

LAWFORD CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Leavers and 'Joiners'

It is with great sadness that I have to announce the departure of Mrs Holton at the end of this term. She has been a very welcome addition to our school and has supported many of its events. Happily, she would still like to volunteer to help us from time to time. Mrs Holton is planning to set up her own tutoring business - so do look out for the flyers. We all wish Mrs Holton the very best in her new venture.

We have recruited two part time teachers for 4H. They are highly experienced and have taught year 4 for many years (they have worked together for about 16 years). Mrs Summers and Mrs Rattray are very much looking forward to joining us and will be in school at some point in the final week to start their handover with Mrs Holton. I know you will welcome them as I do.

Dogs on Site

It has been reported by a member of the school community that several dogs are coming onto the school site at the Long Road entrance. Only assistance dogs (or those under training) are allowed onto the school site. All other dogs should remain beyond the main gates at either entrance (with brick pillars). Dogs should not come onto the drive via Long Road nor should they come through the first set of gates by the playground (off the avenue). Thank you for your co-operation.



Achievers of the Week

RA	Charlie Lawrence
RC	Penelope Chester-Perez
1LS	Freddie Bunch
1S	Catalaya Boston
2D	Kitty Johnson
2Q	Douglas Marsh
3D	Ernie Rowe
3T	Dolly Harper
4B	Edison Bridges
4H	Florence Whitworth
5	Annabelle Scott
6	Ruby Robinson
MDA	Jessie-Lou Smart
Headteacher	Noah Jones

Sport

The year 3 / 4 boys team had a friendly fixture this week against Dedham. Both sides played really well and showed real positivity and commitment. The final score was a well deserved 2-2.

Congratulations to all those year 5s and 6s who took part in the Mud Run. It forms part of our national curriculum PE requirements for adventurous activity. Everyone who took part showed real resilience, especially those for whom running is not their forte nor getting muddy. There were some great results. Thank you to the large number of families who attended the final on Saturday. We are proud of you all.

Tesco

We have been selected for the Tesco 'Stronger starts' programme as part of the PTA's fundraising for cabin to be a nurture space at break and lunch. The following stores will be participating:

Ipswich Extra IP8 3TS Ipswich Norwich Express Express IP1 4BP
Ipswich Foxhall Express Express IP3 8LH 5096 Manningtree Colch Express Express CO11 1AJ
Ipswich Duke Street Express Express IP3 0BF
St.Matthews Street Express Express IP1 3EW
Ipswich Nacton Road Express Express IP3 9NA

Please support us if you can.

Please can I remind everyone to set the correct example to the children about how when interacting with each other around the school site and also in the car parks., even if we disagree with another's choices.



Dates for your diary

- 17th December** - KS2 Carol concert - 1800 at Mistley Church.
- 18th December** - YR & KS1 Christmas lunch
- 19th December** - KS2 Christmas lunch Open afternoon from 1400.
- 5th January** - Non-pupil Day
- 6th January** - Pupils back
- 9th January** - Colchester United girls' football tournament.
- 13th January** - 2D pond dipping - PACE
- 15th January** - 2Q Pond dipping - PACE
- 21st January** - 3/4 cross country
- 30th January** - Year 3 football festival
- 9th - 13th February** - Arts' Week
- 16th -20th February** - Half Term
- 24th February** - Year 1 Holly Trees Museum Visit

[KS2 parents please ensure you have booked your tickets for the carol service on 17th December. They will be sent home before the performance. Book using this link:](#)

Lunch Menu: Please see MCAS message dated 10/12/15 at 13:01

Don't forget to book in advance (before 23:59 on the day before), using the MCAS app.

If your child is absent, please cancel by 23:59 the day before. However, if illness occurs overnight, please add a comment to your report in 'Studybugs' so the office can cancel it for you.

LAWFORD PTA
Christmas Raffle

IT'S YOUR LAST WEEK TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS. TICKET SALE CLOSSES AT 6PM SUNDAY 14TH DECEMBER

Over 60 prizes to win, including 54 hampers, The Mercury Theaters and The Princess Theater tickets, Fitness session, Barrett and Co photography voucher, £20 Coop voucher, Creations Station gift, £15 voucher for The Entertainer, Stour store gift and many more.

The Raffle will be drawn and winners will receive a text message. Prizes to be collected from the school reception on the following days and times

Monday 15th 8:30-9:00am and 15:00-15:40pm

Wednesday 17th 8:30-9:00am and 15:00-15:40pm

Thursday 18th 8:30-9:00am and 15:00-15:40pm

A big thank you to all the local businesses for the wonderful donations.

Tickets can be purchased on the funding wall link attached or by scanning the QR above.

Raffle - Christmas Hamper and Prize Raffle

Raffle - Purchase raffle tickets for a chance to win one of our Christmas hampers. Hampers may include: Wine, soft drinks, biscuits, chocolate, crisps, cake, mince pies and more. Additional prizes to be won are...

FundingWall

Golden Book

1LS - Ollie for his amazing kindness and helpfulness in Lawford families.

1S - for their fact files about their pets - Phoebe, Lucy and Sienna

2Q - Preston for his beautifully neat explanation of why Jesus received the different gifts at the nativity.

Look what we have been doing this week...

