



Newsletter- Friday 27th June



Thank you all for your kind donations so far for next Friday's Summer Fair. Also, a big thank you to FOLS who raised around £300 selling refreshments at sports day last week.

Knock Out Cup

This week, a group of Year 5 and 6 children represented the school in the quarter final of the Knockout Cup against Widey Court Primary School. Despite going one nil down, the boys were not discouraged and fought their way back into the match playing some great football. They eventually ran out 4-1 winners and are through to the semifinal and possible final next Monday. Well done Team Leigham!



Earrings Reminder

Please can all parents remember that children should only wear one pair of small stud earrings to school. Children should not wear multiple earrings in each ear, and they shouldn't be hoops. Ideally earrings should not be worn on PE days and if they are, children should be able to remove them independently.

Spirit of the Games

A group of children attended the Spirit of the Games rowing competition on the Hoe yesterday. They each had to do a 100m sprint, a two-minute challenge and a six-minute team event. Mrs Tucker and Mr Easterbrook were impressed by their teamwork and how well they supported each other.



Field Gun Crew

On Saturday our Field Gun Crew will be running on the Hoe supported by Mrs Tucker. If you'd like to go and cheer them on, their times are 11:50, 13:40 and 16:20.

Connect Council

Yesterday, our Connect Council members met at Leigham to discuss all things Connect! The children met and spoke with the catering company to discuss what was going well and what changes they would like, discussed what each school had been doing and spent some time thinking about strategies for individual well-being. It was great to be together as a group again and we're looking forward to the next meeting in the new school year.



Staff Update

I am pleased to report that Miss Gregson will be our new Nursery Manager from September. She will be leading the Nursery, supported by Mrs Burgess, Mrs Walker and Mrs Blaik.

Mrs Jones will be leaving the team at Leigham at the end of this term. Donna has been a great addition to the team and a fabulous cleaner and we all wish her the best of luck in her new endeavours.

Celebrations

-Sebastian attended his football team 'ELM Tigers' presentation evening at Boringdon Golf Club and was really pleased to come away with 3 trophies. Sebastian was awarded the managers' player trophy for the 24-25 season and was over the moon!



-Albie won the Managers' Player award at his football presentation this weekend. Albie plays football for Goals Plymstock Under 8s

-At the Drake FC football presentation, Jax was awarded a trophy as he was voted the players' player for the season! He shows great support to his teammates, helping and supporting with positions on and off the pitch! They are really proud to have him in the team!



Good luck to Monroe and Henryk who will be performing in their Plymkids show 'Peter Pan' at the Barbican Theatre this weekend. They have both worked incredibly hard since September attending all their rehearsals, memorising their lines and song lyrics as well as the dance routines. Monroe is Nanna Dog and Henryk is a pirate!



Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Barker

Key Dates	
Tuesday 1 st July	Year 1 Learning Together at 2pm
Friday 4 th July	Summer Fair after school
Monday 7 th July	Year 3 Ancient Greek Day
Tuesday 8 th July	Year 1 Trip to the Aquarium
Tuesday 8 th July 2.30 pm	Year 5 Learning Together
Tuesday 15 th July 6pm	Year 6 Leavers Production
Thursday 17 th July	Rocksteady Concert
Friday 18 th July	Last day of Term 6
Wednesday 3 rd September	Return to school 25/26

Connect Academy Trust Term Dates 2025-2026

	September 2025	October 2025	November 2025	December 2025
Monday	01 08 15 22 29	06 13 20 27	03 10 17 24	01 08 15 22 29
Tuesday	02 09 16 23 30	07 14 21 28	04 11 18 25	02 09 16 23 30
Wednesday	03 10 17 24	01 08 15 22 29	05 12 19 26	03 10 17 24 31
Thursday	04 11 18 25	02 09 16 23 30	06 13 20 27	04 11 18 25
Friday	05 12 19 26	03 10 17 24 31	07 14 21 28	05 12 19 26
	January 2026	February 2026	March 2026	April 2026
Monday	05 12 19 26	02 09 16 23	02 09 16 23 30	06 13 20 27
Tuesday	06 13 20 27	03 10 17 24	03 10 17 24 31	07 14 21 28
Wednesday	07 14 21 28	04 11 18 25	04 11 18 25	01 08 15 22 29
Thursday	01 08 15 22 29	05 12 19 26	05 12 19 26	02 09 16 23 30
Friday	02 09 16 23 30	06 13 20 27	06 13 20 27	03 10 17 24
	May 2026	June 2026	July 2026	August 2026
Monday	04 11 18 25	01 08 15 22 29	06 13 20 27	03 10 17 24
Tuesday	05 12 19 26	02 09 16 23 30	07 14 21 28	04 11 18 25
Wednesday	06 13 20 27	03 10 17 24	01 08 15 22 29	05 12 19 26
Thursday	07 14 21 28	04 11 18 25	02 09 16 23 30	06 13 20 27
Friday	01 08 15 22 29	05 12 19 26	03 10 17 24 31	07 14 21 28

Holiday

Bank Holiday

Non Pupil Days

Awards Pages

If you would like to share significant successes e.g. from your child's involvement in clubs/ competitions out of school, please send a short explanation (and a photograph if you wish to include one) to admin@leigham-primary.plymouth.sch.uk with 'Newsletter Celebrations' in the subject line. Please note that the newsletter is shared via email and online through our website and social media platforms and so adding a photograph to your email means that you consent to it being shared in all of those places.

Class Charter Champion

Each week, staff recognise a class member who has demonstrated our school values of being **KIND, READY** for a challenge and a great **LEARNER**. They will be invited to celebrate with a hot chocolate on Friday afternoon.

Ash	Barnaby	Hazel	Ruben
Oak	Theodore	Fir	Ben
Poplar	Annie	Elm	Scarlett
Willow	Rupert	Pine	Nancy
Larch	Braydee	Yew	Ella
Spruce	Sarah	Maple	Henry
Beech	Alecia	Palm	Leyton



Dojo Awards

The classes with the most weekly Dojos in each Key Stage are shown below.

Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Year 2	Elm

NEW! Golden Table

Each week, lunch time staff recognise a class member who has demonstrated our school values both in the dinner hall and outside during playtime. They will be invited to sit at the Golden Table in the hall on a Friday lunchtime.

Ash	Freya	Hazel	Ryan D
Oak	Benjamin	Fir	Isla
Poplar	Reggie	Elm	Jessica
Willow	Harper	Pine	Marley
Larch	Ellie	Yew	James
Spruce	Renae	Maple	Lucas
Beech	Xander	Palm	Madeleine





Friends of Leigham School

SUMMER FAIR



Friday 4th July 2025

3:15 – 5:30PM



- GAMES • RAFFLE • BBQ • CAKES
- GLITTER TATTOOS
- REFRESHMENTS • FREE ENTRY
- ENTERTAINMENT • POLICE
- FIRE ENGINE • BOUNCY CASTLE

Please come and join FOLS and the school team to celebrate
the summer

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