



Friday Flyer

*Inspired by the Christian faith, our children will treasure a **love of learning**, a **belief in themselves and others**, and a **respect for the world around them**, helping them to grow and flourish throughout their lives.*

Dear Parents and Carers

Here are the weekly reminders for next week and school information:

Upcoming Dates

Monday 24th March

Y6 Bikeability

Tuesday 25th March

Parents evening 15.30-19.00

Thursday 27th March

Parents evening 15.30-18.00



Word from the Head

It has been another productive week at St Lawrence and the children have impressed me with their hard work, both inside and outside the classroom. Walking around the school is an absolute pleasure and my favourite part of the day is seeing the children focused on their learning. Assessments in each of the core subjects of maths, reading, grammar and writing have taken place this week and we look forward to sharing your child's progress and next steps with you at next week's parents evenings. We will be sending the assessment papers home before Easter.

As I write this, the Year 4 children are enjoying their residential at Ufton Court and I can't wait to hear about all their adventures, both during the day and, I'm sure, at night! These experiences are vital for the development of our children here at the school, enabling them to grow in confidence and to further bond with their peers. It is also one of our [12 Before 12 experiences](#) and we are pleased that it forms an integral part of our school offer.

Well done to our fantastic Year 6 Bikeability cyclists this week who have shown dedication, enthusiasm and skill on their bikes this week. Well done all of you!

You will have seen that we are rolling out our policy on PE kit sooner than anticipated due to positive feedback. Please see the separate section on it below. Hopefully it will make things just that bit easier in the morning – I certainly know it does it my household!

Let's hope the sun holds up this weekend,

Mrs MacLean

Breakfast Club – change to opening times!

You will have received a Parentmail email today with more details, we are pleased to announce that our Breakfast Club will be starting 10 minutes earlier than currently, at **7.35am** from Tuesday 22nd April. Please see the attached information document.

Year 5 Easter Service

Parents of all year 5 children are invited to the annual Easter Service at St Paul's church on **Friday 4th April at 9.30am**. It will be lovely to see as many as possible of you there.

PE kit

We would like to highlight the fact that Nike Pro cycling shorts are not permitted as PE kit. Anyone wearing these will be asked to change into something appropriate from the supply at school. If nothing is available, they will not be able to take part in the PE lesson.

Hem lengths of shorts should fall no higher than a hand's width above the knee please.

If you are in any doubt about your child's PE day, please message their teacher in their home school contact books.

Cycling

After the success of this week's Bikeability sessions, we are delighted to announce that we have secured a grant for new bike shelters in school. The shelter will cover all of the cycle racks along the alleyway between Church Road and the playground.

We are also excited by the new 'Bike Bus' initiative mentioned in last week's edition of the Friday Flyer, it really does sound like an exciting, fun and new idea for travelling to school. We will be sending a Parentmail form to gauge interest.

Theatre production of Oliver Twist, Wednesday 2nd April

As you are already aware, our annual theatre production is booked in for 2nd April during the school day. In order for this to go ahead, please do pay the contribution of £3.50 on Parentmail by Monday 31st March. Currently we have **only** received payments for half of our students. This is such a great tradition at St Lawrence and of course makes up one of our [12 Before 12 St Lawrence Guarantees](#) for your child. One not to miss!

SENd parents afternoon tea

The next session for parents of SEN children is being held here at St Lawrence on Tuesday 1st April from 1.45- 3.00pm, please see the attached invitation for more details.

Lost property

Mr Tarrant, our caretaker has been finding a lot of plastic snack pots in the playground recently. If your child is missing theirs, please check the lost property chest.

Gem winners

Congratulations to Robins who are the gem winners this week. Well done! What a lovely, polite and courteous class you are.

Have a lovely weekend.

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