



# 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 and school information:

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June**

**Molesey Carnival**

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June**

**Year 5 and 6 mixed cricket competition**

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June**

**Year 6 Leavers service**

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

**Sports Day (full details in separate Parentmail message)**



## **Word from the Head**

It was wonderful to talk to so many of you at the PTA summer fair last weekend. We are incredibly grateful to have so many wonderful volunteers that support our school. A special mention to Mr Hall and Mr Leuner for working tirelessly behind (and in front of) the scenes. We were very lucky to dodge the predicted storms and enjoyed a buzzy atmosphere, both inside and out. Thank you to all the children who performed in the gymnastics show, maypole display and ukulele concert – a very impressive line of entertainment indeed! Thank you also for the adults that helped to organise the children so well in preparation.

We all came together this morning to celebrate the wonderful Herons in their class assembly. We were taken on a whistle-stop tour through their entire year, enjoying the many delights that the class had learnt. What was really evident was the strong bond that this class clearly have together and how mature they have become; they are certainly more than ready to move to Year 5.

I watched in absolute amazement yesterday, alongside a great number of teachers and parents, as our Year 6 football team played outstandingly in the final against Hinchley Wood. Their skill-level was out of this world and it is clear that they have been playing together for a long time. We celebrated them all in assembly this morning and look forward to hearing about their footballing successes in secondary school.

Next week we look forward coming together for our annual sports day. As you are aware, we have switched around the field and playground events so that Years 5 and 6 are on the field in the morning. Please do see additional communication about timings and ensure your children have suncream applied, hats and water bottles. The PTA will also be there with teas, coffees and uniform for sale.

Enjoy the warmer weather this weekend,

Mrs MacLean

## **Year 6 Boys football FINAL**

Yesterday's Football League Final saw St Lawrence take on Hinchley Wood School in sweltering heat. Despite a 3–1 loss, the boys played excellently and showed the same determination and teamwork they've displayed all season. It was a hard-fought game and a strong performance to finish on—massive well done to the whole team. We're all so very proud of you and know you have many years of footballing successes ahead of you. A huge thank you as well to Mr Barrington-Brown, for coaching the boys and supporting them over the past few years.



## **Online Safety Policy – updated for 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025**

As you are all aware, our rules around smart devices will be changing from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025. This includes rules around smartwatches and tracking devices. Please do read our updated policy on our website for more information.

## **Open classroom event – Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July 5-7pm**

Please join us for our annual Open Classroom where you can pop in to see the wonderful work in your child's books, chat to their current teacher and introduce yourself to their new teacher. There will also be a wonderful ukulele concert in our Studio for you all to enjoy. We hope to see many of you there, including our incoming Year 3 children!

## **Charity cycling challenge update**

Judah M in Parrots took part in a charity cycling challenge over half term to raise money for a mother and child survival unit in Bolivia. He set himself the goal of cycling 50 miles in 7 days and achieved his goal.

**He raised a phenomenal amount of money £1,634.35. Well done Judah!**



## **Practical and Emotional Support for Parents**

As we are coming close to the end of the school year, with many of your children moving on to pastures new, I want to be able to offer my Wednesday afternoon sessions to you as parents. The focus is so much on our children, that we often forget to look after ourselves and moving on to secondary school can be an emotional time for parents, as well as our children. If you would like support or just a friendly face at this time, please contact me via the details below, or via the school office, to arrange a chat.

For those of you with younger children in school, you are of course more than welcome to contact me. There may be something going on in your life, or anything impacting your children at school or at home, that is making life just that little bit more stressful. I am always here with a smile and a listening ear.

Please feel free to drop me a text or call me on 07871 079 205 to arrange an informal chat, either at the school or at a local coffee shop.

Teresa Doe  
Family Support St. Lawrence

## **St Paul's church music concert**

### **Sunday June 15th from 3pm**

St Paul's Church are holding a 'Completely for Fun' music concert in the church and are looking for adults and children of any ability and of any age to sing or play an instrument, whether a beginner, seasoned player or a returning musician. They're hoping to have a range of ages and abilities for the enjoyment of all. Even Vicar Anne is going to take part!

Refreshments will be available throughout to lighten the mood, there'll be a short practise on the Friday before.

If you would like to be involved, please contact us at: [info@stpaulmolesey.org.uk](mailto:info@stpaulmolesey.org.uk) or Vicar Anne at: [alf@rev21.co.uk](mailto:alf@rev21.co.uk)

## **SEND Events and information**

The Orchard and St Lawrence SEND team have 2 coffee afternoons planned for this half term, which we hope will be useful as we move towards the end of the academic year.

### **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June 1.45-2.45pm** at The Orchard

Focus: Transition Drop In

A chance for parents to come and speak to us about the transition process. Whether your child is moving to a different key stage or just between year groups, if you have any concerns please do drop in to have a chat.

### **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July 1.45-3.00pm** at St. Lawrence

Focus: Supporting neurodiversity in the home.

Ana Smith, the neurodiversity adviser from the Surrey Learners' Single Point of Access (L-SPA), will be talking to us about ways to support neurodiversity at home. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

## **SCITT teacher training**

Fast-track your future with Xavier Teach SouthEast - Gain QTS in one year! Xavier Teach SouthEast is still recruiting for this September, so if you are considering a career change or are passionate about working with young people, pop along to one of their up-coming events!

### **FINAL online information event**

Meet a member of our recruitment team and hear about the different training options

Tuesday 17th June 11am-11.30am

Meeting ID: 337 761 814 070 Passcode: FQ9k2NP2

For further information visit [www.teachsoutheast.co.uk](http://www.teachsoutheast.co.uk)

### **Gem winners**

Congratulations to Quetzals 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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