

Parent Update

13th February 2026

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Ideas for half term holiday—in Leighton Buzzard & Central Bedfordshire

https://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/info/202/school_holiday_activities?utm_source=email&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Feb+half+term+activities+2026&es_c=2B70F647C3088BBAB0FD04577B325726&es_cl=B11E84E9847A800C5E8D6D79CC3BE449&es_id=p48%22a3j4

Leighton Buzzard Library

Saturday 14 February, storytime with rhymes from 10am to 10:30am

Wooden heart craft session from 10am to 3:30pm

LEGO, DUPLO and Sticklebricks from 10:30am to 1:30pm

Pokemon club from 2pm to 3:30pm

Tuesday 17 February, jewellery box craft session from 10am to midday, Penguin craft session from 2:30pm to 4:30pm

Wednesday 18 February, split pin dragon craft session from 10am to midday, Busy Builders from 2:30pm to 4:30pm

Thursday 19 February, rainbow whale craft session from 10am to midday

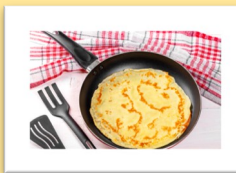
Storytime from 11am to 11:30am, 3D rain cloud craft session from 2:30pm to 4:30pm

Friday 20 February, pick and mix craft session from 10am to midday, giant games session from 2:30pm to 4:30pm

Saturday 21 February, LEGO, DUPLO & Sticklebricks from 10:30am to 1:30pm

Junk modelling from 2pm to 3:30pm

Alternative events
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Monday 23rd February — Pancake Races

(Yes we know it's not Shrove Tuesday!)

We are still holding our traditional Pancake races after school on Monday 23rd February. We will release everyone first, and then invite all parents and children back to the main field where we will hold the races. Children in Little Saints will do theirs when everyone has left the field. Please bring your own (child size) pan, and pancakes for your child to race with.

Please also bring a tin donation for the food bank—please see below.

Full details are attached with the email—Exciting news

Our Lenten Challenge: This Lent, as a school community, we are challenging ourselves to collectively walk/wheel the distance from Pulford VA Lower School all the way to Jerusalem! **A total of 3,000 miles!**

This will be a sponsored walk - All funds raised go to Pulford School PTA and will be used for new playground equipment to keep our children healthy, active and happy! Don't forget to ask your friends and family to sponsor you or via our SuperKind page (link to follow.)

Each week we will be asking you to keep a track of how far you walk, and send it to us using this google form link: <https://forms.gle/CkfmLnbGxMuHMJxt9>

This can be anything from walking/scooting/ cycling to or from school, to the shops, or a walk around Rushmere. You can track your walks via google/apple fit or maps, or apps such as Strava, footpaths or fitbit, or a good old fashioned paper map. An average child aged 4-9 will take c.3000 steps to do a mile (2000 steps for an adult).

Your totals, along with daily miles done at school, will be added to a totaliser - the whole school will be updated each week as to how far we have virtually travelled.

As Lent begins on Ash Wednesday during half term, we would like every child to kick things off with **Value Walks** over the holiday. The first day back after half term will be **PANCAKE MONDAY!** So along with your pancakes & pans, please bring a tin for the food bank.



Please see a link and details for events which families who have SEND children may like to attend.

<https://www.freddieandfriends.org/upcoming-events>



Family SEND meetup - Picture House, Lake Street Leighton Buzzard - Sunday 15 February 10am-12pm. We will bring some games and activities and the TVs will show a variety of programmes. The price is £5 if you have one child and a carer and then £8 if you have more than one child. The price includes a breakfast sandwich and hot drinks.

- Gravity Trampoline Park, Xscape, Milton Keynes - Tuesday 17 February - 1-2 pm - £4 a child, carer goes free.

- Community hub session, Pages Park Pavilion - Wednesday 18 February 10-1 - the first hour will be for SEND. The price will be £5 for the first child and then £2 each for additional children - pay on arrival. There will be drinks and snacks to purchase. We will have a bouncy castle, soft play and other activities.

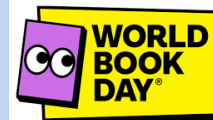
- Family fun quiz, Axe and Compass, Heath and Reach - Thursday 19 February - 3-5pm. Suitable for all the family. Snacks will be included. We will also be running a raffle.

- Elvis fundraiser night - Leighton Buzzard Football Club, Bell Alley, Lake Street, Leighton Buzzard - Friday 27 March - 7.45 pm till late - come and join us for an awesome night of Elvis with Danny Graceland. There will also be a raffle running.

Maypole starts 2nd March 2026

KS2 children have been invited to join Maypole classes, with performances on the High Street on May day, and All Saints Summer Fete in July please see your emails for more information.

World Book Day 5th March 2026



This year the children can come dressed up as a book character, wear their pyjamas or come in school uniform. **Please make sure that any clothes worn are suitable for break and lunchtimes.**

Please bring a suggested £1 donation.

The children will all receive their World Book Day vouchers on this day.

Thank you
Mrs Horsfield

Have a wonderful Spring
break!

We are back to school on



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