome to bring children with siblings from other schools from 8:00am—8:30am. All other children will have their photograph taken throughout the school day.

Reception children should attend in their normal school uniform and the PE activity for that day will be tailored to enable them to take part in their uniform.



Friday 29th September 14:00 - 15:00

Parents/carers are invited to join us for refreshments (tea/coffee and snacks) in the school hall and give a donation to Macmillan. It will be a chance for you to catch up and for some of our new parents to meet up and meet new staff.

Donations of biscuits and cakes will be gratefully received the week commencing 25th September.

Children will not be coming down to the hall due to numbers/capacity, but we still hope to see many of you there to help raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support. All donations will be made via <https://www.macmillan.org.uk/donate/how-to-donate> and given directly to Macmillan.

Parents/carers will access this event through the wooden gate at the side of the school and then into the hall through one of the side doors. There will be class clipboards where all parents/carers must sign in and out for this event.

Value Awards

Well done to those who have particularly stood out for displaying our school values this week.



Cherry

Orson Resilience

Chestnut

illy Care & Collaboration

Elder

Eshaal Achievement & Integrity

Elm

Timmy Achievement & Integrity

Hazel

Matthew Respect & Integrity

Holly

Poppy All School Values

Oak

Lena Resilience & Collaboration

Attendance

For week beginning 18th September:

Beech	100%
Birch	100%
Cherry Class:	97.9%
Chestnut Class:	97.3%
Elder Class:	91.3%
Elm Class:	99.0%
Hazel Class	94.6%
Holly	94.1%
Oak	92.8%

Congratulations to those classes that have reached an attendance of **97% or above**. It would be great to see every class reach 97% next week.

Dates for your Diary

Friday 29th September: MacMillan Coffee Afternoon 14:00 -15:00 (parents and carers welcome)
Monday 2nd October: Year 4 Grandparents Day 14:00 - 15:00 (details to follow)
Monday 16th October: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30
Friday 20th October: Friends of Lower/PTA Halloween Disco. (details below on separate page).
Children are welcome to come to school in non-uniform/Halloween costume for the day.

Half Term: Monday 30th October - Friday 3rd November

Wednesday 8th November: Parents/Carer Pupil Progress Meetings 13:30 - 18:00
Friday 17th November: Non-uniform day - wear yellow/spotty clothes for Children in Need
Monday 13th November: Anti-bullying week - wear odd socks to school on Monday
Friday 24th November: Non-uniform day - Bring in a bottle for Christmas fayre
Friday 8th December: Non-Uniform – Chocolate donation for Christmas fayre
Friday 8th December: Year 1 Royal Tea party 14:00 - 15:00
Tuesday 12th December: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30
Thursday 14th December: Reception Nativity 14:00 - 15:00
Monday 18th December: Christmas Fayre 15:30
Friday 22nd December: Non-uniform Day. School closes at 13:30 for Christmas Holidays

Christmas Holidays: Monday 25th December – Friday 5th January

Monday 8th January: Staff inset day - school closed

Tuesday 9th January: School opens for spring term
Wednesday 31st January: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30
Friday 9th February: Friends of Lower Farm Magic Show

Half Term: Monday 12th February – Friday 16th February

Wednesday 21st February: Parents/Carer Pupil Progress Meetings 13:30 - 18:00
Friday 1st March: Non-uniform day – Easter Egg donation
Friday 8th March: Year 2 Mothers' Day 14:00 - 15:00
Thursday 14th March: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30
Friday 15th March: Red Nose Day-details to follow
Thursday 21st March: Easter Bingo and Raffle
Friday 22nd March: School closes at 13:30 for Easter holidays

Easter Holidays: Monday 25th March – Friday 5th April

Monday 8th April: Staff Inset Day – School closed

Tuesday 9th April: School opens for summer term
Monday 6th May: Bank Holiday
Friday 17th May: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30
Friday 24th May: Non-uniform day – bottle donation

Half Term: Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May

Friday 7th June: Non-uniform – gift donation
Friday 14th June: year 3 Fathers' Day 14:00 — 15:00
Saturday 29th June: summer fayre – sports day
Monday 8th July: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30
Wednesday 10th July: Transition Day
Thursday 18th July: School closes at 13:30 for summer holidays



FRIENDS OF LOWER FARM ACADEMY
PRESENTS:

HALLOWEEN DISCO



£3.50 A TICKET

FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER



RECEPTION & YEAR 1: 3:30* – 4.45PM



YEARS 2, 3 & 4: 5:00 – 6:15PM



PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS BY 13TH OCTOBER FROM:

www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsoflowerfarmacademy

FANCY DRESS OPTIONAL

BISCUITS, DRINK & TREAT WILL BE PROVIDED (ALL ALLERGIES WILL BE CATERED FOR)

*RECEPTION AND YEAR 1 WILL HAVE A DRINK AND SNACK IN THE CLASSROOM AT 3:15
BEFORE HEADING STRAIGHT INTO THE DISCO

ALL PROCEEDS RAISED WILL GO TOWARDS THE EVENT AND THE SCHOOL






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**FRIENDS OF LOWER FARM ACADEMY
PRESENTS:**



2023 AUTUMN COLOURING COMPETITION!

**ALL ENTRANTS WILL BE DISPLAYED PROUDLY ON PROJECTOR SCREEN
AT THE HALLOWEEN DISCO**

A WINNER IS SELECTED FROM EACH YEAR GROUP FOR A PRIZE!

THEMES OF AUTUMNAL OR HALLOWEEN CREATIONS

WHICH CAN BE COLLAGES, MIXED MEDIA OR COLOURING IN

**50P
ENTRY FEE**



**PRIZES TO BE
WON**

HOW TO ENTER:

A4 OR A3 SIZE OF PAPER

**WRITE CHILDS NAME, YEAR & CLASS WITH ENTRY FEE OF 50P TAPED ON THE
BACK OF THE ARTWORK**

SUBMIT ENTRY IN LABELLED BOX LOCATED AT RECEPTION OFFICE

DEADLINE FOR ENTRY: 6TH OCTOBER 2023

**ALL PROCEEDS RAISED
WILL GO TO THE SCHOOL**

WINNERS ANNOUNCED ON FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER





Friends of Lower Farm Academy

Friends@lowerfarmacademy.org

Lower Farm Academy

Second-Hand Uniform List

Item	With Logo	Without Logo
T-Shirts - White	£1	50p
T-Shirts Purple PE	£1	50p
Jumper / Cardigan	£3	£1
Trousers		£2
Shorts Black/Grey		£2
Shorts PE Black		50p
Skirts		£2
Dresses		£2

Item	Age	Qty	Total
Total			

Name

Collection (Please specify from main reception or from class. Please state class name if class)

Payment (Card only) Please email this form and a contact number to friends@lowerfarmacademy.org, and a payment link will be sent to you via email or number)

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THE NEW SEASON HAS ARRIVED!

Come and find us at your friendly, local club
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ESTABLISHED AGE GROUPS

- Teams from Reception to Year 8
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- Get Fit and Grow in Confidence
- Make New Friends
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Just £20 per player per year!
- Subscription Fee
Family membership for only £7.50 a month!

Training takes place throughout the season on Sunday mornings from 10.15am. There is no need to book but we'd love to give you a warm welcome. For more information or to get in touch please email mandj@noerfc.co.uk or find us on social media.



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