

ST, LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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#### Sports Day

As you maybe aware we are planning to have an additional sports day towards the end of September because many of you weren't able to attend in the summer.

The provisional date for this will be Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September. However please note that this maybe subject to change depending on the capacity of the grounds maintenance company to prepare the school field for sports day. Fingers crossed everything will fall into place, and the weather will be good but we will keep you informed.

### Access arrangements at the beginning and end of the school day

As you know we have reverted back to the pre-Covid access arrangements for the dropping off and picking up at the end of the school day. However it has been quite a while since we have done it this way and some of our newer parents maybe unaware of these arrangements.

At the beginning of the school day, all children (unless they have been given an exemption to enter through the main reception) should be dropped off at the school gates and then walk by themselves to the classroom. The only exception to this are parents of Reception age children who, of course, need to hand over their child as they have just begun school.

At the end of the day children are dismissed from their classroom and should be collected from the school playground and in the case of class 4, from the entrance to the classroom by the terrace. If you have more than 1 child to collect I suggest you pick up your child from class 4 afterwards.

## Staffing

Parents of children in class 4 may also be aware that Mrs Parkes and Miss Doggett are now teaching Class 4.

There will be an opportunity for parents to meet the teachers throughout the school in a couple of weeks time. The provisional date for this is Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September. Further details will follow.

## Access via Jockeyfield

Can we please remind any parents that are using Jockeyfield as access to the school to pick up children to be as careful and vigilant as possible whilst driving to the school as there have been a couple of incidents recently which have caused a great deal of concern to members of the general public with regards to people driving too quickly.

We would respectfully ask that parents <u>do not park</u> in Jockeyfield or Teme Avenue when dropping off or collecting children - it is essentially parking for <u>residents only</u>.

You are able to park on Old Street for a limited time and the Youth centre car park, however you can also use the Smithfield car park. Thank you for your co-operation.

Mr S. Matthews

