



LAUREL LANE
Primary School

LAUREL LANE NEWSLETTER

Friday 28th March 2024 – Issue No 25

Executive Head Teacher – **Mr C Cole**

Head Teacher – **Mrs S Voisey**

Safeguarding Lead – **Miss A Walton**

When we return to school it will be week 1 of the lunch menu

Please make sure you order your child's lunch before 9am each day. If you do not order and your child does not bring a packed lunch, they will be served the "safe" meal – jacket potato and baked beans
If you have any queries, please contact The Pantry on 0208 813 7040

It's the end of the first term of 2024 and, as usual, the time has flown by! We have had wonderful assemblies from some classes with others to follow in the summer term, school trips, visiting authors, class photos and our Choir appearing at The Beck Theatre. We welcomed mums and children for breakfast to celebrate Mother's Day and our Easter egg competition. So much fun and more to be had in the summer term.

Class Photographs were sent home on Wednesday. We hope that you like the new layout. Instructions on how to order can be found on the proof, together with contact details for Braiswick if you have any queries. The deadline to place your order is 17th April.

Well done to **Blue** house for getting the most positive points this term. They will have a non-uniform day on Friday 26th April to celebrate.

Staffing News: After the Easter break, we welcome Miss McCreesh to the Laurel Lane Team. She will be teaching 5OR (to be known as 5NM) for the rest of the academic year. Miss McCreesh comes to us from St Martin's with a wealth of experience. You may have noticed that Miss Warner is pregnant, and as such she steps down as Acting Key Stage 1 Phase Leader at the end of this term. Ms Neacy will be the Key Stage 1 Phase Leader when we return in April.

A reminder that the clocks go forward by one hour this Saturday 30th March, Lent ends on either 28th March or 30th March, depending on your faith, and Ramadan is due to end around the 9th or 10th April. We wish all faiths a peaceful and happy time.

Wishing everyone an enjoyable school break and look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 16th April

Dates for Your Diary

April

15th Teacher training day – school closed
16th School opens for Summer Term
17th Brunel Book Club for some Y6 Children
23rd Trust Football Tournament, Some Year 3 and 4
24th Height & Weight Checks – Reception and Year 6
24th Brunel Book Club for some Y6 Children

24th Inclusion Coffee Morning 9.00 am
25th Year 4 to Science Museum
26th Non-Uniform Day – House of the Term
(Blue)
29th Year 5 trip to The Clink
30th Years 5 and 3HN Parent Consultations

**Year 6 SATS will take place the week starting Monday 13th May
do not book any appointments for that week.**

What are we learning when we come back to school

In the Summer Term, we will move away from blocking our subjects to teaching each subject weekly. The exception is History and Geography. For the first half term, children will be improving their Geography skills and the second half term will be studying History. In the next newsletter we will give you more details, although you can discover our full curriculum offering on the school website.





Achievement Celebrations



Students of the term

Congratulations to the following children for being nominated by their teacher.



RMB – Sienna

RML – Sabia

1AK – Darcey

1UN – Mark

2LW – Yusuf

2ME – Jasmine

3HN – Shreya

3SH – Bobby

4AM – Ethan

4TS – Peter

5OR – Katelyn

6EG – Kyrylo



Weekly stats: 18 March to 24 March 2024

Class	Active Players	Most Improved (accuracy)	Top Player (minutes played)
RMB	5% (-10%)	<i>No improved players</i>	Thomas
RML	10% (0%)	<i>No improved players</i>	Zian
1AK	5% (0%)	Umaina	Shaheer
1UN	0% (0%)	<i>No improved players</i>	No Players!
2LW	10% (-9%)	Yusuf	Maria
2ME	21% (+16%)	Elyas	Elyas
3HN	16% (+4%)	Nabeeha	Amy
3SH	19% (-73%)	Hassan	Naomi
4AM	100% (0%)	Mary	Mary
4TS	100% (0%)	Patrick	Peter
5OR	56% (+37%)	Ruby	Jennifer
6EG	93% (-7%)	Tiffany	Uttamjeet

Congratulations to: Year 4 for 100%

Brilliant results for **Peter 4TS** for being the top player for the eighth week in a row with 5 hours and 54 minutes playing and **Uttamjeet 6EG** for the tenth week in a row with 6 hours and 28 minutes

HOUSE POINTS:

Blue 457

Green 414

Yellow 430

Red 404

Term: Blue 6656

Green 6307

Red 6091

Yellow 6116

Attendance Matters

Best Attendance for w/c 18th March – **4TS** with 98%

Total school attendance for w/c 18th March = 92.8%

78 children were late into class.

Please make sure your children are inside the school building by 8.40am (8.45 for Reception classes).

If you are struggling to get your child into school on time and would like some help, please contact the school office

Hillingdon Children's Centres

Holiday Activity and Food Programme (for HAF eligible children)

Friday 5 April
11:00am to 1:00pm
at
Pinkwell Children's Centre
Pinkwell Lane
Hayes
UB3 1PG

Join us at our free Family Fun Event. Activities will include a children's entertainer, fun and activities and games along with arts and crafts activities.
Every child will also be provided with a hot healthy lunch!



Important: Parents/guardians must be in attendance to supervise their children at all times.

The activities are open to 4 to 7 year old's across the borough who are HAF eligible
Younger & older siblings are also welcome to attend

For further information and to book, please call Pinkwell Children's Centre 01895 250533



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Hillingdon Children's Centres

Holiday Activity and Food Programme (for HAF eligible children)

Wednesday 10 April
10.30am – 12.30pm
at
Oak Farm Children's Centre
Windsor Avenue
Hillingdon UB10 9PD

Join us at our free Family Fun Event. Activities will include a children's entertainer, fun and activities and games along with arts and crafts activities.
Every child will also be provided with a hot healthy lunch!



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For further information and to book, please call Oak Farm Children's Centre on 01895 250865



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Learn Hillingdon - Wider Family Learning Easter Holiday Workshops 2024

Are you looking to keep children engaged this Easter break, then why not enrol onto some of our family workshops. Sessions are for 1 adult with up to 2 children age 5+.

To book a space email phanson@hillingdon.gov.uk or call 01895 556252 as spaces are limited. A maximum of 3 sessions may be booked, but you can be added to the waiting list for any other sessions.

Title	Day	Date	Time	Venue
Crafty Colourful Treasure Hunt and Printing	Tuesday	2/4/2024	10.00am - 12.30pm	Rural Activities Garden Centre, West Drayton Road, Hillingdon UB8 3JZ
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Come on a Nature Trail	Wednesday	3/4/2024	10.00am - 12.00pm	Cranford Park. Meet at Crane Youth and Community Association, Fuller Way, Hayes UB3 4LW
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Create Paper Roll Owls	Monday	8/4/2024	10.00am - 12.00pm	Uxbridge Adult Education Centre, Civic Centre, High Street, Uxbridge UB8 1UW
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Crafty Marionette Puppets	Tuesday	9/4/24	10.00am - 12:30pm	Rural Activities Garden Centre, West Drayton Road, Hillingdon UB8 3JZ
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A message from Hillingdon PCF, for and on behalf of the steering committee

Would you like to become a School Governor?

Volunteering as a school governor is a fantastic way to broaden your skills, experience and network. You can make a real difference in your community. No specific experience is necessary, just an interest in education, a desire to contribute and a willingness to learn. If you would like to find out more about becoming a governor at one of our schools please see [School governors - Hillingdon Council](#) or email schoolgovernance@hillingdon.gov.uk for more information.

Cleaner Vacancy

A vacancy has arisen for a cleaner at Laurel Lane.

Hours are 3.30pm to 5.30pm Monday to Friday plus additional hours during the Easter and summer holidays for deep cleaning.

If you are interested, please collect an application form from the main reception.