



Ardeley St Lawrence C of E Primary School

# Newsletter

12th January 2018

Dear Parents

Year 3 and 4 had their first swimming lesson on Tuesday afternoon. They all had a great time and represented the school wonderfully. They worked very hard and all the adults involved were proud of them. We look forward to a successful term of swimming.

These children have been awarded Merit Certificates this week:

RED:	Jack	KS1
ORANGE:	Taya	KS1
YELLOW:	Eve	KS1

Well done children!

We have got lots to look forward to this term - we have the Birdwatch, another visit from Fitter Futures to help the children design their own workouts, and a cake sale to raise money for Sarah - our sponsored child in Uganda. Details regarding all these events will come out nearer the time.

Today I have also sent home a separate letter regarding reading and spellings. Please read the letter and send back the acknowledgment slip. Thank you.

On the Spring Census day we are running a special lunch menu with an American theme. We hope again that as many children as possible will have a school dinner on this day. School dinners are counted on this day and form part of our funding.

Parking continues to be difficult. I would ask that parents do not park on the markings outside the school - this is against road traffic law. Please avoid parking on the verges and kerbs where it will stop the free flow of traffic around the close. Also please turn off your engines if you are parked for a while before school - we need to consider the air quality for the children walking past the cars.

Please remember applications for Reception places, for children starting school in September 2018, close on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January. Online applications as well as the supplementary information form need to be completed by this date.

With kind regards,  
Karen Connolly



### Spring Diary Dates



Wednesday 17 January

Safeguarding training for all staff after school  
\*After school club will not run this evening\*

Thursday 18 January

Census day American themed lunch

Thursday 25 January

Birdwatch KS1

Friday 26 January

Birdwatch KS2

Friday 2 February

Cake sale for Sarah

Tuesday 6 February

Fitter Futures visit (no Collective Worship)

12-16 February

Half Term