

ST. LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday 23rd September 2016

Year 5 - It's finally here!

Mrs Parkes wishes you all a restful weekend before our trip on Monday. I'm sure you are all very excited!

Reading -

I hope everyone has received their letters about visiting Ludlow library, if you didn't receive a blue library consent form and need one as your child is not a member of the library please ask your class teacher or the school office. Forms need to be returned by

Monday 26th September.

The first visit will be Wednesday 5th October.

Thanks for your support. Mrs Parkes

School Money system

We are delighted to announce that we will soon be in a position to offer the facility for parent to make payments online for school activities such as, school trips and school photos!

The administration staff have spent an immeasurable amount of valuable time on collecting and keeping track of what payments have been received for the numerous events that take place. This, combined with the burden that you may endure in either finding the correct change or writing a cheque to pay for your child's activities can at times be frustrating.

Our new Schoolmoney.co.uk facility will allow for both parties to experience a more streamlined, cost-effective and efficient payment collection system in a secure and safe environment.

From time to time you will receive a text message from the school inviting you to access a website as an option to make a payment for an activity. We would appreciate your support in this matter.

To ensure that we all experience maximum benefit from this service, we would ask all parents to notify us if you have recently changed your mobile number and/or email address.

Also look out for our [school app coming soon](#)

Meet the teacher

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

Thank you to all those parents who attended the 'Meet the teacher' session on Wednesday. Most parents thought it was very beneficial. If you didn't make it but would like to find out more, we will be adding information to our website shortly.

Parents are always welcome to come into school at 3.30pm on a Friday afternoon, to share their child's work

Admission to Reception

If you have a child born between Sept.1st 2012 and Aug. 31st 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.

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

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News!

Please save all your old shoes and clothes for Bags2School who are coming **the first Tuesday after half term** (Tuesday 1st November).

The Winter market is set for Friday 2nd December at 3.45pm. Please put the date in your diaries.

The Friends of St. Laurence's will be selling sweets for 20p on Friday at 3.30pm in the playground and also 2nd hand uniform - weather permitting.

Important

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.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

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

Diary dates up until half term

September

26th – 28th

28th

Year 5 – Pioneer Centre trip
Year 2 class assembly, 9.15am



October

4th

Bedstone Cross Country

5th

Year 1 class assembly, 9.15am

6th

Tempest Photography

10th

Reception open session, 9 – 10am

11th

Reception open session, 9 – 10am

12th

Reception open session, 9 – 10am

12th

Year 5 class assembly, 9.15am

12th

Year 6 trip to Blists Hill

13th

Harvest festival at St. Laurence's Church – 2pm

14th

Reception open session, 9 -10am

17th

Nursery open session, 9 – 10am

18th

Parents evening, Year 1 – year 6
4 – 7pm

19th

Year 4 class assembly, 9.15am

20th

Nursery open session, 9 – 10am

20th

Harvest Festival – St. Laurence's Church – 2pm

20th

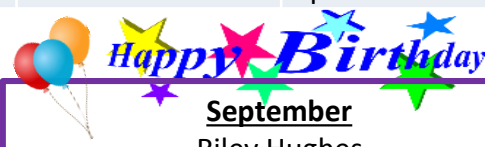
Parents evening, Year 1 – year 6
4 – 6pm

20th

Break up for half term

21st

PD day



September
Riley Hughes

Netball

A good time was had by our Year 5/6 netballers at Tuesday's netball festival. Lots of skills and mixed games filled the morning.

Matches:

The A team have their first match on Monday 26th September at Ludlow School sports hall. The match starts at 5 so please be there 10 minutes before.

Football

We are very proud of our football teams who played at a tournament hosted by Shrewsbury Town

Our A team finished 2nd place winning 4 out of 5 matches.

Our B Team finished 3rd place winning 3 out of 5 matches
A strong start to the new season of tournaments..Well done to all.
Due to an issue with the Leisure Centre flooring Indoor League fixtures have been postponed.



Family Learning

Family Learning will be running a course for **Reception** parents, every Wednesday afternoon from 1.30 – 3.30pm (term time) starting on Wednesday 28th September. Please see Mrs Harding for more information.