



# Landulph School Newsletter

## Together in Adventure and Discovery

7th November 2025



### A message from Mrs Ball...

Welcome back, everyone! We hope you all had a lovely half-term break and are feeling refreshed and ready for the busy (and very festive!) term ahead.

It was wonderful seeing so many of you at our Harvest Festival, the perfect end to the term.

As it is the start of a new term, it is time for the children to start their new topics.

**Class 1 – Was King Arthur real?**

**Class 2 – How did World War II change Britain?**

**Class 3 – How does the Second World War still affect us today?**

Topic overviews, knowledge organisers and home learning grids will be appearing in your 'inbox' next week and will also be available on our school website. Our knowledge organisers contain all of the key information that your child needs to know about each topic. We use them to help your child to revise and remember their learning. It would be great if you can use them at home as well.

#### Upcoming Diary Dates

**10th November**

Odd Socks Day (with normal uniform)

**14th November**

Mufti day and cake sale for Children in Need

**W/C 17th November**

SEN Parents Meetings

**20th November**

Tempest Photos (individuals and siblings)

**21st November**

INSET Day

**12th December**

Christmas Community Performance

**15th-17th December**

Christmas Shows

**22nd December - 2nd January**

Christmas Holidays



Children in Need is taking place on Friday 14th November. Children can come into school in mufti on this day. In order to raise money for this, we would like to hold a cake sale. **We would appreciate any donations of cakes that you are able to provide.**

We will then invite pupils to buy a piece of cake during the day for a small monetary donation.

Next week is Anti-Bullying Week, with the theme "Power for Good". **Odd Socks Day is taking place on Monday 10th November**, with adults and children being encouraged to wear odd socks with their school uniform to celebrate what makes us unique.

There are no donations requested for Odd Socks Day, but you are welcome to donate directly to the Anti-Bullying Alliance should you wish to -

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/aba>

If your child was born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022, it is time to apply for a foundation place. The deadline is [15th January 2026](#)



Congratulations to Miss Pease on achieving her MA in Education with distinction. We are all very proud of her 😊

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### Class 1

Welcome back everybody! We hope you all had a good rest over the extended half term. It's been a really busy start to the new term and we kicked off our new topic: Was King Arthur real? It's time to immerse ourselves in all things castles and dragons. We started by reading our book, *George and the Dragon* by Chris Wormell and we will begin to look at the history of castles. We have a few around us in Southeast Cornwall. In Maths we have continued to focus on addition and started problem solving. The Pixies have continued with subitising. Mrs Butlin gave us a fun music session and had us processing around the hall like kings and queens whilst listening to some very familiar music by 'Handel'. The children also got to be composers and make up their own music using different firework sounds.



### Class 2

Class 2 have settled back very well into the second half of the Autumn term and got straight on with lots of new learning. Our new English text is *The Lion and the Unicorn* which is about a boy called Lenny who lived during World War II, which is our new theme. The question for our theme is 'How did World War II change Britain?' and we are excited about what we will learning in History.

We had such a lovely music lesson on Tuesday with Mrs Butlin who led us in some singing and dancing about Mr Handel who wrote music for royalty; we had a lot of fun being kings and queens and courtiers!



### Class 3

This week, Class 3 have been full of enthusiasm as we began our brand-new topic on World War II. The children have shown great curiosity, asking thoughtful questions and making strong connections between World War I and the start of World War II.

In English, we have started reading *Friend or Foe* by Michael Morpurgo. The class have been exploring the emotions of an evacuee from London, writing moving diary entries and descriptive passages about life in war-torn London.

We have been working on short and long multiplication in Maths, using written methods confidently and then applying these skills to solve worded problems.

In Science, our Year 5 and 6 pupils are investigating light, while Year 4 are exploring the fascinating topic of sound.

The children have enjoyed developing their football skills in PE lessons, showing great teamwork and sportsmanship.

During Wild Tribe, we've linked to our WW2 topic by learning Morse code and practising how to send simple messages outdoors.

And in Computing, the children have begun learning about meteorology and weather recording, using digital tools to observe and track local weather patterns.

It's been a fantastic start to our new topic – Class 3 have really impressed with their curiosity, creativity, and enthusiasm for learning!

## Reminders....



**Wild Tribe**  
Outdoor Learning

This term, **Class 3** will be doing 'Wild Tribe.' Please can they bring spare clothes (that you don't mind getting dirty) into school in a bag on a **Thursday**.

- long trousers/tracksuit bottoms/leggings (no jeans)
- a long sleeved top or a jumper
- a waterproof jacket (waterproof trousers if you have them)
- old trainers or wellies

### P.E. Days

On PE days your child needs to come to school in their PE kit. Remember if it is a bit on the chilly side, they can wear black tracksuit bottoms and their school jumper.

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Friday	Monday	Monday
	Thursday	



Keep up those good habits...

Learning spellings, number facts and times tables is so important.

Don't forget your child has a log in to TT Rockstars (Y2-Y6) and Spelling Shed (Y1-Y6).

These are great programmes that we invest in as a school to support learning at home. If your child has forgotten

Does your child fancy learning how to play the keyboard or the guitar? Mr Jane has some spaces available and is keen to start inspiring the next generation of musicians. Lessons take place on Tuesday mornings.



Contact the office for a booking form.



Liz runs a tuck shop every Tuesday breaktime. It is £1 for a drink and a snack; your child will need to bring the money in with them on the day.

### Wellies & Waterproofs



Please can you send your child to school each day with NAMED wellies (they can stay in school if you have a spare pair) and a waterproof jacket. We try to get outside as often as possible even when the weather is not in our favour.

### Defibrillator (in a box)

Available for community use during school hours. Please come straight to the front entrance as it is stored in the office.



**Organised by Mrs Plumb**

Open from 7:45am on all days that children are in school

Breakfast included

£3.50 per child



### Little Owls

**Organised by Mrs Glancy and Miss Pease**  
Afterschool club opens from 3.20 – 5.30pm with the costs as below. All sessions include a snack.

- ⇒ 3:20pm-4:20pm - £4. Snack served at 4pm.
- ⇒ 3:20pm-5:30pm - £7. Snack served at 4pm.
- ⇒ 4:20pm-5:30pm (after clubs) - £4. Snack served at 4:30pm.

Please can you ensure any requests for wraparound care are submitted with as much notice as possible (ideally by the Friday before the week that the care is needed). We need a **minimum of 48 hours' notice** unless it is an emergency.

To book in, please email [bookings@landulphcloud.net](mailto:bookings@landulphcloud.net).

# Friday's Celebration Assembly



Class 1 - Alfie  
Class 2 - Daniel  
Class 3 - Maxwell



Class 1 - Jack  
Class 2 - Lilly  
Class 3 - Lucy



Lucie



Class 2 - Jess  
Class 3 - Oliver



Class 1 - Jack  
Class 2 - Huxley  
Class 3 - Harriet



To Pentillie House for winning the TTRS Battle of the Bands this week!

To Harriet, Ezme and Maya for being the most valuable Battle of the Band players!

To Freddie for achieving his Red award at swimming

To Asha on her Gold, Silver and Bronze medals at the karate and kubodo tournament last weekend

To Rosie on her Amber award at swimming

To Archie on being Rugby Star of the Week!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating their birthdays in November, we hope you enjoy your special day. 😊

Class 1 - Alfie, Carla  
Class 2 - Tom



## HOUSE POINTS

Term	Week	House
580	44	Brunel
756	76	Tamar
561	45	Pentillie
740	64	Cotehele

## Community & PTA News

As we head into the Christmas season, Saltash Foodbank continue to work hard to support local families. Here is their Christmas shopping list. We will be providing a drop off point in school, any donations to this great cause need to be dropped off by Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November.



**Saltash Foodbank  
Christmas Collection**

**CHRISTMAS SHOPPING LIST**

- UHT milk
- UHT fruit juice
- Squash
- Sugar
- Coffee
- Instant Custard
- Sweets
- Chocolate
- Sweet biscuits
- Jam
- Savoury Biscuits
- Gravy mix
- Tinned vegetables
- Tinned fruit
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned fish
- Tinned ham
- Chutney / pickles
- Christmas Cake
- Mince Pies (Xmas date)
- Gifts for Teens
- Gifts for Men / Boys

  
info@saltash.foodbank.org.uk

Saltash Foodbank is a registered charity in England & Wales (1157577)



**CHRISTMAS ROADSHOWS**

22 DECEMBER - 2 JANUARY | 9.30AM-3.30PM  
BOYS & GIRLS ALL ABILITIES AGED 5-15

**£15 FOR THE DAY!**

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£5 per person, child tickets include a small gift.  
Crafts and raffle also available on the day.

Book your tickets here:  
<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/out-of-woods>

