

# Lacey Green Primary Academy 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026

## Updates for Parents



### SPORTS – Y5 & 6 FOOTBALL



Congratulations to all of our Year 5 & Y6 footballers. Our Year 5&6 Footballers finished in fifth place in the Wilmslow League this year, which put Lacey Green in a strong position for the cup rounds. However, despite good wins over both St Benedicts and St Anne's, the team could not hold on to our lead against Lindow, who took the cup this time. Well done to all of the team for their efforts.



Well done to our Y5 & Y6 Girls Footballers – They came runners-up in the Macclesfield Community Cup for Summer Term 1. They played some superb football, dominated possession and scored some wonderful goals as they cruised to the final. Unfortunately, the team could not quite find a way past Pownall Green, who won with some well-taken penalties in the shootout. Well done to them all- fantastic teamwork!

### CHANGES from September 2026 – Early Updates

To help parents plan, here are a few changes that will come into effect from **1<sup>st</sup> September 2026**.

#### **\*\*End of the school day pick up time change\*\***

From September 2026 the end of the school day for:

- **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be 3:25pm.**
- **Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 will continue to be 3:30pm**

#### **Lunch Price increase:**

From 1<sup>st</sup> September 2026 – the cost of a daily lunch will be £3.10 per day (£15.50 as week).

#### **Breakfast and Afterschool Club:**

Booking – Both breakfast and Afterschool Club will require prebooking from September 2026. There will be no ad hoc drop offs at Breakfast Club. A sign-up sheet will be sent to ALL families in July to register for your place at both breakfast and Afterschool Club. Even families that currently use the After School Club will need to sign up please

#### **Costs:**

- Breakfast Club will cost £6.50 (50p increase)
- Afterschool Club will cost £14.00 (£1 increase)

### SCIENCE WEEK



Last week, the children across the school were involved in our first official 'Working Scientifically Week' when they were tasked with designing their own experiments to solve an inquiry question in a practical and fun way. The focus of this week wasn't on the acquisition of facts, but on scientific processes: how to ask the right questions, make a test fair and -most importantly- what to do when the experiment does not go as planned!

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All of our year groups jumped headfirst into their investigations. Reception children asked questions about their class chicks that hatched last Friday, and the mini-beasts they are currently watching develop. Year 2 investigated which material was best to make their paper planes from and how that affected the flight length. Year 4 examined how far sound can travel, with Year 5 creating pulleys and investigating how changing variables in the system affected the force needed to pull a weight.



At the end of the week, the children's findings culminated in a whole-school showcase. Our class 'Science Ambassadors' presented their peers' work and addressed questions from other pupils. Feedback from the children, on this first science themed week, was excellent, and we look forward to making this an annual event in the school calendar!

### ARRIVAL OF SUNNY WEATHER- REMINDERS

With the better weather appearing more recently, please can we ask that the children come to school prepared for the weather: sun cream applied daily, refillable water bottles and a named hat required.

Please [Click Here](#) for our Sun Safety Guidance which explains what we do in school during the hot weather and what parents can do to support.



### YEAR 6 SATS WEEK – MAY 2026

**Year 6 SATs will take place from Monday, May 11 to Thursday, May 14, 2026.**

**SATs Schedule Monday, May 11, 2026:** English Grammar, Punctuation, and Spelling (GPS) papers 1 and 2.

- **Tuesday, May 12, 2026:** English Reading paper.
- **Wednesday, May 13, 2026:** Mathematics papers 1 (arithmetic) and 2 (reasoning).
- **Thursday, May 14, 2026:** Mathematics paper 3 (reasoning).



### HALF TERM HOLIDAY



Please note that we **close** for half term on **Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May** at the usual times and

**return to school on Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2026**

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### Y6 PGL RESIDENTIAL



A number of important documents about the Year 6 PGL residential were sent out last week, including an information letter, a medical form, a luggage label and a kit list/gift shop price list.

All of the documents are available on our website:

<https://www.laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk/page/pgl-2026/165815>

The Medical form must be completed and returned to school as soon as possible please

**IMPORTANT:** Departure time for **PGL is 9am on Monday 1st June.**

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the Year 6 Team.

### ROBINWOOD RESIDENTIAL - PAYMENTS

**ROBINWOOD PAYMENTS (Y4 2026-27):** Thank you to all Year 3 parents/carers who have now managed to pay six instalments so far towards the Year 4 Robinwood Residential for the Autumn 2026 Term. Three quarters of the balance should now be paid. Please note that if payment dates are missed then the place may be withdrawn. If you would like to discuss any issues regarding payments, please contact the school office or Ms Bacon.

### \*\*\* SCHOOL UNIFORM ORDERS\*\*\* REMINDER



Children's uniform now needs to be ordered directly with Express Uniform:

<https://expressuniform.co.uk/collections/lacey-green-primary-academy>

This can be delivered direct to your home address. If you would prefer to have the uniform delivered to school, you will need to enter **Voucher Code LGPASCHOOLDEL at checkout.**

Orders will be delivered to school once a week on a Friday with a cut off point for ordering 48 hours prior.

### STATUTORY TESTS – YEAR 1 / YEAR 4



**Year 1 Phonics Screening Check** – Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June

**Year 4 Multiplication Test Check** – Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> June and Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> June (During a 2 week period)

### SPORTS DAY- THURSDAY 25<sup>th</sup> JUNE

Our annual sports day is planned for **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June** and will **start at 12.45pm** and end at 3.45pm. Children will require a house coloured T-Shirt for the afternoon.

(red – Mottram    yellow – Capesthorpe    green – Gawsworth    blue – Tatton )

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### YEAR 6 – TRANSITION DAYS TO WILMSLOW HIGH SCHOOL

All pupils in Year 6, who have secured a secondary place at Wilmslow High School, should have received a letter from WHS with details about their Transition Days to Wilmslow High School on **30<sup>th</sup> June & 3<sup>rd</sup> July.**



If you have any queries about the transition, please send these to the following email address: [transition@wilmslowhigh.com](mailto:transition@wilmslowhigh.com)

### DROP OFF AND PICK UP TIMES AT SCHOOL

Please can we remind parents to park responsibly when dropping off children at the start of the school day and picking them up in the afternoons. This includes parents understanding that briefly stopping on the zig zag lines directly outside of the school for convenience is dangerous, as is blocking residents' driveways, parking too close to street corners and parking on the pavement. As mentioned in a recent Class Dojo message, please be aware that school is not in a position to challenge infringements so these should be addressed through the Op Park Safe portal on the Cheshire Constabulary webpage, where members of the public can upload photos of parking infringements, such as parking on zigzag lines or blocking pavements. Follow this link: Op Park Safe | Cheshire Constabulary - <https://www.cheshire.police.uk/police-forces/cheshire-constabulary/areas/cheshire/campaigns/op-park-safe>

### GENERAL REMINDERS



Parents can follow us on Class Dojo as we post reminders, useful information, updates from school and other community events of interest.

**ATTENDANCE:** If your child is unable to attend school for any reason, please contact the school office between 8.15am and 9.00am by telephone or email – [office@laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:office@laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk). If your child is late into school, they must report to the office first so that they can be entered onto the register.

Guidance is in the attendance policy below which can be found on the school website [https://www.laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk/serve\\_file/10425288](https://www.laceygreen.cheshire.sch.uk/serve_file/10425288)

DIARY DATES		
Date	Event	Who for
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	May Bank Holiday – School Closed	All parents/carers
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Cross Country Tournament – The Carrs – 4pm	Junior parents/carers
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATs Week	Y6 parents/carers
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	END OF HALF TERM <i>(normal end of day times)</i>	All parents/carers
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	SCHOOL RE-OPENS – 8.35am	All parents/carers
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June – Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	Y6 PGL	Y6 parents/carers
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June – Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check	Y4 parents/carers
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June – Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1 Phonics Screening Check	Y1 parents/carers
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day- 12.45pm	All parents/carers
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 WHS Transition Day (Day 1)	Y6 parents/carers
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Y6 WHS Transition Day (Day 2)	Y6 parents/carers
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Production – 10.00am	Y6 parents/carers

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Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 WHS Induction Evening for Y7	Y6 parents/carers
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Production – 6.30pm	Y6 parents/carers
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Production – 6.30pm	Y6 parents/carers
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Annual School Reports sent out	All parents/carers
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leaver's Assembly- 9.30am	Y6 parents/carers
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	SCHOOL CLOSERS EARLY for Summer – <b>1.15pm</b>	All parents/carers

All events dates can be found on Class Dojo.