



Parent / Carer Bulletin

Friday 21st September 2018

Week B	
24/9	Y8 HPV (1) Vaccinations SLSA AGM 7-9pm
25/9	
26/9	PTA Meeting 3.30-4.30pm Y6 Open Evening 5pm and 6pm
27/9	School closed to students for staff training.
28/9	


Collective Worship Theme:
Loyalty

Whither thou goest, I will go"

Book of Ruth

Lorraine Marlow - Spirituality Development Co-ordinator

Absence Line/Registration



Y7-13 01225 309501
attendance@st-laurence.com

Restaurant

Menus Filepath on website: <https://st-laurence.com/documents-and-forms>

Have you looked at the latest on- line version of Connect?

<https://st-laurence.com/newsletters>

Lost property

Items that are returned to Student Reception

If the item is named and space permits, it will go into your child's tutor tray. A message to collect larger items is put in the tutor trays letting your child know to come to Student Reception.

Unnamed items will be put in the green box at Student Reception. After a week they go to the lost property room where they are held for a month after which they are donated to the SLSA or charity. Your child can access the lost property room at the end of the school day.

How you can help?

Please label your child's items with their name, if not their full name then their surname; please do not use their initials, as we cannot identify them. Please tell them to check Student Reception every day, as sometimes things do not arrive to Student reception straight away.

The most common items that are left unnamed are; coats, sports shoes and hooded tops.

St Laurence School Association

The parents' association of the school, is holding its AGM and first meeting of the year on Monday 24th September, 7.30pm in the Aldhelm Building at the School. All parents/carers are most welcome to attend and find out about the activities of the Association and join in if they wish. The Agenda is on the school website, SLSA page.

Robert Beesley, Chair

School Show 2019

Due to staffing and curriculum pressures, the school show planned for w/b 4th February 2019 has been cancelled. We are all immensely grateful to the many colleagues, including the Performing Arts team, for the tireless work that goes into this each year, giving superb opportunities for our youngsters. We're having a break this year but will have a show in 2020 and beyond! The other Arts productions this year will go on as planned.

#21stCenturyDyslexia in Wiltshire



Please join the Specialist SEND Service and local dyslexia associations for this FREE event on the use of assistive technology in supporting literacy.

Monday 1st October 2018, 6:30pm until 8:30pm
(6:00pm for 6:30pm start)

County Hall, Council Chambers, Bythesea Road, Trowbridge. BA14 8JN

Speakers:

Myles Pilling - Council Member at BATA, Specialist ICT SEND Consultant for AccessAbility Solutions, AbilityNet County Co-ordinator, External Lecturer for Bath Spa University.

- Alternatives to writing using apps which help with reading, writing and studying.
- What is currently available that is free as well as at a cost - mostly low cost!
- Strategies for using ICT.

Arran Smith - Microsoft UK Dyslexia and SEND Consultant.

- Supporting students, teachers, and dyslexic people of all ages to access typical inbuilt assistive technology; anytime, anywhere.
- The functionality that has been added into Office 365 and Windows 10 that can help to support dyslexic users.

Jack Churchill - Co-Founder & CEO – Scanning Pens Ltd.

- Reading pens for everyday use and exams!
- Hands on workshop

To book a place, please contact Pamela Thomson on
01225 757953 or pamela.thomson@wiltshire.gov.uk



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BOA GLOW RUN

**Saturday Oct 13TH
@ 6:30pm**

Barton Farm

Entry **£6.00**
Family Entry **£15.00**
(upto 4 people)

Hop, skip, jump, run or walk along the glow run trail! Why not blast your buddies with Silly String and bubbles in the special foam Zone, then join us for a BBQ at the finish line.

Join us for the Family Glow Run. A wild and crazy glowing "fun" run (or walk)!

Tickets Available

Sign up at Westview Day Nursery, Strawberry Blue or buy your tickets for the BOA Glow Run via Eventbrite. In aid of Forever Friends, the NICU unit at RUH

AC Anaphylaxis Campaign
Supporting people at risk of severe allergies

CONCERNED ABOUT ALLERGIES?

JOIN YOUR SUPPORT GROUP IN **BRADFORD UPON AVON**

DATE	Saturday 6th October 2018
TIME	3 - 4.30pm
VENUE	Holt Village Hall (upstairs room), The Street, Holt, Trowbridge, BA14 6QH

We are the only UK wide charity solely focused on supporting people at risk of severe allergic reactions.

Support groups are a chance to meet others in your area who are living with the day to day challenges of allergies.

Spaces are free however booking is essential.

Email: supportgroup@anaphylaxis.org.uk
Phone: 01252 546100
Website: <https://www.anaphylaxis.org.uk>

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