

St. Luke's Newsletter No. 23, Friday 10th March 2017

Apologies that there is no message from Dr Catterson this week

Psychological Workshops

Please see attached. Joanne Peterkin, a Clinical Psychologist, will be running a series of workshops covering topics such as challenging anxiety and minimising stress, parenting dilemmas, parenting tricky teens and parent-infant attachment. The workshops will include an element of teaching alongside interactive exercises and discussions and will be held in St Andrew's Hall, St Andrew's Road in Cambridge.

Reminders

- **Panto** – Out of an anticipated £780 only £356 has been received leaving the school £424 out of pocket. If you haven't already done so, please pay via ParentPay. PayPoint letters are available from Mrs Peters in the school office. Thank you.
- The Big Pedal Week beginning 20th March – children and parents are encouraged to cycle or scooter to school.
- PTA Bingo Night – Following the success of last year's Bingo night, this will be held again on Saturday 25th March from 5-7pm. Ticket prices are as follows: Adult £5, Child £3, Family £15. The ticket includes a Chinese buffet meal for each person. Bingo games are 50p each. Forms for booking your tickets will be sent home soon and need to be returned to the PTA box (near the school office) or to a member of the PTA by Monday 20th March. We hope that you will all join us for an evening of family fun with lots of prizes to be won!

Attendance

Attendance has dipped slightly this week and stands at 94.77% (our target for the academic year is 96%).

Spring Term dates (new dates marked in blue)

- Thursday 9th March – year 5 trip to the Museum of Cambridge – packed lunch needed
- Friday 10th March, 9:15 Oak Class Assembly
- Week beginning 13th March, Science Week
- **Monday morning 13th March, year 5 to Flag-raising Ceremony at Shire Hall to commemorate Commonwealth Day**
- Tuesday 14th March, Science Day for years R/1/5/6
- Wednesday 15th March, Science Day for years 4
- **Thursday 16th March, Science Day for years 2/3**
- **Thursday 16th March, No Code Club**
- Friday 17th March, 9:05 Science Sharing Assembly – parents welcome
- Monday morning 20th March – years 5/6 to CU's Department of Chemistry for 'Burning Issues – Fire and Flame' lecture
- Tuesday 21st March, Mother's Day Lunch
- **Wednesday morning 22nd March, Recycling workshop for year 4**
- Wednesday 22nd March, Reports to parents
- Friday 24th March, Red Nose Day
- Friday 24th March, Gold Book/Class Sharing Assembly (years R/1/2) – parents welcome
- Saturday 25th March, 17:00-19:00PTA Bingo Night
- Thursday 30th March, 9:15 Information meeting for parents about year 3/4 residential trip
- Friday 31st March, 13:45 Easter Service at St Luke's Church – parents welcome
- Friday 31st March, 15:15 term ends