

Launton C of E School Newsletter

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Thank you to the superb team who planned and organised the barbeque and everyone who worked so hard Friday, including the amazing job done of clearing away, so that school was ready for Monday morning; you are all enormously appreciated.



Well done to the Year 6 pupils, whose performance of Gold- The Tale of King Midas, was exceptional. The solos and duets sung by Clarence, Elsie, Harvee and Kiera were excellent and the younger children watched the play in awe and admiration.



The children are looking forward to sharing their work with parents and families, either during their Open Classrooms this afternoon 2.45-3.15pm or when they bring books home over the next few days. PE kits are no longer needed at school before the end of term. Term finishes for all children at 3.15pm next Tuesday. In this, the final newsletter for this term, we would like to say thank you for your support this year and we look forward to the first day of the autumn term, which will be Wednesday 4th September.

This Friday the PTA will be selling ice lollies and pre-loved uniform in the front garden from 3pm.

We are pleased to announce that we have achieved the Gold School Games Mark again this year!

Term 1 After School Clubs

See table of clubs on next page for more details.

Bookings will open on Friday 19th July and will close at midday on Wednesday 4th September.



Key dates

[Term Dates 2023/2024](#)

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Message from the PTA

Many thanks to all those that came to the summer BBQ. It was wonderful to see so many families there. A big thanks to our chefs and all those that volunteered to run the event. We raised just over £800.

On Monday night we held the Friends of Launton School AGM. The slides are available on school life. Following the election the new trustees are;

Lucy Crawford - Chair

Emma Austin - Vice Chair

Laura Smith - Treasurer

Catherine Hall - Treasurer

Charlotte Noakes - Secretary

Many thanks to these parents for volunteering to continue the work of the charity with supports the school. And thank you to Laura Pickering and Sarah Harrison who stepped down after 3 years.

THIS FRIDAY - there will be ice lollies and pre-loved for sale in the front garden. Lollies are 50p each.



Term 1 After School Activity Clubs			
Monday	Junior Rugby 7 weeks from 09.09.2024	Key Stage 2	With Mr Mawn (Sports Teacher) Booked through Scopay
Tuesday	Football 7 weeks from 10.09.2024	Key Stage 2	With Ignite Booked through Scopay
Wednesday	Gymnastics and Dance 7 weeks from 11.09.2024	Years 2 – 6	With Ignite Booked through Scopay
Thursday	Art and Design Technology Club 6 weeks from 12.09.2024	Key Stage 2	With Miss Nightingale Booked through Scopay
Friday	Netball/Basketball 6 weeks from 13.09.2024	Key Stage 2	With Ignite Booked through Scopay

Updates & Reminders

Dates for your diary

18th July 2.45-3.15pm - Open classrooms. This is for children in all year groups, including nursery. Please visit the classroom of your **youngest child first and arrive using the gates in the playground.**

23rd July - Leavers' Service in St Mary's Church at 9.30am for Year 6 The Year 6 pupils will plan and lead this service for themselves and for the pupils in KS2. Year 6 parents/ carers and staff are invited to join pupils in the school hall after the service, for coffee and cake served by the pupils.

Useful Links –

[TESCO Free School Uniform Shop](#)

[Summer Holiday Clubs](#)

[Clubs and Events](#)

[Transition Advice for Year 6 Parents](#)

[Oral Health Newsletter](#)

[Parent's Guide to Cyberbullying](#)

[Term 6 School Health Nurse Newsletter](#)

Remember: Please be aware that we have children in school with **serious food allergies**. To ensure the safety of all of our children please avoid sending your child to school with anything that contains nuts this includes sandwiches containing peanut butter or chocolate spread.

Useful Links

Here is the NHS [Is my child too ill for school](#) information.

As parents and carers, there are ways we can support our children to give them the best chance to stay mentally healthy. Encouraging and guiding a child to think about their own mental health and wellbeing are vital skills you can teach them from a young age. [Children's mental health - Every mind matters](#)