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Dates for your diary:

Term time

The Spring term runs from 9th January until 31st March, 2023.

Summer term:

School reopens Monday 17th April:

- 7.45 am for Breakfast Club
- 8.45 am for the whole school on Monday 17th April.

See you then!

Happy holidays!

Dear parents and carers,

A very short newsletter this week!

Ms Lipscombe

Today we said an emotional farewell to Ms Lipscombe. The children presented her with flowers and cards and wrote a poem for her. I am sure you will join me in wishing her the very best of luck at St Joseph's.

Chadwick's kitchen

We have been asked to share the following information with you.



Update: Primary School Lunch Survey

Thanks to all the parents who responded to our Trust-wide lunch survey which closed 6 March 2023. A summary of responses is below:

- **78%** of respondents said their children stayed for school lunch.
- **52%** of respondents felt it would be helpful if the process for swapping between school lunch and packed lunch was easier.
- **70%** of respondents thought sandwiches should be back on the menu
- **40%** of respondents thought sandwiches should be offered 1 – 2 days per week
- **80%** of respondents would attend a taster event in school

Thank you also for all your comments, the majority of which were very positive. There were a few which suggested that the high standards we set ourselves for catering provision across the Trust are not being as efficiently maintained as we would like in some areas. If you do have concerns please raise with your school at your earliest convenience so we can address.

Reminder: Our Spring/Summer menu's going live after Easter break - look out for the paper copy which your child will be bringing home from school. Or this will be available on our page on the Trust's website - bccet.org.uk/chadwicks-kitchen/

Easter egg competition

It was lovely to see so many entries into our Easter egg competition – our children are very talented! The winners have been chosen by Deacon Norman and Mrs Barron; it was such a difficult decision. Please see our Facebook page for all of the winners. There were no losers, as all children who entered received a small bar of chocolate.

Happy Easter

From all of the staff at St Leonard's, I would like to wish you the happiest of holidays and hope you have a very happy and holy Easter.

Mrs Dunn