

ST LOUIS NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th September 2019 — Issue 21

This week's attendance: 98.2% - a great start !!

A very warm welcome back to school after the summer. I hope you all had an enjoyable break from school, with fun and interesting family activities.

St Louis staff have all returned refreshed and raring to go, and have already commented how the children are settling back in very quickly and very well. It is always a joy to see them after six weeks—a school is not a school without the children!

We started our year and autumn term off as we always do with a superb Commissioning Mass in church with Father Christopher, with our Mini Vinnies leading parts of the mass. It is a very special way in which to come together at the very start of the year and celebrate not just a new year but also our shared faith.

I am looking forward to another busy, exciting and successful year leading St Louis and looking after the children on a daily basis with our staff. If we haven't met yet, please do introduce yourself when you spot me on the playground and say hello.

The Yearly Schedule of Events will be sent out to you as soon as it is finalised—in the meantime, this newsletter includes some early key dates in the school year, as well as term dates.

With best wishes
Mr Nick Kerin
Head of School



*Celebrating our
Commissioning
Mass in church
on Friday*

Upcoming dates:

Friday 13th September—LKS2 swimming starts
(children need a swimming costume, towel and hat)

Friday 20th September—Diocesan Schools' Mass at [The Cathedral of St John the Baptist](#), Norwich, 11.45am
(Year 6 only)

I Can Do All Things Through Christ Who Strengthens Me (Philippians 4:13)

Schools Childhood Flu Immunisation Programme

Nasal Flu Vaccine

Reception to Year 6



Sept
2019



Please look out for an email from your school inviting you to submit consent / non-consent for your child's nasal flu vaccine this year!



Parents will consent or decline the nasal flu vaccination through our online portal.



The email from your school will contain all the information you need.

To find out more watch our short video
here: <https://vimeo.com/341806601>

If you have any problems with access please contact:
the School Imms Team on 0300 555 5055

Scan
me:



WANTED!! Parent Governor at St Louis

We are looking to recruit a Parent Governor at St Louis to work with the Head of School, the Governing Body and the Trust to help St Louis continue to flourish and give our children the best start to their education.

We are particularly looking for a parent who may have professional experience in site/premises management and/or Health & Safety, but all interested parents will be considered.

The commitment is approximately six meetings per year (notified in advance) from 4pm to 6pm. Most employers will give you time off for being a School Governor.

If you think this might be something which would interest you and you have skills which would support the school, please contact Mr Kerin via email at headofschool@stlouisacademy.co.uk or ask the School Office to make you an appointment.

St Louis Term Dates 2019—20

Autumn Term 2019

*Staff Professional Days –
Monday 2nd and Tuesday
3rd September*

Wednesday 4th September –
Autumn Term begins

Monday 21st to Friday 25th
October – Autumn Half-Term

Wednesday 18th December –
Autumn Term ends, 2.30pm,
collect from church

Spring Term 2020

Monday 6th January – Spring
Term begins

Monday 17th to Friday 21st
February – Spring Half-Term

Friday 3rd April – Spring term
ends, 2.30pm, collect from
school

Summer Term 2020

Monday 20th April – Summer
term begins

**Friday 8th May – Bank Holi
day – School closed**

Monday 25th to Friday 29th
May – Summer Half-Term
Friday 17th July – Summer
term ends, 2.30pm, collect
from school

*Staff Professional Days –
Monday 20th, Tuesday 21st
and Wednesday 22nd July*



NEWMARKET INDOOR* TENNIS COACHING AUTUMN JUNIOR GROUPS

All ages welcome from 4 to 16. All standards from Beginner to Performance

*** FROM OCTOBER SESSIONS MOVE INDOORS TO "THE BUBBLE"**

Newmarket Tennis Club Hamilton Rd CB8 0NQ

NEWMARKET AUTUMN 2019

PHONE 07958494182 TARRANTENNIS@BTINTERNET.COM

BOOK <https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/BruceTarranCoaching/Coaching/Junior>

DAY	TIME	TYPE	APROX AGE	COST PER TERM
MONDAY 9 Sept to 16 Dec excluding 21 Oct	4pm - 4.45pm	RED MINI	4-7	MEMBERS: £84 for 14 sessions (@ £6 per session) NON-MEMBER: £95 for 14 sessions Or £9 if "pay on the day"
	4.45pm- 5.45pm	ORANGE	6-10	
	5.45- 6.45pm	GREEN/YELLOW	9-12	
WEDNESDAY 4 Sep to 11 Dec excluding 23 Oct	4pm – 4.45pm	RED MINI	4-8	
FRIDAY 6 Sept to 13 Dec excluding 25 Oct	5 – 6pm	GREEN/YELLOW	8-13	
	6 – 7pm	YELLOW ADVANCED	11-16	
SATURDAY 7 Sept to 14 Dec excluding 26 Oct	9 – 10am	RED MINI	4-7	
	10 – 11am	RED/ORANGE	7-11	
	11 - 12	GREEN/YELLOW	10 - 14	
	12 to 1pm	YELLOW ADVANCED	11 -16	

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La Jolie Ronde Fun French for Children

AUTUMN TERM CLASSES AT ST LOUIS CATHOLIC ACADEMY

I am delighted to confirm that *La Jolie Ronde* after-school French classes will resume week commencing 23 September. Lessons for Years 4-6 will now take place on Tuesdays whilst lessons for Years 1-3 will remain on Wednesdays as before and both sessions are open to new joiners as well as existing pupils.

Classes are 30 minutes in duration at a cost of £6.00 per class (+ £18 for accompanying interactive book & CD that will last for at least one year) payable termly in advance. We have plenty of fun with games, rhymes, role plays and stories and each child receives lots of individual attention in a friendly and supportive environment.

Children at this age have the ability to quickly pick up a foreign language - which is excellent preparation for secondary school. The programme is designed to enhance the children's learning skills and to challenge them so that they can excel at French and develop their language skills to the highest level possible.

If you think your child might be interested, I will be delighted to welcome them for a FREE taster session so that they can experience a class for themselves.

Please do not hesitate to contact me on 07721-633808 or at kristine.bantick@lajolierondeclasses.co.uk if you would like further information.

Kristine Bantick
La Jolie Ronde Languages for Children

For further information and to book a place at the **FREE taster session**, please call or email me or return the slip below to the school office.

I am interested in my child(ren) learning French with La Jolie Ronde.



Name of child(ren).....

Date of birth:..... School year:.....

Name of parent/carer Mr/Mrs/Ms:.....

Address:.....

Tel. No:.....

E-mail:.....

Family Transitions Triple P

Family Transitions Triple P is a programme aimed at parents who have been or are going through separation and divorce OR where there are unresolved conflicts causing difficulties communicating effectively with former partners. Parents may be concerned that the separation or divorce is upsetting their children, or they may want to learn ways to talk to their children about it and teach them ways to cope. Parents who do this course may have ongoing concerns about their child's behaviour. Parents learn to recognise the parent traps during separation and divorce, to how talk to their children about separation and divorce and to help children manage their emotions.

****In a new briefing on parental conflict from the Early Intervention Foundation; Triple P Family Transitions is one of the 7 evidence-based programmes it cites as effective (also includes Enhanced Triple P and 2 of the Incredible Years programmes).****

5 session group programme for parents experiencing personal distress from separation or divorce, which is impacting on their parenting.

TAKING BOOKINGS NOW – COURSE STARTS IN BURY ST

EDMUNDS ON TUESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 2019

**TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE GO
TO www.suffolk.gov.uk/theparenthub AND COMPLETE
THE ONLINE BOOKING FORM**

Maddie McHenry
AREA PARENTING COORDINATOR - WEST
(Please note working days are; Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday[am])

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