

# St Luke's CE Primary, ENDON

'Together, in faith, we will succeed'



24<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

We are looking forward to the brighter mornings and evenings as the clocks 'spring forward' this weekend. Hopefully we will all be bright and breezy for the Open Morning.

## Open Morning – 27<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Our Open Day is getting closer. We are proposing to open up the school to parents to come and find out about the following:

- How we develop fluency, reasoning and using and applying elements of the maths curriculum
- How we develop opportunities for writing, improve spelling, punctuation and grammar (SPAG)
- How we address the individual needs of learners without fixed ability grouping
- How children are empowered with their own learning

There will also be a chance to give your input into the Values and Vision of our school which are regularly reviewed.

Timetable:

9:00	Brief introduction (Mr Wright)
9:15	Opportunity to join lessons (Maths)
10:00	Join SPAG/Phonics session OR Meet with some children to share their thoughts about learning
10:20	Tea & Biscuits while considering 'what we want a St Luke's child to be like'
10:50	'Join a Maths Fluency session' OR Meet with some children to share their thoughts about learning
11:15	Join a Literacy session
11:45	End and Evaluation

Please email [office1@st-lukes-endon.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:office1@st-lukes-endon.staffs.sch.uk) to confirm your attendance.

## Crazy Hat/Hair Day – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March

We have had one or two queries about Red Nose Day tomorrow. As you will recall from earlier in the year, the children voted for three charities we would support as a school over this academic year: Children in Need, Children's Cancer Ward at Staffs Hospital and Water Aid. Next year the children will choose again which three charities we support. However, this year we will not be supporting Red Nose Day.

On Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March through our Charity Committee will be running a fundraising day for the Children's Cancer Ward. They have shared the plans with the rest of the school during Learning Forum today and will send a letter home tomorrow with the details.

## Sing-Up@ EHS

On Wednesday our children from Year 3 & 4 enjoyed a fantastic singing session with the team at Endon High School. WE are keen to maintain strong links with the High School, to support the transition process, and to encourage all children to polish their talents or take up new interests.

**Well-dressing Assembly**

Sylvia Jones kindly delivered an assembly for the whole school on Monday, explaining why and how the Endon Well-dressing works. The children were incredibly attentive and hopefully inspired to support this long held tradition.

**Clubs**

Just a polite reminder to ask that if your child cannot attend a club for any reason that the teacher/adults responsible are informed. When children don't turn up there is a safeguarding concern as to where they are and then time taken to chase their whereabouts. Thank you for your co-operation.

**Easter Celebration – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April**

You are warmly invited to our low-key Easter Celebration, led by Y4, on the last day of term. We aim to start at 9:15am and be finished by 9:45am. There will be a chance afterwards for a cup of tea whilst you think about our school values and vision as we move forward.