



Lydgate Junior School

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Dear parents

What a joy to see some sunshine!

FOLA

Thank you to FOLA for our new outdoor tables and parasols. The children are enjoying being able to eat their packed lunches outside. We continue to remind all our children to eat respectfully and clear up any food that they have dropped into the bins provided.

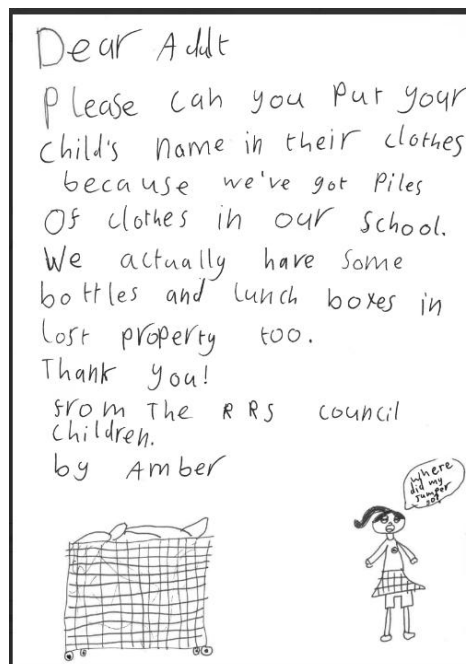
PARKING SAFELY

Parkers Patrol is now in full operation and community police are now supporting school too. We want to support safe parking and safe crossing of the roads. Please be a role model to the children and use the pedestrian crossing to cross. This will instil good habits for when your children are ready to independently cross the roads. Please park safely and do not drop children off at the zigzags. This is an offence that can give you three points on your licence. We are sad to share that in spite of all our efforts to make our community safe, there was a near miss with a child today. PLEASE PLEASE PARK RESPECTFULLY and SAFELY.

We are working with the council to look into improving the markings in the area too. We do now have a white line around the corner of Vernon Terrace.

LOST PROPERTY

We continue to have a mountain of lost property. The Rights Respecting School Council are wanting to support us having less lost property in school by encouraging everyone to put their names on all coats and jumpers. Please see this lovely letter from our Rights Respecting Council.



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CROSS COUNTRY

A huge thank you to all our children who have represented cross country this year. We are very grateful to all our parental support that motivates and supports Saturday mornings. a huge thank you to Alison Griffiths who has organised and supported the school cross country for several years. Alison is hanging up her running trainers for school. Thank you for your time and commitment Alison.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Just a reminder that our school uniform supports every weather. As the weather improves, please ensure that shorts are not too short and that pupils are dressing appropriately for school. Also please be safe as the weather improves and remember to apply sunscreen before school and bring the sunhats.

SATS Y6

As a school we do try to make the SATS testing for our Y6s as relaxed as we can whilst also wanting to encourage our children to do their best. We have found that offering Y6 pupils a SATS wellbeing breakfast has really supported our children in previous years. Thank you for all your support.

We hope you all have a wonderful bank holiday weekend, see you Tuesday 5 May.



Kind regards

Mrs Rachel Hurding
Headteacher