



Les Landes Newsletter

24th May, 2019



Dear Parents,

Staffing News

We will have a change to our class teacher staffing in September. Mrs White will be teaching part time and will not be the Y5 teacher; she will be covering the release time needed by other class teachers. We have appointed Miss Amber Freer as Y5 teacher, English Co-ordinator and Key Stage Two Manager. Miss Freer is currently Y6 teacher at St Peter's School, and was a teacher at d'Auvergne School for six years before this. She is an excellent practitioner and we are very much looking forward to welcoming her to the team. The children will have the chance to meet her during the transition day at the beginning of July (although they have met her as part of the recruitment process) and parents can meet her at Meet the Teacher in September.

Go Wild for Gorillas

We have committed to supporting Jersey Zoo's Gorilla project and Eva Fish's design has been selected for our gorilla. We are holding a non-uniform day on **Wednesday 5th June** to help us raise funds for the Gorilla project, and we will be selling gorilla shaped biscuits and giving bananas. We would like to suggest a £1 donation or more.

Roadworks

Route De Trodez, Route de Millais and Rue a la Pendue will be closed for two weeks from 28th May to 7th June. However, on school days the road will be open until 9.15 each morning so drop off will remain unaffected. The road will also open between 2.15-3.15pm to facilitate pick up. Outside of these times there will be diversions in place (map attached). Any queries can be directed to the Department for Growth, Housing and Environment on 445509 and details can be found at www.gov.je/roadworks

Congratulations!

Well done to all the children who took part in the Schools' Athletics Championships at FB this week. Bethany in Y6 and Joss, Annie and Charlie in Y5 got through the heats to the semi-finals, which take place this afternoon. Good luck to them, thank you to Mrs Parker for organising and thank you to parents for helping with transport.

A special thank you

I would like to thank Miss McMenamin, Mrs Powell and Mrs Webster for volunteering to stay overnight at the Scout Centre with Y4 this week. We all know how important opportunities like these are for children and the memories they make last forever. It simply couldn't happen without their goodwill and commitment.

School Walk

You should have received your sponsorship form for our annual school walk on **7th June**. We would really appreciate adult support on the walk; please let us know if you can help out. We will be finished before 12pm. All sponsorship greatly received.

House Reward

The winning house this half term is Plemont. (Grosnez: 175, Les Mielles: 165, L'Etacq: 190 and Plemont: 238). They can bring bikes and scooters in on **Tuesday 4th June** for extra playtime

Have Your Say

The Government of Jersey would like feedback from families as part of their Right Help -Right Time project. It is a one question survey and the link can be found here: <https://survey.gov.je/s/RHRTSupport/>

Cake Sale

Mae and Ruby in Y3 ran a cake sale this week, in support of Kafunjo Community Project. The girls raised £147.50. The girls are deciding how many bars of soap, mattresses and mosquito nets they can afford.

Attachments

- Battle of Flowers Design a Poster Competition
- Let's Ride - Free cycling festival
- JCCT Illustrator competition terms and conditions - entry forms given to children
- Road closure map

Dates

These will sync to your smart phones if you download the 'School News' app

Tuesday 4th June - House Reward

Wednesday 5th June - non-uniform for Go Wild Project

Friday 7th June - School Walk

Tuesday 11th June -New Reception Parents Meeting 7pm

Thursday 20th June - Reception swimming - parents invited 9-10am

Thursday 20th June - Y5 at Jersey Sings - Tickets available at EventBrite

Monday 24th June - St Aubin's Fort Y5

Tuesday 25th June - St Aubin's Fort Y5

Wednesday 26th June - St Aubin's Fort Y5

Monday 1st July - Crabbe Y3

Tuesday 2nd July - Crabbe Y3

Thursday 4th July - Y6 Transition, pop in session for new Reception

Friday 5th July - Y6 Transition, pop in session for new Reception

Friday 5th July - all children in their new class all day

Saturday 6th July -St Ouen's Fete, choir singing 12pm

Tuesday 9th July - Parent Consultations - *a change from Wed*

Thursday 11th July - Parent Consultations

Friday 12th July - Sports Day 10am and Community Picnic 12pm , Y3 Ukulele concert

Thursday 18th July - Y6 Leavers' Assembly

Friday 19th July - Last day of term

Mrs Charlesworth

