



LAUREL LANE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

LAUREL LANE NEWSLETTER

Friday 25th March 2022 – Issue 23

Mayor's Fund for London School of the Year 2016

Executive Head teacher – Mr C Cole

Next week is Menu Week 3

Head Teacher – Mrs S Voisey

Attendance is finally starting to rise, we had 8 classes with attendance over 96%, 6 of whom were 98% or above. This is brilliant news, as it means more children are not missing out on key learning. The children in the Pond are consistently showing high levels of attendance, which is a great start to their education.

It was fantastic to see so many parents joining us on Monday to look at children's books in preparation for the parent consultation appointments. We hope that you found the sessions informative and you now know how hard your children have been working this year. If you missed your appointment or have not yet booked an appointment, please speak to Mrs Walker or Mrs A in the main office and they will contact your child's class teacher.

Safeguarding our Children:

We request you are extra vigilant as you move around the site. If you see a younger child who does not appear to be with a parent, can you please stop them and ask them where their parents are. There is a lot of movement at the end of the day and it is upsetting for all involved when parents are trying to look for their child. Thank you to everyone who helped to reunite a little one with his parent yesterday, there was a lot of kindness shown at a very distressing time.

A polite reminder that until the class doors open at 8.30 am, it is your parental responsibility to ensure your children behave appropriately. Children should not be laying hands or feet on another child and rough play is not appropriate whilst on school premises.

Next week Year 5, will be holding their charity event on Thursday 31st March. They have something really exciting planned. Year 1 are delaying their event until Friday 29th April.

At the end of this term we shall be losing some of our members of staff. Mr Rowden is moving over to St Martins to take up the post of Deputy Headteacher, Mrs H will take over the class full time until the end of term. Mrs Allen is moving to another school and will be replaced by Miss Neacy who has been in school with us this week. Finally, Mrs Beale is also leaving. We have not yet recruited a replacement Learning Mentor, but will let you know when we have. We wish them the very best in their future careers.

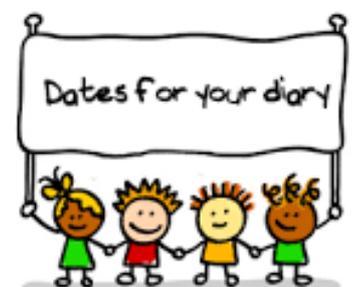
Wishing all our wonderful Mums and Nan's a fabulous Mothering Sunday. We hope the children spoil you, they have been very busy being creative over the last couple of days.

The clocks go forward over Saturday night, so please remember to adjust your clocks.

Dates for your diary

- 31st March - Year 5 Charity Event
- 31st March – 34EA Picnic at lunchtime
- 1st April – Last Day of Term – School finishes at 2pm.
- 19th April – First day of the Summer Term
- 21st Dogs Trust Assembly and Workshops for Year 6
- 29th Year 1 Charity Event

9th-14th May – Key Stage 2 SATs tests. Please do not book any appointments During this time.





Above and Beyond Students

Congratulations to the following children for going above and beyond during the week ending 18.03.22



1DS – Theo
2HJ – Tyrese
3/4EA – Mia
3/4RH – Heli
6EG – Alessia



1IK – Szymon
2LW – Fatima
3/4KS – Yazir
5CW – Zainab
6GR – Daniel

Times Table Rock Stars - Weekly stats: 14th March – 20th March 2022 (Monday 9am – Sunday 9pm)

Class	Active Players	Most Improved	Class	Active Players	Most Improved
1DS	7% (-4%)	Maria	34KS	4% (-13%)	Jeevika
1IK	8% (0%)	Hussain	34RH	64% (-4%)	Tiffany
2HJ	26% (-4%)	Nimrit	5CW	30% (-11%)	Hadia
2LW	21% (0%)	Liyana	6EG	52% (-41%)	Alessia
34EA	58% (-4%)	Valeria	6GR	31% (+19%)	Kyle

Year 4 will be completing the Multiplication Tables Check in the Summer Term, so it is important that they take the opportunity to practice their speed of recall of the tables.

HOUSE POINTS

Week Commencing 14.03.22

Green: 912

Blue: 1047

Yellow: 1349

Red: 1470

Attendance
Week Ending 18.03.22
94.7%

Attendance, Sickness and Lates

Whole School
attendance this year:
92.2%

**Class of the Week:
2HJ with 99.5%**

Late Arrivals

61 children were late for school last week.

Being late for school disrupts the children already in class and does not give your child a good start to their school day

Please be in school by 8.45am

Unfortunately, attendance is still lower than we would hope for. Whilst we appreciate that there is extra worry at the moment with Covid-19, it is important that we try to maintain a regular routine for children and that includes them going to school. On the next page you will see a table of a variety of conditions and if a child needs to be kept out of school or not.

If your child needs to take antibiotics 4 or more times a day, we are quite happy to administer them – just complete the form and hand the medicine to a member of staff at the school office. We are also happy to administer pain relief to your child – again complete a form at the school office and we will do the rest!

The Holiday and Food Programme (HAF) is running this Easter at a Young Peoples Centre near you!

If you are on free school meals, why not join us for a range of activities this Easter? You will also be provided with a meal each day and it's all free.

Monday 4th to Thursday 7th April 2022:

Easter Fun - Multi-Activity programme (10:00-14:00) for Children in school years 1-6 at South Ruislip Young Peoples Centre, Victoria Road, South Ruislip HA4 0JE

Musical Theatre Wicked (10:00-14:00) for young people in school years 7-11 at Harlington Young Peoples Centre, Hayes UB3 1PB

Smart Phone Photography (11:00-15:00) for young people in school years 7-11 at Fountain's Mill Young Peoples Centre, 81 High Street, Uxbridge UB8 1JR

Monday 11th April to Thursday 14th April 2022:

Musical Theatre Lion King (10:00-14:00) for Children in school years 1-6 at South Ruislip Young Peoples Centre, Victoria Road, South Ruislip HA4 0JE

The World of Magic (11:00-15:00) for young people in school years 7-11 at Fountain's Mill Young Peoples Centre, 81 High Street, Uxbridge UB8 1JR

Urban Arts (11:00-15:00) for young people in school years 7-11 at Harlington Young Peoples Centre, Hayes UB3 1PB

To book your place on this Easter activities, please click on the link, this will provide you with all the information for each visit:

<https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/article/9020/Information-for-parents>

The Right Trousers

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for our older pupils in case they need to change them during the day because their own

If you are able to donate any trousers, especially age 9 upwards, we would be extremely grateful to receive them. Please hand them into the school office.

If you are able, you may want to put a spare pair of trousers or tights in your child's bag in case they may need

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- ✓ **Complete beginner to intermediate level?**
- ✓ **Aged 7+ with your two front adult teeth?**

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Only £15 a term
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contact@ywdband.com

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Swimming is a vital life skill and it is accessible for everyone in their local pool. We are the largest provider of swimming lessons in the UK with our Better Swim School locally available at:

- Highgrove Pool & Fitness Centre
- Hillingdon Sports & Leisure Complex
- Botwell Green Sports & Leisure Centre

Our Learn to Swim framework is designed by industry experts to ensure lessons are of the highest quality, progressive and make our pupils journey fun and hassle free. All our teachers are professional, passionate and pupil-focused; and will ensure you're child is in safe hands.

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The Pond is open term time for 2 year olds either 5 mornings or 5 afternoons a week

There are **free** places available for eligible families and places for families who wish to pay. We have morning or afternoon sessions available.

The cost is £90 per week

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