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Dear Parents,

This week my thanks go to the above sponsors for sponsoring our newsletter for 2015. Please consider contacting them if you require their services.

Stars of the week for week ending 19th June 2015

Reception – Millie and Maisey Hall
Year 1 – Freya Huyton
Year 2 – Out on a school trip
Year 3 – Hudson Gallagher
Year 4 – Sam McGowan
Year 5 – Joshua Thompson
Year 6 – Out on a school trip

Stars of the week for week ending 26th June 2015

Reception – Tamzin Anderson & Faith Smith
Year 1 – Katie Lock
Year 2 – Finlay Fairbrother
Year 3 – Annabelle Mather
Year 4 – Jesikah Anderson
Year 5 – Leah Ratcliffe
Year 6 – Oliver Holt & Ben Hurdus

Well done children and keep up the good work!

Congratulations to the New School Council

Well done to our recently elected new school council members for the next academic year.
The new council members are:
Year 1Jaiden Huyton and Hallie Lovett
Year 2 Katie Lock and James Williams
Year 3 Jayden Blakeley and Ruby Sheehan
Year 4 Ella Draper and Corey Openshaw
Year 5 George Little and Maisie Halliwell
Year 6 Matthew Caswell and Molly Barnes

The children have been voted to represent their class by their peers following a democratic process. All votes were cast on Monday and the results announced on Tuesday 30th June.

Parent Governor

I am pleased to announce that Mrs Boon is our new Parent Governor with effect from September 2015. She has a daughter is Reception and Year 3. Under the reconstitution of the Governing Body we are now required to have 2 Parent Governors.
As there was only one nomination an election was not needed in this instance.
Congratulations to Mrs Boon!!

Let the Children Speak

I would like to give a special mention to two of our Year 6 pupils Ben Hurdus and Oliver Holt who took part in a special event, organised by the Leigh Rotary Club. They prepared and delivered a speech about the recent Enterprise Evening to a large audience. Well done Ben and Oliver.

Whole School Choir Performance – Alice in Wonderland – Thursday 9th July at 6.00pm

Mrs Dring and Miss Hitchen have been working hard with the choir to prepare for this end of year production. Tickets go on sale this week priced £2.50 each.
An order form is attached to this newsletter, tickets will be sent home close to the performance date.
The proceeds go towards the cost of the coach for the choir to go to Manchester Arena to perform in the Young Voices Competition.

PLEASE ORDER YOUR TICKETS NOW

School Reports – Friday 10th July

Your child's report will be sent out on the above date. Please can you ensure that you complete the acknowledgement slip and return it to school with any additional discuss the report further, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

New National Curriculum

You may also find it helpful to refer to the school website www.twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk for information about the New National Curriculum. This has been a year of transition when Years 1,3,4 & 5 have been taught the new curriculum and Years 2 & 6 the old and therefore reporting formats have changed to reflect this.Parents were given information regarding age expectations for each year group at parent's evenings last term. These leaflets demonstrated greater expectations in each year. Copies of these information leaflets will be distributed again at the beginning of the new academic year but are also available from the school office.
Finally, the report also includes a section in which the children have the opportunity to express their own views regarding their learning.

Monday 13th July – Summer Coffee Morning at 9am in the school hall

The friends have organised this event and everyone is welcome. Tea, coffee and cakes will be served. Children are invited to decorate a fruit or vegetable. If you google images of decorated vegetables there are lots of innovative ideas. The school council will decide on a winner and all the children who enter will receive a small prize.

Tuesday 14th July – Class transition

The children will have the opportunity to spend time with their new class teacher in their new classroom. The teachers for each year group from September 2015 is as follows:

Reception	-	Mrs Cain
Year 1	-	Mrs Yates
Year 2	-	Miss Hope mornings & 1 afternoon and Mrs Whitton 4 afternoons
Year 3	-	Miss Sweeney
Year 4	-	Miss Hitchen
Year 5	-	Mr Rowlands
Year 6	-	Mrs Marsden
Miss Ryan		)
Mr Farrimond		) Support Teachers
Mrs Nathaniel		)

Wednesday 15th July – M & M Theatre Productions

As an end of term treat this theatre company will once again be visiting school and this year will put on the production 'A Little Princess' for the whole school.

Thursday 16th July – Year 6 Leavers Thanksgiving Mass at 9am in XII Apostles Church

Parents, relative, parishioners and friends are invited to join the whole school for this special mass led by Year 6 pupils.

Friday 17th July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9am in the school hall

Parents, relatives and friends are invited to join our year 6 children for this farewell assembly.

School closes for the summer break at 3.15pm on Friday 17th July and re-opens on Tuesday 1st September.

Reminder to parents during the warm weather to send their children with sun hats and put them sun cream on in the morning before they come to school.

Thank you

Mrs Newton
Head teacher

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Choir Performance – Alice in Wonderland Thursday 9th July at 6.00pm

Child's Name: _____ Year: _____

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Signed: _____