



The Lindhead News



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Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Fire Service Visit - We had a visit from the Fire Service on Monday, with each class enjoying a session learning about fire safety, fire-fighting equipment and the fire engine itself.



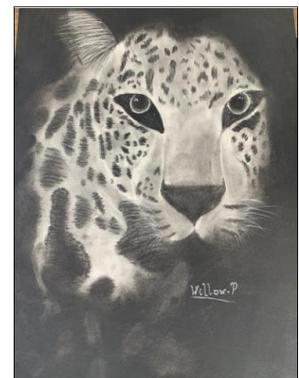
Royal Academy of Arts Summer Show – last day for submitting artwork is Friday 23rd April. One of the highlights of the week for me has been seeing some of the amazing artwork the children have done at home for this!



Beautiful No Matter What - Sofia



A Night Forest - Jasmine



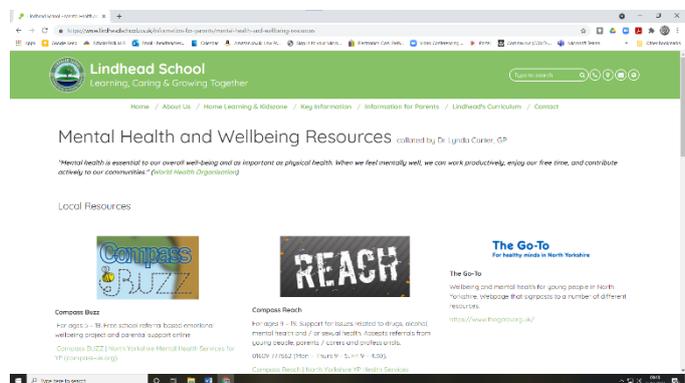
Leopard - Willow

Parents' Evening – The ParentMail system is now live for bookings for parents' evening phone calls during week beginning **Monday 26th April**. Thank you to everyone who has signed up already. (The ParentMail App is available to download free from the App store or Google Play)

Friendship Clubs have been taking place this week with lots of fun being had. They are proving so popular that some classes are splitting into 2 groups over the course of the term. Here are some examples of the super artwork Y4' Friendship Club did using science with Mrs Henderson!



Mental Health and Wellbeing Resources – There is now a dedicated page on the school website for these - <https://www.lindheadschoo.co.uk/information-for-parents/mental-health-and-wellbeing-resources>, collated by Lynda Carter, GP (thank you!)



FOLS News - The Easter treat fundraiser raised £176.10! Thank you for your support! There is a Bag2School collection on Thursday 29th April, so please have a spring clear out and bring your unwanted items to school by 9:30am, in any bin liner (no bags being sent out still due to Covid).

We accept the following **'good quality'** items for RE-USE*:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)



** We reserve the right to refuse any unsuitable items*

We **DO NOT** accept:

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing
- School uniforms with and without logo
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

Finally, thank you again to everyone – children, staff and parents for a really positive start to the summer term. One of my favourite things happening at the moment is the focus we are having on physical activity. We are really seeing the benefits of keeping the children active. It helps that the sun is shining also!



We are currently thinking carefully about our Covid-19 procedures and routines to see what we can improve and how we can enhance the children’s school experience. Having Football and Friendship Clubs going is a great start and I can assure parents that we are doing everything we can to help the children make progress in important areas of learning. ‘Topic Notes’ for the term explaining the term’s curriculum in each year group will be sent home in the near future as well as our ‘Transition Curriculum’ being published on the website.

Stay safe,

Simon England
Headteacher

