

# Loseley Fields Newsletter

February 2019

Dear Parents/ Carers,

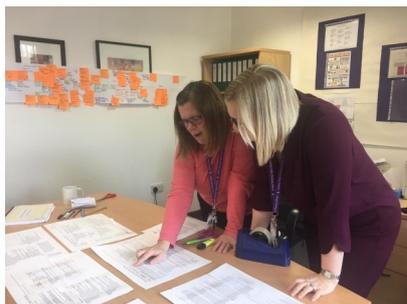
It has been lovely seeing the sun come out at long last and to be able to enjoy the lighter mornings and longer days. The Spring bulbs are waking up at the front of the school and before long we will see colour in our school gardens again. I was really able to enjoy watching the Year 3 teachers bringing learning in a Victorian classroom to life a few weeks ago in our school hall. Every time I entered the room the children all stood up with a formal greeting (thank goodness those days are no longer with us!). The children all thoroughly enjoyed this opportunity and this real life experience would have given the children a much better appreciation of this period of our history. The curriculum has been the focus of the senior team over the last few weeks also as we have begun work to develop an exciting new curriculum which we will be able to launch and implement as from September. As a staff we will be spending staff training time to further develop this as a team. It is an exciting project for our school! In this week's staff meeting, teachers undertook a book scrutiny looking at the expected standard in writing from Year R to Year 6. We were able to make some interesting observations and it was wonderful to see the progression of skills across the school. By now you will have received a letter about how we will be raising money for Red Nose Day. We are excited to launch this with the children on Monday and sharing some photos with you next month of all our crazy escapades!

The Red Noses arrived today and so the Year 6 children will be coming to classrooms to sell them next week (£1.25).

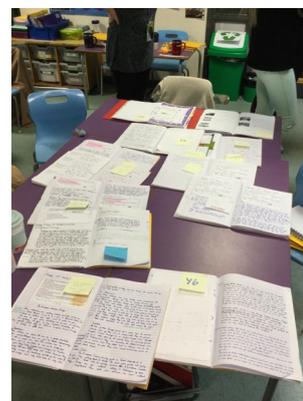
Kind Regards,  
Amanda Pedder  
Headteacher



*Year 3 Victorian Day*



*Bringing the curriculum to life*



*Staff Meeting: Book scrutiny looking at the expected standard in writing from Year R to Year 6*

## OUR FRIENDS OF LOSELEY FIELDS ORGANISATION NEEDS YOUR HELP!

As you are all aware our Friends Group works tirelessly to raise money for our school and to organise fun events for our children and parents to enjoy. This helps to develop an important sense of community for us all at Loseley. Recently, the Friends have been struggling to recruit support to run events. Your class representative will be asking for help via the Facebook pages as well as on classroom doors before events. If everyone does a little then a lot can be achieved.

We are also trying to recruit into some key roles within the Friends. If you think you may be able to get involved in the organisation and leadership of the group we would love to hear from you.

Many thanks.

## Dates for your diary

- 7th March—World Book Day
- 8th March—INSET Day
- 9th March—Swimming Gala
- 12th March—Watts Gallery (Lyra Class)
- 14th March—Year 4 Bikeability / SEND Coffee Morning
- 15th March—Year 4 Bikeability / Red Nose Day / Bingo
- 19th March—Marwell Zoo (Phoenix Class)
- 20th March—Watts Gallery (Hercules Class) / Tag Rugby
- 25th March—Rocksteady Concert (am)
- 28th March—Brooklands Museum (Year 2)