

LIONEL WALDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents

School Crossing Patrol

I am writing to advise you that Mrs Long, the School Crossing Patrol Officer, is undergoing a medical procedure, so there will be no School Crossing Patrol outside Lionel Walden Primary School for approximately three months as from 4^{th} July. Unfortunately, Andy Swallowe, the Road Safety Manager at Cambridgeshire County Council has informed us that he is <u>unable to provide cover</u> during this time and has asked me to inform you of the following:-

"While the School Crossing Patrol is off work, no relief cover is available and the Police will only consider assisting to cover emergencies. Therefore it remains the responsibility of parents to ensure your child/ren are taken to and collected from school safely. This will be in place until the return of the School Crossing Patrol around the end of September 2018".

Staff are not permitted to act as School Crossing Patrol Officers. However, they will endeavour to be on the pavement outside the school gate when possible. We ask that you escort your children to school safely, making sure they do not run ahead during this period.

If anyone has any queries, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Clarke in the School Office.

Yours sincerely

<u>S. A. Barnard-Taylor</u> (Mrs) Headteacher















