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"Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their life." Proverbs 22:6

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Friday 26th September 2025

Boccia

On Thursday 25th September, a team of UKS2 children took part in a Boccia tournament at Thurstable School. The children were a credit to the school, and they demonstrated superb strategic skills to try and win as many games as possible. Well done to Amelie, Asa, Ben M and Ellie- we are very proud of you!



EYFS WOW Moments

Conker Class have been learning about people who help us. They have had a visit from an optician and a midwife this week to learn about what their jobs involve.



INVESTORS
IN PEOPLE



Library Books

We are thrilled to have received many new books in the library as a result of the 100,000 minute PTFA reading sponsored event. The children have excitedly looked through these, and hopefully you will see some being brought home in their book bags.



PTFA Autumn School Disco- Friday 10th October 2025

The first school disco of the school year is all organised! Booking for tickets is open on the PTFA website/QR code (see poster below). The last date for purchasing tickets is Tuesday 7th October; no late purchases will be accepted. We look forward to seeing you there!



WOW Moment

Molly W in year 5, had a fantastic weekend of competitions! She took part in the County Grading at gymnastics and received two first places and one second place, meaning that she placed second overall! She also entered a dance competition and won a photoshoot and associates prize. We are very proud of you!



School Council

The School Council met this week and rehearsed their greetings when we have visitors in school- they will be very busy as we have over 50 families booked in for tours over the coming weeks! We also talked about the charity bake sale we have organised on the 3rd October.



Special Achievement Award

Congratulations to the following children who have received a Special Achievement Award in this week's celebration worship: Grace T, Jasmine, Ronnie H, Luna, Emilie, Ava C, Olivia G, Keigan, Calli, Jacob R, Mason, Bo, Maisie, Frankie, Jessica K and Michelle.

Reminders & Dates for the Diary

Staff will aim to deal with any **emailed queries** in three working days however if you haven't received a response, please contact admin@stlukesschool.co.uk who will investigate the matter for you.

When reporting your child's absence, you must leave a message on the **absence phone line** (01621 815456 option 2). This is the first line of communication that is checked in the morning and if you email the office, staff will not see this until registers have been processed.

Second-hand uniform is available every Tuesday opposite the main reception area between 3pm-3.30pm

If your child is missing any items of clothing, parents are able to check the **lost property box** at the end of the school day via the main office.

School Dates:

The new academic year dates and INSET days for 2025/2026 are published on our website.

EYFS – Reception Conker		KS1 – Years 1 & 2 Oak, Sycamore and Silver Birch	LKS2 – Year 3 & 4 Apple, Plum and Elder	UKS2 – Years 5 & 6 Marula, Baobab and Acacia
		Event		Parents Invited / Additional
Oct/Nov	3 rd October	School Council McMillan Bake Sale		All welcome
	8 th Oct	Year 5 Harvest Festival to parents/carers- 2.15pm in St. Luke’s Church		Year 5 parent/carers
	10 th Oct	PTFA Autumn disco		All children welcome
	24 th Oct	INSET DAY		
	3 rd Nov	INSET Day		
	4 th Nov	Plum and Apple Class trip to Chelmsford Museum (more information to follow)		
	5 th Nov	Elder Class trip to Chelmsford Museum (more information to follow)		
	14 th Nov	Children In Need (more information to follow)		
	24 th Nov	Plum Class Assembly- 2.40pm in the hall		Plum Parents/carers
	24 th -28 th Nov	Year 6 Residential		
Dec	3 rd Dec	Apple Class Assembly- 2.40pm in the hall		Apple Parents/carers
	5 th Dec	PTFA Christmas Fair 5-7pm (more information to follow)		All welcome
	10 th Dec	School Christmas Dinner		
	11 th Dec	Year 1-6 trip to the pantomime (more information to follow) £22.10 per child		
	16 th Dec	EYFS and KS1 Nativity Play- 9.30am (more information to follow)		Parent/Carers welcome
	16 th Dec	Christingle Service		
	17 th Dec	EYFS and KS1 Nativity Play- 9.30am (more information to follow)		Parent/Carers welcome
	18 th Dec	EYFS and KS1 Nativity Play- 9.30am (more information to follow)		Parent/Carers welcome
	19 th Dec	Christmas Bell Ringing Assembly 9.30am		
Jan	5 th Jan	Conker Class Reptile Visit (more information to follow)		
	22 nd Jan	KS2 WOW Day- VR Head Set (letter to follow)		

Feb	12 th Feb	Wear it Red for Fred (more information to follow)	
	13 th Feb	INSET DAY	
	25 th Feb	Year 1 and 2 Trip to Mersea Outdoor	
May	13 th May	KS1 Tudor trip to Layer Marney Tower	
July	10 th July	Year 6 Production at the Headgate Theatre (more information to follow)	Year 6 parents/carers



Marvellous Me is an opportunity for us to share the great work and amazing attitude that the children show daily in school. Access codes can be collected at the school office. Links to download the app on iOS or Android can be found here: <https://marvellousme.com/parents/>

Learning Characteristics

Taking Risk	Being Inquisitive	Making Links	Co-operation	Resilience	Reflecting
Christian Values					
Thankfulness	Responsibility	Compassion	Faith	Forgiveness	Hope

