



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



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 [www.st-laurenceprimary.com](http://www.st-laurenceprimary.com) Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2022

## Football kit

We are missing quite a few football kits please could we ask if you could have a look at home and check whether your child has any of the following at home. **Please return all kits by Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November**

**Green** and white stripe kits ( the new ones), Plain **green** kit, **Blue** and white stripe kit **Pink** shorts

If you have please could you send them back in to us as we are desperately short !



## Update on Building Work:

As you have probably seen, the rate of progress on the building of the extension has gathered pace. Class 5 should, therefore be back in their own classroom on the 14<sup>th</sup> November and, on the completion of their new classroom, year 6 will be moving in at the start of the Spring Term.

Additional playground facilities has been provided on the school field where the builders have laid some all-weather matting. This gives us the much needed space for the children to enjoy their playtimes.

Mr Matthews

## School Survey

Our school survey is now online and we welcome your participation in this. Please click on the link to take part or scan the bar code.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/FCKSQD2>



## School Photos

In order for us to be able to get them back to you in time for Christmas we have to ask for all orders back by **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November**.

**On this occasion it is CASH or BACS (details are on your photo order form) as the payments will go direct to the Photographer. Please make sure cash is in a labelled envelope with your order and when paying by BACS quote your child's unique reference code.**

## Christmas Card Orders

Just a reminder that Christmas card orders should be paid ONLINE via school money. Your order will be added to the system once you have returned it. **Please do not send cash.** Any cash that has been sent in will be returned.

Please send any orders back in to school by **Wednesday 9th November** at the latest. No orders will be accepted after this date; this is to enable us to get your items back to you in plenty of time for Christmas.



## Children in Need

**Fri. 18<sup>th</sup> November**

**Mufti day** – Spots and/or stripes - 50p donation  
Payable via School Money



## Mufti day – Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November - PTA

**In aid of the winter market tombola**

We are asking for donations of bottles (of anything!) or chocolate for tombola prizes. Thank you



## Christmas Jumper Day

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December**

50p in aid of Save the Children



## Christmas Performances

5<sup>th</sup> EYFS Nativity – 9.30am

6<sup>th</sup> KS1 Nativity - 9.30am \*

7<sup>th</sup> KS1 Nativity – 9.30am \*

- These performances will be ticket only. A letter will be sent out for parents to request their preferred date .

14<sup>th</sup> Christmas Carol Concert at St Laurence's Church – 10am.  
All parents are welcome

Well done to our Year 2 cross country runners who were amazing at Cardingmill Valley.

### In the boys race:

3<sup>rd</sup> Henry Caine

4<sup>th</sup> Patrick Willis

5<sup>th</sup> Oliver Hunt

### In the girls race:

4<sup>th</sup> Rose Evans



## UNIFORM REMINDER

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 knee length. Navy / black pinafore. Plain navy / black trousers.

Summer wear: Polo shirt plus navy/black bottom half with an option of jade/white gingham checked dresses for girls.

**Footwear:** Low heeled, black shoes or sensible black ankle boots. Trainers are not seen as healthy or sensible footwear to wear all day in school.

**Jewellery:** Jewellery should not be worn or brought into school. Watches can be worn but no responsibility for damage or loss can be accepted.

We also ask that nail varnish is not worn in school.

The school cannot accept responsibility for injuries caused by the wearing of earrings.

**Children with pierced ears who need to wear earrings should only wear the stud type** (no hoops or dangly earrings) and they must be removed or covered for PE.



## Poppy Appeal

We now have a stock of merchandise for the poppy appeal. Children are able to have a poppy for a small donation or there are also items as listed below:

Zip Pull - 50p

Reflector - 50p

Silicon wristband - £1

Snap band - £1.50

If your child would like to purchase something please could you send them in with the correct money in a named envelope.



## Teacher Appointments

We realise that there are sometimes occasions when parents would like to speak to their child's teacher. In this instance parents should call in at the school office to book an appointment or the office staff will see if they are available.

## P.E. – Extra layers!

A reminder for children –now that the weather is getting colder please make sure you have extra layers for PE when it is outside. Dark tracksuits are advisable.

# friends of St Laurence's



## News .....

### Coming soon ....

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#### **Winter Market**

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November from 3.30pm**

#### **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December – KS1 Film Night**

5 – 6.30pm... £2 ticket, payable via School Money

#### **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December – KS2 Film Night**

5 – 6.30pm... £2 ticket, payable via School Money



## Friends of St. Laurence's

With Christmas fast approaching, please spare a minute to consider registering with **easyfundraising** to help us raise funds for the school and ultimately the children. All it takes is for you to do your online shopping through the **easyfundraising** website and hundreds of shops eg. Argos, Sainsbury's, Amazon, Screwfix, Next, etc. will donate a percentage of your purchase price to The Friends of St Laurence's School. It doesn't cost you a penny and IT'S EASY!  
Just follow this link – <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fostls>

# HELP WANTED

**Winter Market**  
**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November – 3.30pm**

# CAN YOU HELP?

At the end of November we will be holding our winter market, and we really need volunteers to help us run the event - if you would like to give an hour of your time to help out please contact the school office on 01584 872766 or email [admin@st-laurenceprimary.com](mailto:admin@st-laurenceprimary.com). Thank you !  
If you would, or know any businesses that would like to donate a raffle prize, again please contact the school office.



# Christmas MENU

Roast Turkey with Chipolatas  
Best of British Vegan Sausage (V)  
Parship and Cranberry Quiche (V)

## Served with:

Stuffing Balls, Roast & Mashed Potatoes, Fresh  
Carrots, Sprouts & Garden Peas

## Followed by:

Christmas Cupcakes  
Festive Pudding  
Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt

**Please book on line via School  
Money by 25<sup>th</sup> November.**

As we need to know firm numbers for ordering  
our fresh turkey.



WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL AT

# St Laurence's Winter Market



SANTA'S GROTTO  
CHRISTMAS SHOPPING  
GAMES  
TOMBOLA  
RAFFLE  
& MUCH MORE...

ST LAURENCE'S CE SCHOOL  
JOCKEYFIELD, LUDLOW  
FRI 25TH NOVEMBER  
3.30PM ONWARDS  
FREE ENTRY

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of st laurence's



Come and Join....

# THE LIVING NATIVITY



Street Theatre...

RealDonkey



Ludlow Town Band

Hot  
Chocolate  
& Mince Pies  
for all



**Tuesday 13th December - 6pm**  
Start: Peace Memorial, Castle Square, Ludlow.  
Ends around 7pm at the Castle.

*In severe weather the event will be held in St. Laurence's*

For any enquiries please email [ludlowmethodist@outlook.com](mailto:ludlowmethodist@outlook.com)

# Children's Swimming Lessons

Learning to swim is a key skill for life, and once learnt it is never forgotten.

Our Aquastar Swimming lessons at Teme Ludlow have been running successfully for over 15 years and have taught thousands of children the skills required to be confident, competent and safe in the water. All our Lessons are taken by ASA qualified teachers and run alongside the National Plan for Teaching Swimming.

## BREAKDOWN OF GROUPS AND ABILITIES:

**Aquababies**..... Parent and toddler classes 4months-3yrs  
**Aquatots**..... 3-4yrs Beginners  
**Aquastar 1**..... 5yrs+ Beginners  
**Aquastar 2**..... Children who can swim 10m (1 width)  
**Aquastar 3**..... Children who can swim 50m (2 lengths)  
**Aquastar 4**..... Children who can swim 100m (4 lengths)  
**Aquastar 5-6**..... Top classes working towards Distances from 600m to 1 Mile

We cater for all ages and abilities - Aquababies, which is for parent and baby, through to those looking to complete the top swimming awards Bronze, Silver and Gold.

Track your child's progress online via your secure login

For more information or to enrol your child, pop into the centre or contact  
[Nicky.Stewardson@teme-leisure.co.uk](mailto:Nicky.Stewardson@teme-leisure.co.uk)  
or via our Teme Leisure Facebook Page

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