



# St Lawrence Weekly

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## Headteacher's Spotlight

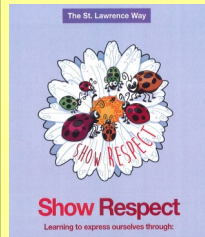
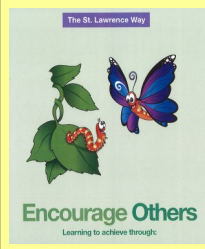
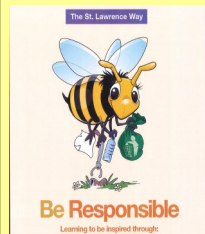
We have had a wonderful second week of term here at school with our super pupils continuing to impress us with their behaviour and attitude to learning. This helps so much when we have a reduced number on the staff team. It also helps to have a fantastic team of volunteers hearing pupils read (seven superstars currently). If anyone else can help please get in touch.

Attendance this week has been 93.48% and for the school year our figure is 93.88%. Our target is 96%. Parents can help us get there by making sure children are in school and on time whenever possible. Please can dentist appointments etc. be booked outside of school hours. Thank you!

Congratulations to our Y5/6 indoor cricket team which won all five matches in a tournament this week and now progress to the next stage of the competition - well done team!

All pupils should have brought home a copy of their class's curriculum preview today. An electronic copy is being sent also. Please study these documents and if you can help at home to reinforce learning by studying books, watching TV programmes, visiting museums etc. that would be fabulous.

Our Y6 children had a wonderful week at Arthog and here are a few pictures from their adventures:



Have a relaxing weekend.

Alan Brannen  
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## Friends' News ...



Happy New Year!

Thank you for supporting your school last year - we couldn't do it without you!

We are looking forward to this year's events. Bags 2 school will take place on 23rd April to give you all time to have a clear out. If you have any unwanted Christmas presents, don't forget that we are always looking for raffle prizes.

Don't forget to keep an eye out for our summer fair. Dates for your diary will be coming soon.

### FEBRUARY HALF-TERM HOLIDAY ACTIVITY CLUB

13,14,15  
FEB  
2024

£18 PER DAY  
9.00AM-4.00PM  
FREE BREAKFAST  
CLUB FROM 8.30AM

FOR BOYS & GIRLS  
6-11 YEARS OLD

For full booking details, contact your school or <https://www.passmastercoaching.co.uk>

**ACTIVITIES:**

- + Indoor and outdoor play
- + Team games
- + Make friends
- + Arts and crafts
- + Imaginary play
- + Learn new skills
- + Cooking
- + Themed weeks
- + Dance
- + Nature exploration

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## Dates for your diary:

1st February - 3.30pm	Y5 Pioneer Visit - Parent information event
12th - 16th February	Half-term holiday
21st - 23rd February	Y5 Pioneer Centre residential
6th March	PSP Parents' Evening
7th March	World Book Day
8th March	Y4 - Climate walk
12th March	Willow class to Liverpool World Museum
15th March	Comic Relief
19th March - 3.30 - 6pm	Parents' Evening Booking will go live on Parentmail at the beginning of March
21st March - 3.30 - 6pm	Parents' Evening Booking will go live on Parentmail at the beginning of March
25th March - 5th April	Easter holidays
11th April - 3.15	Safer school meeting
23rd April	Bag to school
13th May - 17th May	KS2 SATs week
27th May - 31st May	Half-term holiday
20th - 21st June	Y4 to Long Mynd Adventure Camp



## Badminton for All

Church Stretton Badminton Club invite you to try out our fantastic sport

**PLAYING AND COACHING SESSIONS OPEN TO ALL**

**Come along and have a go**  
Church Stretton Leisure Centre

**Spring Term commences 17th January 2024**

**6.30PM TO 8.00PM**

**All abilities welcome from 7 years upwards**  
**Sports wheelchairs and rackets available FOC**

For more info call Alan Fox on 01694725588 or 07977060303

**RAISE your wellbeing**

**Respect + Achieve + Inspire + Skill + Enjoy**



## MAYFAIR Five Year Plan

# Help shape our future

At Mayfair we are putting together a plan for the next 5 years and we need YOU to help shape our future plans.

Please complete our survey online at  
[www.mayfaircentre.org.uk](http://www.mayfaircentre.org.uk)

Or you can visit Mayfair on the following dates and chat to us and give us your views in person:

**Monday 15th January 10:30am to 12:30pm**

**Wednesday 17th January 3pm to 5pm**

For more information, or if you are interested in taking part in more in depth 'focus group' discussions about our 5 year plan, please call and ask to chat to Naomi.

Remember Mayfair includes our Health and Wellbeing Centre, Church Stretton Ring and Ride, Beacon, MAYSI, CoCo befriending service, Mayfair Meal delivery, Mayfair Health Walks, Church Stretton Youth Clubs, and much more!



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## Prayer for the week

Dear God,

Thank you for Christmas and the fun that we have had.

We thank you for a new year;

A year that is full of opportunities.

Please help us to remember how Jesus taught us to live,

By putting other people first and loving each other.

Amen.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please remember that **red** hoodies, cardigans and jumpers are the school uniform. Please do not allow your child to come into school, wearing any other sport hoodies or other coloured jumpers.

Due to the change in temperature, please ensure your child brings a coat to school everyday. Along with hat and a pair of gloves.

Please be advised that **fully black** trainers can only be worn to school. Some children are still wearing trainers with white soles, logos, tongues laces etc.