

ST. LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL



Friday February 10th 2017

Year 5 Trip

On Wednesday 8th February, Year 5 went to Offa's Dyke & The Planetarium in Knighton. First of all, we went to the Planetarium and had a tour around. We began by going into a small room where we saw photographs of all of the planets in space; we also got to see all of the robotic cameras that take photos of the solar system and found out that they all have names. We even went into a dome and got to see some of the constellations that the stars make, like Orion's belt. On Orion's sword there are lots of little stars that are all together and are all making new stars! Another amazing fact that we found out was that the Spaceguard centre can control telescopes all around the world!



In the afternoon, we went to Offa's Dyke which is the border of England and Wales. First we found out some facts about King Offa. Next we went on a walk down to the border which is a big ditch and used to have a big earth wall on one side.



We also got to put one foot in Wales and England.

WE HAD AN AMAZING TIME!

by Taia Owen, Rose Boylett & Matthew Channon Year 5

Our value this term is

Compassion

'Compassion' and 'sympathy' have much in common and both are stronger in meaning than simply 'feeling sorry for' someone.

1 Peter 3:8

Finally, all of you, live in harmony with one another; be sympathetic, love as brothers, be compassionate and humble.

'Love and compassion are necessities not luxuries. Without them humanity cannot survive'.

Dalai Lama

Class Assemblies

Spring Term

Weds. March 8th 9.15am Yr.2

Weds. March 15th 9.15am Yr.5

Weds. March 22nd 9.15am Yr.R

Weds. March 29th 9.15am Yr.6

Tues. 4th April

Easter service at St. Laurence's Church

Year 1 - Wonderful Weather Assembly

On Wednesday, we performed our assembly all about different kinds of weather. We found out what causes different weather, painted weather pictures, sang weather songs and thought about the right kinds of clothes for each type of weather.

Thank you to the year 1 parents who supported it. Well done Year 1 you did a wonderful job!

Please visit our webpage to see pictures.

Year 3 Cosford Trip

Year 3 had a great time at RAF Cosford Air Museum on Monday. They made parachutes out of different materials and tested them by launching them from a balcony. They also investigated whether the length of a helicopter's propellers affects the way it flies. Other highlights include: standing directly under a Vulcan bomber, sitting in the cockpit of a real aircraft and a ride in the glass lift to the viewing platform! Well done Year 3!



On Wednesday some of our G&T dancers were invited to Ludlow Secondary school.

They had a brilliant time learning how to line dance to Cotton Eyed Joe.

All the children behaved very well and tried their hardest.

A huge thank you to Mrs Stephens for running the Scholastic Book Fair and thank you to everyone that supported it.

WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday March 2nd Dress up as your favourite book character



Spring 2017 - Please check for changes after half term

Club	Age group	Day	Time <u>3.30 – 4.30</u>	Teacher	Max. number of children First come, first served
Art	Y3 & Y4	Monday	After school	Miss Pick & Mrs Mintoft	FULL
Netball	Y3 & Y4	Monday	After school	Mrs Harding	
Minecraft Club	KS2	Monday	After school	Mrs Wall	12 PLACES First come, first served
Orchestra	KS2	Tuesday	After school	Mrs Kirkland	
Top Play	KS1	Wednesday	After school	Miss Lee	FULL
Musical Theatre	KS2	Thursday	After school	Mrs Reid	FULL
Cross Country	KS2	Thursday	After school	Mrs Caine & Miss Ferguson	FULL
Football	Y3 & Y4	Friday	After school	Sportsjam	Second half of term
Netball	Y5 & Y6	Friday	After school	Mrs Gilford & Mrs Berry	

No Top play on Wednesday / No Musical Theatre on Thursday due to parents evening.



February Birthdays

Devon Samuel, Wilfred Franklin, Hayden Arrowsmith

Special Menu

Muller Promotion
& Competition

Tuesday 14th February

Sausages
Wraps
Chips or Pasta, Sweetcorn &
Baked Beans

Followed by
Waffles with Yoghurt &
coulis
Or
Flapjack with Honey Yoghurt

Competition – Create you
own Muller yoghurt. Entry
forms can be obtained from
Mrs Evans.

Nursery

This week the children have enjoyed sharing the story of Stick Man, they took home their stick men from Forest School and one child came back with a wonderfully dressed stick man.



We have been really focussing on what sound our names begin with and what else we can think of

that begins with the same sound. The children even found their sound stone in our forest school and we were trying to identify what initial sounds we could hear when we found things around our Forest school.



Cross Country 🏃🏃🏃

A fantastic afternoon of racing at the Lucton School Annual Cross Country competition, with over 400 children participating from 3 Counties. Well done to everyone, a very muddy and cold event .

Special congratulations to Millie Metzger and Oliver Cassidy for your 2ND and 3rd place podium finishes ..



We are very PROUD of you all.

The Friends of St Laurence's
Invite you to an Easter Bingo
Night - **Friday March 10th**
Cheesy Chips & Bar

Keep your eye on the
Newsletter for further details
Don't forget to save any
unwanted clothes for
Bags2School.
Collection Friday 24th March

Nursery are working hard with our numbers, can the children count out the plates, knives and forks for the table at home? What numbers can you spot on the way home from school, look at number plates and numbers on the doors?

Thank you for your continued support with this



Whole School Competition time

St Laurence's Nursery need your help to give us a new name and a logo.

We would like you to design a logo with a new name for our Nursery which is exciting and fun.

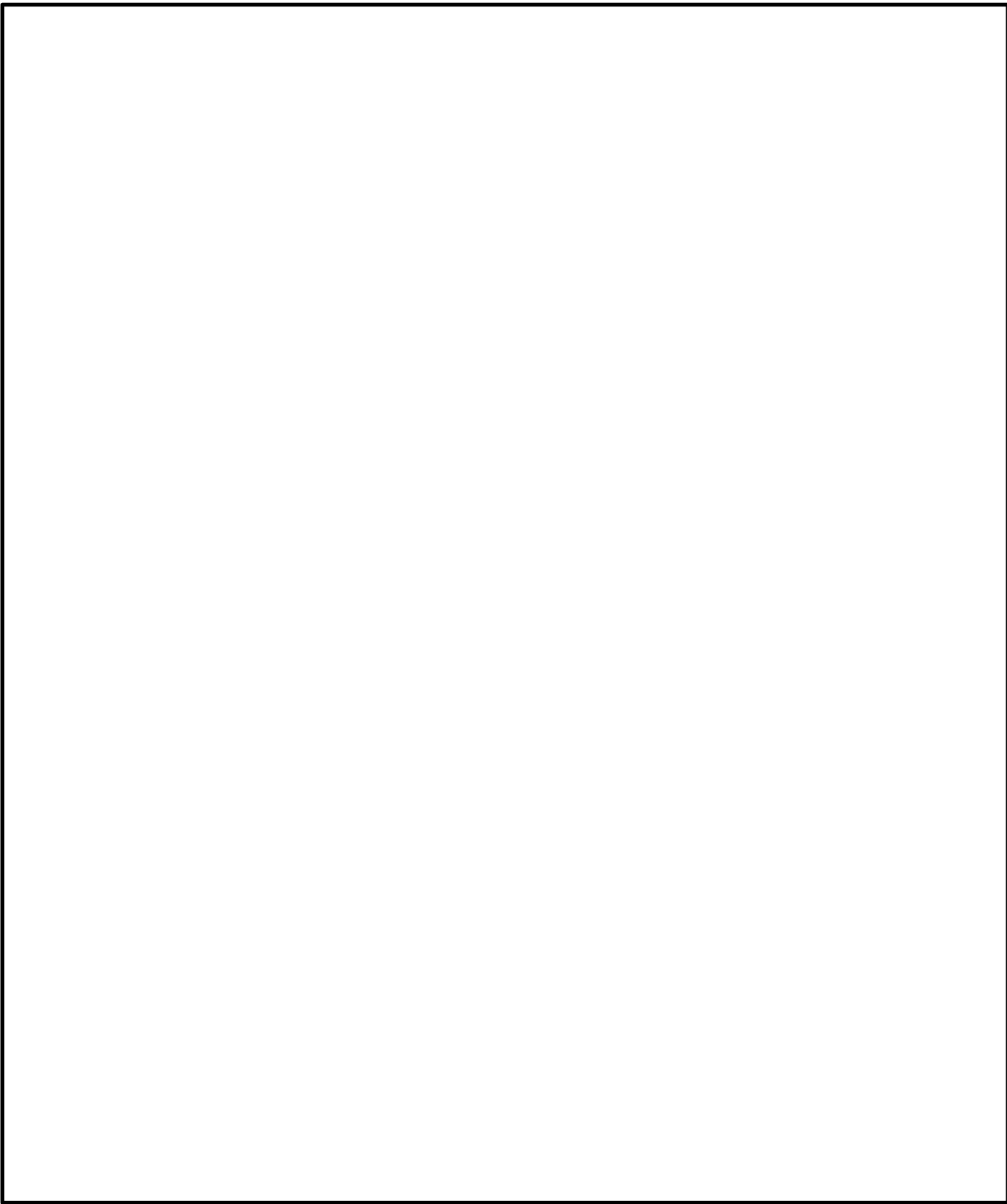
In your design you need to include the logo and your new name so we can see how they would look when printed on our new jumpers.

The WINNER can look at the new jumpers with pride knowing they created this wonderful masterpiece.

Have fun and please be creative.



All entries to be in by Thursday 16th February



Name _____ Year _____