



# The Clock



From ***Mrs Piper-Hadfield***

***Time for the latest news:***

*Well, what a fabulous year it has been at Longford! We have so much to celebrate. From the fabulous achievements of our children to the variety of event days held and our new learning environment (and so much more!), it has been a truly brilliant year! We are very excited for what next year will bring - there are already lots of plans in place.*

***Time to Celebrate...***



**Mrs Piper-Hadfield's sparklers this week are:**

The whole Longford family for such an amazing year, with so many highlights!

**Cover Photo: Our wonderful Y6s – you will be missed!**



We are of course looking forward to welcoming all of our new children into the Longford and EMBARK family.

We are however going to miss our wonderful Y6s who have left us today but we wish them all the best for the future and know they will go on to achieve great things! Good luck to every single one of them – you’ll be missed!

Thank you again to the whole school community for your support this year and a special thank you to the Y6 parents who are also leaving us this year – you will also be missed!

### Calendar for September

I have added the key dates already planned for next year below, as I know many of you appreciate having them as early as possible.

Our annual **Parent Information Meeting** will take place at 5.15pm on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September at school.

Please join us to hear key information for the next academic year.

Details about other events will be sent out in due course once we return in September.

### Wraparound Care – September

Clubs will continue to run as they have this year.

All are to be booked via ParentPay except for a Tuesday, which is to be booked directly via Primary Stars.

**Breakfast Club** – 8am-8.50am Monday-Friday

**After-School Club** 3.15-5.15 (first hour themed, second hour general)

**Monday:** Yoga with Mrs Bates

**Tuesday:** Dodgeball (**book directly with Primary Stars**)

**Wednesday:** Creative with Miss Beresford

**Thursday:** Footgolf & Handball

**Friday:** Games with Miss Beresford (until 4.15pm)

(Whilst Primary Stars will also be running a Thursday, it is part of our PE package and so booked directly via us).



Please scan the code on this leaflet (attached) to book Tuesday's club.

### PE days

Next year, we will be welcoming Primary Stars into school on a Thursday to offer a diverse PE curriculum. PE days for each class, are as follows:

**Robins** – Tuesday & Thursday

**Woodpeckers** – Wednesday (swimming) & Thursday

**Owls** – Tuesday & Thursday

On these days, children should come dressed in their PE kit.

**Please note** – Robins (YR/1/2) do not need to wear their PE kit on the first day/Tuesday back.

### **First Week Back:**

Monday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup>
Inset – school closed to pupils	Dodgeball Club	Creative Club	Primary Stars Club	Games Club (Miss Beresford)



Important dates for next term:

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September** – Inset day (school closed to pupils)  
**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September** – School year begins for all pupils  
**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September** – Parent Information Meeting, 5.15pm.  
**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October** – Grandparents' Day  
**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October** – Robins' School Trip  
**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October** – Owls' Topic Workshop  
**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October** – Longford Little Ones  
**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October** – Response Marking Morning  
**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October** – Parent Consultation Meetings  
**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October** – Inset day (school closed to pupils)

**HALF TERM**

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November** – Woodpeckers' School Trip  
**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November** – Open Day for prospective parents (school open as normal)  
**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November** – Response Marking Morning  
**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December** – Longford Little Ones (Christmas Party)  
**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December** – Whole-school theatre trip  
**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas plays at Wyaston  
**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December** – Church Service at St Chad's (TBC) & last day of term

