

THE PREMIER OBSERVER



SPRING 2019 NEWSLETTER FOR PATIENTS AND STAFF



Star Staff

WELL DONE!!

Our whole reception team. They have worked tirelessly over the busy winter period and this has not gone unnoticed. Thank you ladies!

Medical Fact!

The tongue is the strongest muscle in the body! A Giraffes tongue is a huge 21inches long!



Healthy Days/Charity Events/School Support

In March 2019, our Nurses Delia and Angela, along with the Practice Manager Caroline, attended St Joseph's Primary in Leigh and hosted an Asthma Education Event for pupils and their families focussing upon inhaler technique and control of symptoms. We had incredibly good feedback from this.



DNA REPORTING

In the last 3 months, 97.5% of patients attended their appointments. Please be mindful regarding rearranging or cancelling appointments you cannot attend. Remember you can use our text message service to cancel!



Flu Vaccinations!

Our flu vaccine season for 2019/20 will start again in September. Look out for news of our first clinics towards the end of Summer.



PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP

The next PPG meeting will be held on Monday 27th May 2019 at 6.45pm. If you are interested in becoming a member of our group please speak to any member of the team who will be happy to help and advise you. Don't forget that the PPG host the weekly walk in conjunction with Inspiring healthy lifestyles, each Tuesday at 1.30pm from the practice.

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Dr Kumar is the named accountable GP for all of our patients. However patients are still able to see the available GP of their choice.

Useful telephone numbers:

Learning Disabilities Team: 01942 482543

NHS 111 Service: 111

Leigh Walk In Centre – 01942 483483

Useful websites

Want to lose weight?

www.slimmingworld.co.uk

Check out our practice website for all you need to know:

www.premierhealthteam.org

New GP

We welcome back a GP to Premier Health Team who has worked with us previously, Dr Wesley Tensel. Dr Tensel currently works part time but from July 2019 will be a full time partner. A big welcome back to Wes!

Policy of the season

Infection Prevention and Control Policy

2019

Our nurse partner Delia Clarke is our lead for infection control and works in conjunction with Wigan Borough CCG and the Infection control lead Julie O'Malley to ensure we continue to be fully updated and complaint with regards to preventing the spread of all infections.