



## School Uniform

As detailed in the ParentMail sent home last week, all children should now be wearing the correct school uniform. If you are struggling to get the correct uniform for your child, please speak to your child's teacher or to Mrs Geldard or Mrs Hankin. Black school shoes rather than trainers should be worn.

## Punctuality

All children should be in school by 8am, when lessons start and therefore should arrive at school by **8.55am**. It really is disruptive for the whole class when children arrive late, even if it is just a few minutes.

## Parent Governor

Information has been sent out about the vacancies for two parent governors. If you are considering standing, the closing date for nominations is 12 noon on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> April.

## Hello and Welcome

We welcomed Francesca to our Reception Class on Monday. Welcome to her and her family to the Lancaster Lane School family.

## Book Week

Please look out for the newsletter about the upcoming Book Week in which we will be enjoying reading about all sorts of heroes.

## Goodbye and Thank You

On Friday we say goodbye to Mr Chambers in Y2 as his teaching practice with us comes to an end. I am sure you will join with me in wishing him well in his future teaching career and in thanking him for all his hard work during his time here.

*We are here for you in school if you need anything. Please phone us even if it is just for a friendly chat.*

## What's On?

Monday 26th	Y5 Football
Tuesday 27th	Y2 Science Y4 Football Year 3 Sports Year 5 Gardening
Wednesday 28th	Y3 -Running
Thursday 29th	Y6 Maths- Y4 Times Tables Year 2 Multi Sports Year 1 Sports
Friday 30th	Y6 Rounders

## Twitter

If you use Twitter, please follow us on Twitter (@lancylane.)

## Breakfast Club Stoppers After School Club

This week at Breakfast Club the children have been learning about St George's Day.

## Stoppers After School Club

This week at Stoppers the children have been celebrating the Queen's birthday.

Our Breakfast Club and Stoppers After School Club maintain our class bubbles and provide a range of exciting activities for the children attending. Remember, you are able to book your child in for one off sessions; just give the office a ring to reserve a place (fee paying).



## PSHE Consultation

On each class page on the school website are the videos detailing our revised PSHE curriculum. Please take a few minutes to look at these as well as the planning for the year which has also been added to each page. Mr Clucas has now sent out the questions for the consultations and this should be completed, please, by Monday 26<sup>th</sup> April. Click on the link below to go the classes page.

<http://www.lancasterlane-school.uk.org/classes.html>



## Lockdown Practice

This week, we held our termly fire practice drill where the children and staff evacuate the building as quickly and as safely as they can. This is now second nature to the children. On Monday, we will be practising our lockdown drill, where the child rehearse staying inside silently when the alarm sounds. Your child's teacher will be speaking to their class about the reasons for practising this and neither you nor the children should be alarmed by this.



## Road Works

You may be aware that roadworks are scheduled to take place on Mendip Road from 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> April (next Tuesday to Thursday). This will affect our one way system. The manager of the Woodsman has kindly agreed to parents parking in the Woodsman car park before and after school on these days meaning that families can walk to school from there. Please think about your route carefully when coming to school on these days and leave earlier if needs be in order for your child to arrive on time for school (by 8.55am).



## And finally .....

Everything will fall into place ... just be patient.

## Early Learners Pre-School



Enjoying water play in the sunshine.

## Outside Achievements

Thomas from Year 4 has been chosen to be captain for his football team on Sunday. Wishing him the best of luck and well done!



## Online Safety Tip – Digital Piracy

The internet is full of great content for children and young people. However, streaming or downloading from illegal sites, also known as digital piracy, can expose them to some hidden horrors such as age-inappropriate content, disturbing pop-ups and cyber threats.

Your family's devices may end up with viruses and you could fall victim to fraud. Spotting the risks isn't always easy.

When asked, a group of survey respondents who infringed and illegally streamed claimed they had experienced these hidden horrors:

**STAT 1: 50% were exposed to age-inappropriate content** - There are no parental controls with pirated content and explicit adverts may appear anytime.

**STAT 2: 50% had their devices infected by Malware** - Many of these illegitimate sites can install viruses onto your family's devices. These viruses, also known as malware or malicious software, can spy on your digital activity, lock your device until a ransom is paid or give hackers access to your device.

**STAT 3: 47% fell victim to fraud** - Criminals use illegal streams, sites and downloads to try and hack into devices and obtain your private passwords.

**Here's what you can do to keep your family safe - Stick to services you can trust**

Stay with the legitimate, trusted services that you know, online and on your TV.

Apply parental controls to devices that are connected to the internet. Even your TV should let you restrict access to internet.

Work with your child and agree which sites and apps are best for them to use. You can review them as they get older and discuss anything that upsets them.



## Special Mentions

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Holly	Cameron	James	Maiyah	Riley B	Benjamin	Kaiiyah
<b>Mrs Geldard's choice is Chloe in Year 1</b>		<b>Mrs Hankin's choice is Cameron all Year 6</b>		<b>Mrs Jones's choice is Archie in Year 6</b>		<b>Staff member special mention is Mr Chambers</b>

Team points this week – **ROBINS 108** – **SQUIRRELS 96** – **BEAVERS 98** – **DOLPHINS 113**