



# Landulph School Newsletter

## Together in Adventure and Discovery

26th January 2018

### A Message From Mrs Best

We have had another busy and productive week here at Landulph – no change there! There is always such a happy buzz from the children: standing in the shared area you can hear groups learning their phonics; groups retelling their stories; groups discussing council business to share at their SMART day; groups navigating a tricky maths problem; the list goes on. Class 3 thoroughly enjoyed their Woodland walk, which was linked to their current science topic and allowed some serious outdoor fun and learning. The children have also made full use of the sudden space in playgrounds (a great link to Class 1's book – A Squash and a Squeeze!) now that the roofing work is all complete. A big thank you to Empire Roofing for prioritising us and working as quickly as possible to get the school back up and running.

Some of the older children have completed their Stage 2 Bikeability test this week. Penny Allen spent a day with two groups and was extremely complimentary about them, as she put them through their paces on the playground and out and about on the roads.

This week we have welcomed Molly into Year 4 for a taster day and we all look forward to her starting properly on Monday. We also enjoyed a visit from Richard Newton Chance, the new Trust Board Chairperson for our school. Our Year 6 School Council members showed him around the school and impressed him with their knowledge of the school.

Congratulations to this week's class cup winners:

Class 1 Isabelle H      Class 2 Amelie      Class 3 Lola

Well done to this week's lunchtime award winners:

Class 1 Archie      Class 2 Haleigh      Class 3 Jerlin

Have a lovely weekend.

### Parent Pay

You would have received your letters from school informing you of the introduction of Parent Pay 20th February 2018. Activation letters will be sent home Monday 5th February with instructions on how to access the system.

### Girl Guides

Julie Dingle the District Commissioner for Saltash Girl Guides has informed the school that on 22nd February it is Girl Guides World Thinking Day when they celebrate Girl guiding and think about members all around the World. This was the birthdays of the founder members Lord and Lady Baden Powell. In the past members have worn their uniforms to school. If your child is a Girl Guide then their uniforms can be worn to school on the day if they wish to participate in the celebrations.

### Swimming for Years 2, 3, 4 & 5

Please note that there is a swimming letter in your child's book bag today. Please can you return the slip and money as soon as possible.

### Diary Dates

**W/C Monday  
15th January -  
W/E Friday 9th  
February**  
Various Clubs  
**Yrs 5 & 6  
Friday 2nd  
February**  
XCcountry Race  
**Monday 12th—  
Friday 16th  
February**  
Half term  
**Monday 19th  
February**  
Staff training  
**Tuesday 20th  
February**  
Parent Pay goes  
live.  
**Wednesday  
21st February—  
Wednesday  
28th March**  
Years 2,3,4 & 5  
Swimming  
**Thursday 22nd  
February**  
Girl guides  
celebration.  
**Thursday 29th  
March**  
Last day of term-  
**Monday 16th  
April**  
First day of term

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## Admissions

### **Consultation: School Admissions Arrangements 2019/20**

The directors and governors of Landulph School have a statutory duty (under the School Standards and Framework Act 1998, as amended by the Education and Skills Act 2008 and the School Admissions Code 2012) to consult on its Admissions Arrangements at least once every seven years or when any changes from the previous year are proposed or where there has been a change in Admissions Authority. This year, directors and governors have decided to align the consultation process with other schools within SMART, the multi academy trust, thus necessitating a consultation process to take place.

The **draft** Admissions Arrangements for the 2019/20 school year can be found on the school's website. Please go to [www.landulphschool.co.uk](http://www.landulphschool.co.uk) and click on Our School, Policies. You will find the following documents for your consideration:

### **Admission Arrangements for Consultation 2019/20**

Landulph School would be pleased to receive comments on any aspect of its proposed Admissions Arrangements for 2019/20 before the deadline of 31 January 2018. All responses should be sent to Landulph School, Landulph, Saltash PL12 6ND or by email to [head@landulphcloud.net](mailto:head@landulphcloud.net)

## **PTA Weekly News**

**Tesco Blue Token Scheme** If you are at Tesco Callington over the next two months please pick up a blue token and vote for Landulph School PTA in the bags of help scheme. We are up against some much bigger schools for the Tesco tokens and are currently coming third. We have until the end of Feb to catch up so please ask family and friends to support us and help us catch up. Also, please ask on any local groups you might be a member of. This money will help the children to bring to life their vision of an outdoor classroom which can also be used for quiet activities at playtimes. Combined with bird/bat boxes, bug houses, and other equipment that will let them get back to nature. Thank you.

**The Cake Raffle is back for 2018!** Congratulations Lucy from Class 1 on winning last week's cake, and a massive thank you to ex-pupil Talia, (Poppy's sister) for baking. It costs £1 every Friday, or pay in advance. Can you bake us a cake? Please let a member of PTA know if you can help or if you're sending money in with your children on the bus. We will intercept them on their way into school. Contact us on Facebook to let us know.

**Contact your PTA on Facebook** Type in Landulph School PTA and request to join the group, we will then approve your request and you can keep up with the latest PTA news. Or do it the old-fashioned way and speak to one of us in the playground, there's a PTA parent in each class – just ask!

**The Giving Machine** If you use Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, M&S, Ebay, Thorntons, Boots, Sainsburys, Tesco...the list is endless then you could be raising money for school at no expense to yourself. The Giving Machine [www.thegivingmachine.co.uk](http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk) is such a simple way to help our school and will take no more than 2 minutes to set up.

1-[www.thegivingmachine.co.uk](http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk)

2-Simply register as a Giver on their website,

3-Find School or Charity to Support

4-Put Landulph Primary School in the Search box

5-This will then take you back to Become a Giver Today screen where you need to complete your details and set a password.

6-Click Submit

You are now registered! Easy! Now everytime you do any online shopping make sure you log into [www.thegivingmachine.co.uk](http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk) first and then click the link to shop at Amazon, Ebay, Boden, Thorntons...wherever! Your order will then count towards our school's balance.

If you are already registered then **please please** remember to use The Giving Machine. (If you've forgotten your password then reset it by email link – it's really easy!)

If you are struggling with any of these instructions then please ask Sarah Hopcroft in the playground at school and she will come and set it up for you!

Huge Thanks in anticipation. Why not ask Friends and Family to register as well? Let's all make a conscious effort to do it and raise some easy money for our lovely school.