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18th October 2018

Explore

Excite

Excel

Important Parent Evening First Day Back

GIVE US JUST TWO HOURS OF YOUR TIME FROM 7PM ON TUESDAY 30TH OCTOBER AND WE PROMISE YOU WILL WALK AWAY FEELING LIKE YOU HAVE LEARNT INCREDIBLY IMPORTANT THINGS ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S SAFETY. (Plus someone will win an Amazon Fire Tablet JUST BY ATTENDING).

We've run this workshop for two years now – parents who attend are truly shocked and wished they had known the information sooner. In our experience the pupils here really want their parents to attend. The message is NOT to stop them from accessing screens and games, it's about doing it safely.

'A very thought-provoking evening last night - was a real eye-opener and I'm so much more aware now of how we need to be with our children. I had no idea we were anywhere near needing to be worried about this with an 8 year old!'

'What a thoroughly unpleasant, but extremely informative evening. If only every parent would attend our children would be so much safer. Many thanks for all your efforts and hard hitting delivery.'

"Autumn... the year's last, loveliest smile."
- WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT



Red Class had snails, slugs and woodlice in the classroom this week. They drew and labelled some detailed observational drawings.

In Orange Class the children wrote lists of items Little Bear might take to the moon. Along with peanut butter sandwiches and a teddy there were lots of interesting items.

Yellow Class have been improving their ball skills. They have been practising throwing and catching and know to keep their eye on the ball at all times!

Green Class have been learning about Roman soldiers. This week they researched about Roman shields. They designed and painted their own individual shields.

On Wednesday morning everyone in Blue Class went for a walk around our village looking for features of the physical and human environment.

During Year 5 English lessons the class have been reading poems by William Blake. They have gathered vocabulary so that they can write descriptive poems in a similar style.

Year six have continued to master fractions this week – adding, multiplying, and subtracting. They are becoming really confident at using fractions, well done!

Can you help at Aveley Lodge?

There is a really lovely opportunity over at Aveley Lodge in Fingringhoe to help the events co-ordinator Jackie with sessions such as residents meeting dogs who visit the lodge, flower pressing, and various other crafts. She'd love help either mornings or afternoons... even one session a week would be great. If you would like to volunteer your time or get more information, please call Jackie on 01206 729304.

Individual Photo Deadline

The deadline to order individual photos is 31st October 2018 (the pack you were given gives an incorrect date). Please bring any orders you would like into school by that date, or order online.

Ex Pupil Achievements

Mrs Malcom was delighted to see so many St Lawrence ex pupils at the TLA Prize Evening receiving awards for attendance, attainment, and progress. *Well done Isabella, Georgina, Kane and Joseph in Year 7; Eve in Year 9; Abbygale and Bradley in Year 10; and Elena in Year 11.*



What is your favourite feeling and why? By William in Year 2

Winning Answer by Maja in Year 2

Every feeling is my favourite because if we didn't experience every feeling, we wouldn't cry at the sad things.

Head Teacher Awards

Tilly N-H, Noah, Olive and Matilda in Foundation
Stage, Freya in Year 3

Secondary Application Deadline

The statutory closing date for applications from parents of Year 6 children (for a secondary school place in Year 7 from September 2019) is **31st October 2018**.

If you are yet to submit an application, you must do so by 31st October 2018.

Applications can be made via this website: www.essex.gov.uk/admissions.

GLOW.

GOD LIGHTS OUR WAY

THE LORD
IS MY LIGHT
AND MY
SALVATION.
PSALM 27:1

WEDNESDAY 31ST OCTOBER

4.30pm – 6.30pm

Mariners Chapel will be at the hut
on Lion Quay – come and say hello!

FREE HOT CHOCOLATE • FUN GAMES FOR CHILDREN

ROWHEDGE SOCIAL CLUB
HALLOWEEN PARTY
27TH OCTOBER 6.30 LATE
SCARYKE FROM 8.30
COSTUME COMPETITIONS, WINNERS ANNOUNCED
CHILDREN'S 7.30 ADULTS 9.30
JOIN US ... IF YOU DARE!

Essex Wildlife Trust

Abberton Reservoir Nature Reserve
& Visitor Centre

ESSEX & SUFFOLK
WATER living water



Photo: Mike Cleary

October Half Term Events

Whoooo's for Dinner? Owl pellet dissection

Mon 22nd, 10am-12pm & 1:30pm-3:30pm.
Suitable for children aged 6+

Pumpkin Carving

Tues 23rd, 10am-12pm & 1:30pm-3:30pm.
Pumpkins provided.

Brambly Hedge: Autumn Story

Weds 24th & Thurs 25th, 10am-12pm

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

Info: abberton@essexwt.org.uk

booking: 01206 738172

Pond Dipping

Weds 24th & Thurs 25th, 1:30pm-3:30pm

Self-led Orienteering Trail

Fri 26th, 10am-2pm, Drop-in event,
£3 donation

Fright Night

Sat 27th, 6pm-8:30pm
Donation £8 per child, £4 per adult

£6 donation per child unless stated
otherwise. Please come dressed
appropriately for being outside.

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ST LAWRENCE SCHOOL PTA PROUDLY PRESENTS

Rowhedge FIREWORK Display

SAVE MONEY.
BEAT THE QUEUES!
ADVANCE TICKET DEALS:
Adult £5 / Child £3
U3's FREE
Family* £15
(2+3)

ROWHEDGE RECREATION GROUND

SUNDAY 4TH
NOVEMBER 2018

GATES OPEN AT 4PM • FIREWORKS AT 6PM

Come and join us for your dinner with a good
selection of food stalls available and an ice-cream
van. All will be serving from 4pm in the school
playground. We will be selling flashing toys too!

*Family tickets consist of 2 adults and up to 3 children aged 3-17

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If your personal details have changed, or you would like to update the consents we hold for you, please notify us in writing.