

# ST. LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday 16th September 2016

## Important

A gentle reminder to parents – please **DO NOT PARK** in Jockeyfields to access the school. The area can become very congested and can cause problems for school deliveries; more importantly it is a health and safety concern as it could hinder emergency vehicles if they were required.

Parents can park in the Youth Club car park or on Old Street for a short time for dropping off and collecting children.



## Asthma

Just a reminder to all parents with children in school who are on the asthma register; please could you ensure that you have sent in at least one inhaler to be kept in your child's class.

Thank you for your co-operation.

## Reading week



The local Costa store in Tesco, Ludlow has extended an invitation to all our parents and children to participate in their reading week from 19<sup>th</sup> -25<sup>th</sup> September. Every day a space will be set aside inside the Tesco Costa where parents and guardians can sit and enjoy reading and activities with their children with a free Babyccino or a soft drink for the children and a hot drink for the adults.

KS2 parents – Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6

**Meet the teacher – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September at 3pm**

On Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September we are inviting parents in to meet with KS2 staff to inform them of changes to the curriculum. Parents will be advised of the procedures we will be using for testing, assessments, spelling, reading and tables.

The meeting will take place in the hall at 3pm. You will then be able to collect your children. If you have any questions for your child's teacher you can speak to them in the classroom after you have collected your child.

## Admission to Reception

If you have a child born between Sept.1st 2012 and Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> 2013, it is now time to apply for their place in school. Please apply on-line by no later than 15th Jan.2017 at

[www.Shropshire.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.Shropshire.gov.uk/schooladmissions).

If you do not have internet access or require further information please contact the Admissions Team on 0345 678 9008 if in doubt, please speak to Mrs Nash or Mrs Tonkinson who will assist you.

## Transfer to Secondary School 2017

All Year 6 pupils should have brought home a letter recently regarding their transfer to secondary school next year. Once applications have been made please could you let the office know. The deadline for secondary applications is 31st October



**Friends of St. Laurence's AGM  
Tuesday 20th Sept. at 3.30pm  
Meet in the School Staff Room  
A crèche will be provided**

After another successful year of fundraising we are really hoping to add to our increasing number of supporters this year. We would love to hear from new parents and families linked to the school for fresh ideas and inspiration and also from existing parents who perhaps find that, as their children get older, they are able to contribute the odd hour to help support us. Please join us at our next meeting where we will have a little official 'stuff' and then discussions about Halloween and the Winter Market.

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Club	Age group	Day	Time	Teacher
Netball	Y3 / Y4	Monday – Starting 19 <sup>th</sup> September	After school	Mrs Harding
Orchestra	KS2	Tuesday <b>Come along if you play an instrument in school.</b>	After school	Mrs Kirkland
Top Play	Y1 & Y2	Wednesday	Afterschool	Miss Lee
Cross Country	KS2	Thursday	After school	Mrs James
Tennis	Y6	Thursday – 1 <sup>st</sup> half of term ONLY	After school	Mrs Parkes & Mrs Simkiss
Netball	Y5 & Y6	Friday	After school	Mrs Gilford
Football	Y5 & Y6	Friday – 1 <sup>st</sup> half of term ONLY	After school	Sports Jam
Football	Y3 & Y4	Friday – <b>AFTER</b> half term	After school	Sports Jam



**Happy Birthday**  
**September**

Ebony Miles, Lucy Cadwallader, Lola Wood, Camaron Williams

### Diary dates up until half term



#### September

19<sup>th</sup> Netball league starts  
 20<sup>th</sup> Year 5/6 High 5 netball festival  
 21<sup>st</sup> Shrewsbury Town Football tournament ( 2 teams of KS2)  
 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> Year 5 – Pioneer Centre trip  
 28<sup>th</sup> Year 2 class assembly, 9.15am

#### October

4<sup>th</sup> Bedstone Cross Country  
 5<sup>th</sup> Year 1 class assembly, 9.15am  
 6<sup>th</sup> Tempest Photography  
 10<sup>th</sup> Reception open session, 9 – 10am  
 11<sup>th</sup> Reception open session, 9 – 10am  
 12<sup>th</sup> Reception open session, 9 – 10am  
 12<sup>th</sup> Year 5 class assembly, 9.15am  
 13<sup>th</sup> Harvest festival at St. Laurence's Church – 2pm  
 14<sup>th</sup> Reception open session, 9 -10am  
 17<sup>th</sup> Nursery open session, 9 – 10am  
 18<sup>th</sup> Parents evening, Year 1 – year 6 4 – 7pm  
 19<sup>th</sup> Year 4 class assembly, 9.15am  
 20<sup>th</sup> Nursery open session, 9 – 10am  
 20<sup>th</sup> Parents evening, Year 1 – year 6 4 – 6pm  
 20<sup>th</sup> Break up for half term  
 21<sup>st</sup> **PD day**

### Walking Bus news

**Due to the continued success of the walking bus we are now looking for additional helpers. We need someone who can commit every week on a Thursday and Friday. If anyone is interested in helping out please contact the school office.**



### Uniform - Just a reminder of what is expected

A sweatshirt in jade green, bearing the embroidered school badge, A plain polo shirt, (underneath), either in jade green or white.  
**Boys:** Plain navy / black trousers or shorts.  
**Girls:** Plain navy/black skirts, skirts must be no shorter than the knee. Navy Pinafore. Plain navy / black trousers.  
**Footwear:** Low heeled, black shoes or sensible black boots. Trainers are not seen as healthy or sensible

**The cost of school lunches has increased, a meal will now cost £2.10 a day - £10.50 a week. Children moving from Year 2 to Year 3 will now have to pay for school meals unless they qualify for free school meals. Application forms can be obtained from the school office.**