

# St Laurence Church Infant School

# Newsletter



Issue 3  
New Year 2012

## Creative Arts Week

Monday 6 to

Friday 10 February 2012

We have organised a whole week of fantastic arts activities including Art, Drumming and Bhangra Dance Workshops for all children.

The parents/carers of Year 2 children have been invited to join us for Creative Arts Workshops on a Chinese New Year theme. The curriculum throughout the week will focus on the creative arts in all year groups.

## Visiting Author and Book Fair

The published author and illustrator **Steve Smallman** will be resident in our school on Tuesday 28 and Wednesday 29 February 2012. He will be holding writing and illustration workshops for all of the children over the two days. In addition, a **Book Fair** will be held during this week and copies of Steve Smallman's books will be available to purchase. A book signing session will be held after school on Wednesday 29 February 2012.



## Dates

NB Dates for individual Year Group events will be notified separately.

**Monday 6 to Friday 10 February**

Creative Arts Week

**Monday 13 to Friday 17 February**

Half term holiday

**Monday 20 February**

Teacher Day - school closed to children

**Tuesday 28 February**

Parents' Evening 5.00 pm - 7.30 pm

**Thursday 1 March**

Parents' Evening 3.30 pm - 6.00 pm

**Thursday 29 March**

Easter Service at St Laurence Church 9.15 am

1Y will be leading our worship at Church.

Parents/carers are most welcome to walk with us to the Church and join us for the Service.

**Monday 2 April to Friday 13 April**

Easter holiday

**Thursday 3 May**

Local Elections - school closed

**Monday 7 May**

May Day - school closed

**Monday 4 June to Friday 8 June**

Half term holiday

**Monday 9 to Friday 13 July**

Physical Activity Week

Wednesday 11 July YR Sports Day 9 am

Thursday 12 July Y1 Sports Day 9 am

Friday 13 July Y2 Sports Day 9 am

**Tuesday 17 July**

Parents' Evening 3.30 pm - 6.00 pm

**Friday 20 July**

Last day of Summer Term for children.



## Parents' Evenings

**Tuesday 28 February 2012 5.00 pm - 7.30 pm and**

**Thursday 1 March 2012 3.30 pm - 6.00 pm**

**Parents' Evenings** this term are to discuss progress and to support your child's learning for the second half of the school year. Teachers will be seeing parents/carers in the hall for appointments of 10 minutes. Please note, teachers will wish to adhere to the timings of each appointment so that you can be seen promptly at the time you have requested. Your children's folders and books will be available for you to look at in their classrooms. **As these evenings are for parents/carers only, we request that children do not attend.** Please make an appointment by signing the sheets, which will be on classroom doors from 8.50 am on Tuesday 21 February 2012 or by sending a message to the class teacher.

## School Term Dates 2012 - 2013

Children should attend on the following days:

### Autumn Term 2012

Wednesday 5 September 2012 to Friday 19 October 2012

Monday 29 October 2012 to Friday 21 December 2012

### Spring Term 2013

Tuesday 8 January 2013 to Friday 15 February 2013

Monday 25 February 2013 to Thursday 28 March 2013

### Summer Term 2013

Monday 15 April 2013 to Friday 24 May 2013

Monday 3 June 2013 to Friday 19 July 2013

There are **5 Teacher Days** for the academic year when **children do not attend**:

Monday 3 September 2012

Tuesday 4 September 2012

Monday 7 January 2013

Monday 22 July 2013

Tuesday 23 July 2013

Monday 6 May 2013 [May Day] is a Public Holiday - **school will be closed.**