



THE MESSENGER

The Langley Manor School Newsletter

Menu Week 1

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Dear Parents, Children and Staff

A successful week on the **sports field** with the Y5 and Y6 netball teams coming in first and second place at St. Helens respectively and the boys winning their rugby match against St. Bernard's. Well done to all our young sportsmen and women!

I was delighted that over 70 parents joined the children to celebrate language and culture learning at the annual **Languages Assembly** on Tuesday. It was a fantastic showcase of the children's skills and achievements in French, Spanish and German. When you think that most primary age children in this country take no languages at all it was very encouraging to see the children speak, act and sing in foreign languages so fluently. An Advanced Skills Teacher from the prestigious Langley academy told me afterwards that the children's performance was the best she had ever seen in any primary school. Bravo les enfants and well done to Madame Buchler-Thornton, Monsieur Nick and Senora Garcia for bringing the best out in them. I was also really pleased with the

Y4 Windsor Class Assembly on Thursday. It was all about the theme of remembrance but went deeper and looked at days of celebration from many different cultures and religions around the world. A most thought provoking and interesting assembly—well done Y4!

On Monday we welcomed our **School Improvement Partner** into school. Rob Crompton is an Ofsted Inspector and is helping us as a staff team move forward with our objective to move from 'good' to 'outstanding'. In all areas of school life. As part of this process, we will soon have the privilege of working with **Sir Jim Rose**, author of the acclaimed Rose Report on Primary Education. Sir Jim has just been made a Trustee of CfBT Education Trust and he makes his first visit to the school next Wednesday.

Finally enjoy Children in Need Day and see you at the **FOLMS Autumn Disco** where a good turnout is expected.

Best wishes,
Nicholas Owlett M.Ed

The Week Ahead

Wednesday 25th November

Pupil Achievement Day
2.30pm Rugby Match v Long Close
Away - Year 6

Thursday 26th November

9.15am Y4 Coffee Morning
9.15am Y6 Assembly

Friday 27th November

7-9pm Multi-activity Y6 Youth Club



ADULT SWIMMING LESSONS

You're never too old (or young) to learn swimming at Langley Manor!!

Lessons are held in a very relaxed atmosphere and classes cater from non-swimming to improver level.

As the classes are small and individual attention is always given.

From January 2010 the adult lessons will be held on Wednesday evenings between 6-7pm (term time only)

For further information, please contact Mrs Lambert or Mrs Godfrey.

Reminders and Notices

Christmas Lunch—Don't forget to book your Christmas Lunch by Friday 27th November. Only £3.50!

Christmas Production - E/Ys & LP

Tickets are selling fast for the LP & EY's Christmas production of "The Smallest Angel". Remember, ticket requests need to be in the school office by **27th November**.

Photo Consent Forms—these should be signed and returned to the school office by **Monday 23rd November**.



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BIGGIE WINNERS

Upper Phase

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|--------|------------------|
| Yellow | Eleanor Goswell |
| Blue | Sukanya Walhekar |
| Green | Sameer Choudhry |
| Red | Holly Bainbridge |
| Orange | Isaac Glanville |



Lower Phase

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|--------|-----------------------|
| Yellow | Sam Langley |
| Blue | Dorina Nentcheva |
| Red | Milly Collyer |
| Green | Amar Kalsi |
| Orange | Aaliyah Egunjobi-King |



Lost Property

"Mr Lostie" is full of unnamed clothes items.

Please check to see if your child has lost something, eg blaser, raincoat or trainers.

Unclaimed items will be disposed of on Friday, 27th November so please be sure to report any lost items prior to this date. Thank you.

Year 6 National Primary Mathematics

Challenge

Year 6 took part in a National Primary Mathematics Challenge. The 45 minute test had a mixture of complex worded problems covering all areas of number and shape.

Our results have been sent back and, if selected for the finals, the children will compete in a competition as set by the Mathematical Association.



NETBALL RESULTS

On Wednesday 18th November our Y5 and Y6 girls travelled over to St Helen's, Hillingdon for a Hi5 Netball Tournament.

The event was greatly enjoyed by all the girls. Thank you to St Helen's for making us most welcome and hosting a brilliant event. After much hard work from all teams, our Y5 girls came in 1st position and our Y6 girls came in 2nd.

An outstanding result - one to be proud of. Players of tournament:-

Y5 - Beth Edgson & Ella Fenton

Y6 - Freya Harrison.

Congratulations to all the squad and keep up the good work.



PHOTO CONSENT FORMS

These were e-mailed home. Please sign and return to the school office by Monday 23rd.

STAR SWIMMERS

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| Wraysbury | Poppy Collyer |
| Denham | Dorina Nentcheva |
| Henley | Benjamin Greatorex |
| Burnham | Georgia Mannings |
| Marlow | Tai Maddox |
| Chalfont | James Gorman |
| Windsor | Kalim O'Connell |
| Datchet | William Doidge |
| Eton | Daniel Frewin |
| Langley | Eleanor Goswell |



Brave Little Ones

None Awarded

