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# St Lawrence Week

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## Headteacher's Spotlight

It has been a very busy start to the new half term, with Year 5 children going on their residential to the

Pioneer Centre.

Residentials are a lovely experience for the children as it builds independence, social and team building skills as well as creating long lasting memories. We, as a school, are lucky to be able to have so many residential experience

opportunities such as Y4 camp, Y5 Pioneer Centre and the Y6 Arthog experiences.

Staff sickness has caused a bit

of a reshuffle

this week, with

Mr Brannen stepping in to support the Pioneer Centre residential and myself acting as senior teacher in charge on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. I would like to thank all the staff in all areas of the school for their continued hard work and resourcefulness. A special thank you to Mr Terry Davies and Ms Angie Walshaw for their time and experience in making the Pioneer Residential a success again this year!



**Encourage Others** 



**Show Respect** 



day at St Lawrence's. After seven great years where she has been class teacher and for a time English Coordinator. We wish her all the best in the next chapter of her life; though you may see her as a supply teacher in the future. Who can remember making a Roman road cross section out of chocolate and biscuits with Mrs Bentley?

Next Wednesday is Mrs Bentley's last

I wish you all a lovely weekend; hopefully, it will be sunny!

> Mr Reynolds SENCO

### Friends' News

We'd like to remind you that our Uniform Shop will be open next week at the kiosk during pick-up from Monday to Thursday. If you need anything in between times please drop us an email on friends.stlawrence@outlook.com and we will do our best to help.

Look out for our newsletter coming Home.

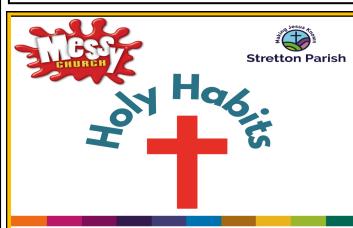
#### **Forest School Donations List**

If you have any of these items unused at home, we would really appreciate your donations as part of our Forest School learning:

- \* Garden brooms
- \* Leaf rakes
- Wooden curtain rings
- Wooden boxes/trays
- Pinecones
- \* Wooden pegs
- Smooth pebbles
- \* Natural effect hanging baskets
- Small carpet remnants
- Buckets (any size)
- Any other natural, small object that could be used as part of our child-centred learning. (If in doubt, please







**Thursday 14th March** 3:30 - 5:45pm

The Parish Centre, St. Laurence's Church, CS









Please pre-book your place: www.strettonparish.org.uk, use the QR code or email sally@strettonparish.org.uk

**ALL WELCOME** 



#### Dates for your diary:

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27th February - pm	Y5/6 Netball Festival at Church Stretton School
28th February	Y3/4 School Games Dodgeball County Final at Telford Tennis Centre
4th March	Fox class 'All Aboard' visit to Shrewsbury, travelling by bus and train
5th March - pm	Y4 Orienteering at Church Stretton School
6th March	PSP Parents' Evening
7th March	World Book Day
8th March	Y4 - Climate walk
12th March - pm	KS2 Basketball festival at Church Stretton School
12th March	Willow class to Liverpool World Musuem
15th March	Comic Relief
18th March	School Easter Service in Church Children only
19th March - pm	Y5 & Y6 Orienteering at Carding Mill Valley
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
15th June	Friends Sunmmer Fair
20th - 21st June	Y4 to Long Mynd Adventure Camp



10am-1pm

The Parish Centre & St Laurence's Church **Church Stretton** 

Bible stories, fun challenges, sports, crafts and much more!!

**Booking opens shortly** 

CONNECTIONS

### The Loft Arts



by Abi Zakarian

All Stretton Village Hall, SY6 6JR

Fri 8th March 2024 - 7:30pm Sat 9th March 2024 - 1:30pm Sat 9th March 2024 - 7:30pm Doors open 30mins before performances

enquiries: info.theloftarts@gmail.com





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#### **Church Stretton** Leisure Centre Open Day

Saturday 24th Feb 9am - 2pm

#### Come and try our facilities and activities....

- Meet the Team View the Facilities
- \* Find out about our Exercise on Referral program

#### FREE Activities throughout the day will include:



Memberships





**Launching Our Brand NEW** 

Swimming Pool Inflatables!!

\* Stretton Pool Action have kindly purchased these

\* Please come & try these out for FREE during our

MEMBERSHIP OFFERS

\* Beat the April price increase with out Price For LIFE

New Inflatables for the centre

open day (pre Booking required)

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### Prayer for the week

Dear God

We thank you for new adventures and experiences. For rest and home and all good things. For wind, rain and sun above. But most of all for those we love.

Amen