

Y3 & Y4 Railway Day

Last term, Year 4 have had a wonderful immersive day to finish off their topic on The Railway Revolution. They dressed up as Victorian's and went back in time, learning about school and jobs they would be doing if born in that time period. They also learnt that many of the Christmas traditions we have today come from the Victorians. Lastly, they created their own train station, ticket office and train, travelling from London to Brighton to have an ice lolly!



Congratulations!

Miss Porch got married over the Christmas holiday and is now Mrs Broadbent! I am sure you will all join me in wishing Mr & Mrs Broadbent a bright and happy future together. Congratulations!



Y6 Visit to the Holocaust Museum

As part of their learning about World War 2, and the impact it had on different groups of people, Year 6 went on a trip to the National Holocaust Museum. Throughout the day, they followed the journey of a 10 year old Jewish boy (Leo), who lived at the time of the Holocaust in Germany. They had the opportunity to see real artefacts from the period; immerse themselves in a recreation of a Jewish home and a German school room; before walking along the cobbled streets of a German street, following the horrors of 'The Night of Broken Glass.' They then had the opportunity to learn about the children who were evacuated on the 'Kindertransport,' as well as experience the living conditions of the Jewish people left behind in hiding.



Happy New Year!

We hope you all enjoyed a happy and restful Christmas holiday. As we begin the new year, we would like to thank parents and carers for your continued support and look forward to another positive term of learning, growth and success together.

We would like to remind families that we have an **open-door policy** at Linchfield, so if you have any questions or concerns, please do speak to a member of staff. Working together is important and helps us to support every child effectively.



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Short Story Competition

Do you enjoy writing? Enter Deepings' short story competition - let your imagination run wild and have fun with your writing.



'The human heart has hidden treasures, In secret kept, in silence sealed' *Charlotte Brontë*

Short Story Competition
'Hidden Treasures' is your theme Closing date 9th March 2026

8-15 years
500 words
judged by
Barbara Henderson 

Adults
1k words
judged by
Vaseem Khan 

www.deepingsliteraryfestival.co.uk

Online Safety After Christmas

After the Christmas holidays, many children receive new devices such as tablets, games consoles, smart watches or phones. While technology can support learning and creativity, it's important to help children use it safely.

Parents are encouraged to:

- Check **privacy settings** and **parental controls** on new devices and apps
- Ensure games, apps and videos are **age appropriate**
- Be aware that many online games include **chat or messaging features**
- Set clear rules around **screen time**, especially before bedtime

Please remind children:

- Not to share personal information online
- Not to talk to people they don't know in real life
- To tell a trusted adult if something online makes them feel worried or uncomfortable

Useful websites for parents include:

- **NSPCC / Net Aware**
- **Internet Matters**
- **CEOP**

By working together at home and school, we can help children enjoy technology safely and responsibly.



Diary Dates

Wednesday 14 January

Thursday 22 January

Friday 23 January

Thursday 29 January

Wednesday 11 February

Friday 13 February

Monday 23 February

Tuesday 10 March

Thursday 2 April

Monday 20 April

11 - 14 May

Friday 22 May

Tuesday 2 June

Wednesday 22 July

Year 3 and Year 4 Spanish Day

Year 5 Visit to Peterborough Mosque & Cathedral

Uniform Sale after school

Bag2School Collection

Young Voices - Sheffield Arena

Valentine Discos

End of Term 3

Term 4 Begins

Valerie Bloom Poet Visit

End of Term 4

Term 5 Begins

Year 6 SATs

End of Term 5

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