



# Locking Primary School

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## Newsletter 1

## Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Welcome back to an exciting school year at Locking Primary School. I hope that everyone had a restful summer and is ready for the many challenges ahead. The Newsletter will be sent electronically via ParentPay every other Tuesday and will also be available through the school website. New parents will receive this letter as a paper copy until online passwords for ParentPay have been allocated. Please ensure that you have logged onto ParentPay and that your contact details are up to date. Many dates have already been put up onto the website. We will of course, where possible, aim to give you all as much notice as possible for events.

### Free ChildCare Information

Free childcare for 2 year olds. To see if you are eligible visit [www.n-somersetcsd.org.uk](http://www.n-somersetcsd.org.uk) or call 01275 888300.  
30 hours funded childcare for three and four year olds. To find out more information visit the Childcare choices site [www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk) or call the Early Years helpline on 01275 888300.



### Debts

A reminder please that no school lunches should be taken unless your child's ParentPay account is in credit. If you are having trouble logging on please contact the office staff. Lunch will not be served to pupils whose accounts are not in credit.

### Bible club

Bible club, organised by Locking Church and Ray Pilgrim, will start on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September from 3:15pm to 4pm. To reserve a place please complete and return the form below.

### Dress down day

On Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September, for a small donation, pupils are invited to wear Beach themed clothing. Along with the other schools within the Academy, Locking School is looking to buy a beach hut for the year which can be used by all pupils accessing the sea front. Thank you.

If any Key Stage 2 pupils are interested in joining the Hutton Drama Group places are currently available. Please contact Mrs Nolan for further information.

### Hutton Drama

### Meet the teacher

The following dates have been arranged for parents to meet with their child's class teacher. Information will be given about the year ahead. KS2 parents will also be joined by the police who will be on hand to give further valuable information regarding online safety.  
Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2:30pm Year 2  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2:30pm Year 1  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September 5pm Key Stage 2.

### FOLs events

The first Friends of Locking School Meeting of this new academic year takes place at 7:30pm on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September in the staff room. All welcome.  
We look forward to seeing everyone at the following planned events.  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 6pm – 8pm, Free Party in the Playground. Enjoy games, food, bar and of course music.  
Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November Firework night.  
Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November – Festive Friday café.  
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Film night.

### Dates for your diary

Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 5 and Year 6 swimming starts at Sidcot School.
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 2 meet the teacher
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	Start of Bible Club – details above
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	Friends of Locking School meeting 7:30pm. All welcome.
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> September	Dress down day – Beach theme – details above.
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> September	Book Fair arrives.
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> September	End of Book fair.
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> September	Party in the Playground – details above.
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September	Sri Lankan visitors arrive.
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	School Photographs. Details to follow.
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Assembly
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	INSET – School closed.
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	End of term 1.
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Fireworks night. Details to follow.
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	Start of term 2.
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Wear Scouting Uniform for Remembrance.
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Locking Village Remembrance event.
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening – details to follow
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening – details to follow
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Photograph with Pudsey Bear
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need – details to follow.

***Christmas Plays will take place during the week beginning 10<sup>th</sup> December.***

Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas lunch
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas party.
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Christmas jumper day. End of term 2.

*Please check the school website for other dates and information.*

**Bible club – Starting Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September KS2 hall 3:15pm – 4pm.**

I wish to reserve a place at the above club for my child..... class.....

My child will be collected at 4pm by .....

Signed.....Parent / Guardian.

