

Lady Lane Park School & Nursery

The Bulletin: Friday 4th September 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

As we begin another academic year, it has been lovely to welcome everyone, there is always something special about the start of a new term, and this week has been full of excitement, smiles and lots of happy faces as we settle back into school life.

A particularly warm welcome to all of our new families who have joined the Lady Lane family this September. We are so pleased to have you with us and hope that you and your children already feel part of our wonderful school community.

Our youngest learners have had an especially exciting start, with the opening of our brand-new Sunflower Room. It is such a bright, beautiful space and, although there are a few final tweaks still to be made, the children have absolutely loved exploring their new room! Our Sweet Peas and Buttercups have also been enjoying the extra space at the Lodge, which has been a real bonus for our growing Nursery family. Speaking of growing, our Sweet Peas class is now full until September 2028 and Buttercups is full until September 2027! We do still have a limited number of spaces available in our Kindergarten and Sunflower Rooms, so please do spread the word! If you already have a child at Lady Lane and would like a sibling to join us in the future, please make sure they are registered with us. Registering early means we can help to secure your place when the time comes.

This morning we celebrated our very first merits of the year in assembly, and we could not be prouder of all our children. The general theme from staff this week has been just how beautifully everyone has settled back into school and returned with such focus and enthusiasm. A special well done to those children who have impressed staff around school and earned themselves a merit – what a fantastic way to start the year! Our UVI children have also been brilliant role models around school this week. They have shown kindness, responsibility and leadership, setting a wonderful example to our younger children. And, finally, it is their turn to sit on the benches!

Next Tuesday, we are delighted to invite our Early Years and Infants parents to our Reading Evening for children from KG to F3. The Reading Evening will take place in the classrooms from 6pm and is a really important opportunity to find out more about how we teach reading at Lady Lane, how children's reading develops as they move through the school and, most importantly, how you can support and become involved in your child's reading journey at home. We really hope as many of you as possible will be able to join us.

Next week also sees the beginning of our School Council elections. Our children will have the exciting opportunity to put themselves forward and share their ideas with their classmates. They will present their speeches to their class, Mrs Hayton, Kent and Autumn-Rose, our Heads of School Council, before voting takes place.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Arnold & The Lady Lane Team



First Day Fun - Back to School!



Extra-Curricular Clubs - Autumn 1 2026

Day	Forms	Time	Activity	Location	Staff	Cost
Monday	F1/F2/F3	3.30-4.30pm	Story Club	Form 1 Classroom	Miss Burraway	Free
	F1/F2/F3	3.30-4.30pm	Craft Club	Form 3 Classroom	Mrs Painter	Free
	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	3.30-5.00pm	Dance Club	School Hall	Mrs Hudson	Chargeable
	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	3.30-4.30pm	Sewing Club	Form 4 Classroom	Mrs Walpole	Free
Tuesday	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	7:45-8.30am	Running/Sports Performance/Fitness	Sports Field	Mr Jarman	Free
	KG/F1/F2/F3	3.30-4.30pm	Board Games Club	KG Classroom	Miss Nicholson & Miss Hussain	Free
	F4/F5/LVI & UVI	3:30-4:30pm	Makaton	LVI Classroom	Mrs Wilson	Free
Wednesday	KG/F1/F2/F3	3.30-4.30pm	Lego Club	KG Classroom	Miss Ripley & Mrs Henson	Free
	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	3.30-4.30pm	STEM Club	UVI Classroom	Mrs Heathcote	Free
	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	3.30-4.30pm	Table Tennis	School Hall	Miss Raw & Mrs Bleakley	Free
Thursday	F5/LVI/UVI	8.00 – 8:45am	11+ Prep	UVI Classroom	Mrs Heathcote	Free
	F1/F2/F3	3.30-4.30pm	Movement & Music	Form 1 Classroom	Mrs Mcdonald	Free
	F1/F2/F3	3.30-4.30pm	Seasonal Sports	Sports Field	Mrs Hayton	Free
	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	3.30-4.30pm	Drama	Music Room	Mr Hansen	Free
	F4/F5/LVI/UVI	3.30-4.30pm	Seasonal Sports	Sports Field	Mr Jarman	Free
Friday	Ballet 1 & Ballet 2	3.30-4.20pm	Ballet	School Hall	Mrs Eckersley-Fielding	Chargeable
	Ballet 3	4.30-5.20pm	Ballet	School Hall	Mrs Eckersley-Fielding	Chargeable

STAY AND PLAY 2026-2027

9:00AM - 10:30AM



**TUESDAY 22ND
SEPTEMBER**

BLASTING OFF INTO SPACE

**THURSDAY 15TH
OCTOBER**

TERRIFIC TRANSPORT

**TUESDAY 18TH
NOVEMBER**

WOODLAND WANDERS

**MONDAY 7TH
DECEMBER**

TOY WORKSHOP

**TUESDAY 26TH
JANUARY**

FUN AT THE FARM

**THURSDAY 25TH
FEBRUARY**

VALENTINES MAGIC

**TUESDAY 23RD
MARCH**

ONCE UPON A STORY

**THURSDAY 29TH
APRIL**

SPRING FUN

TUESDAY 18TH MAY

UNDER THE SEA

THURSDAY 24TH JUNE LETS GO TO THE BEACH

**TO BOOK YOUR PLACE EMAIL
SECRETARY@LADYLANEPARK.CO.UK**

Term Dates 2026-2027

Staff training	-	Tuesday 1 st September 2026
School Re-opens	-	Wednesday 2 nd September 2026

Half Term

School Closes	-	Friday 16 th October, 2026
School Re-opens	-	Monday 2 nd November 2026
School closes for Christmas	-	Wednesday 16 th December, 2026

Spring Term 2027

School Re-opens	-	Monday 4 th January, 2027
Half Term		
School Closes	-	Friday 12 th February, 2027
School Re-opens	-	Monday 22 nd February, 2027
School closes for Easter	-	Thursday 25 th March, 2027

Summer Term 2027

School Re-opens	-	Monday 12 th April, 2027
May Day Bank Holiday	-	Monday 3 rd May, 2027

Half Term

School closes	-	Friday 21 st May, 2027
School Re-opens	-	Monday 7 th June, 2027
School Closes	-	Friday 9 th July, 2027
Staff training	-	Wednesday 1 st September 2027
School Re-opens	-	Thursday 2 nd September 2027