

Safer Routes to School Group

Road safety improvement

October 2015



Dear Parents and Carers,

(please ensure this message also reaches any driver that may bring your child to and from school)

We recently told you that we are working on ways to improve the road safety in the area in and around the school and we are delighted to update you on our plans.

You may see us out and about filming at drop off and pick up times. This is so we can understand the challenges we need to address and then share our concerns with you.

October is International Walk to School Month and we will be starting a campaign to improve the road safety in and around school in several ways, but the main message to Parents / Carers drivers will be to show consideration for the safety of our children by

- × **NOT ENTERING FAULKNER WAY**
- × **NOT DRIVING OR PARKING IN OR AROUND SCHOOL**

So far we have been working with the children, parents, staff, governors, neighbours, PCSOs, and the Parish Council

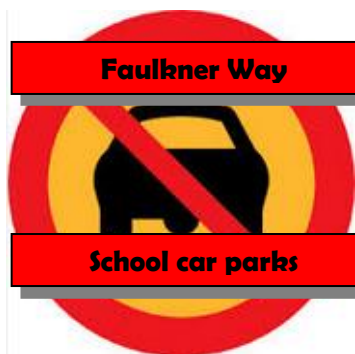
Starting on 1st Oct 15:

- ☆ new banners and signs and CCTV will be positioned at the school entrances
- ☆ PCSOs will be present at drop off and pick up times to advise drivers of potentially dangerous situations
- ☆ JRSOs, parent helpers, school staff and PCSOs will assist in advising drivers of alternatives to driving and parking in the area around school

In the future we hope to work with the Parish Council and Local Authorities on bigger projects such as:

- 👉 Can any improvements be made to the road markings and signage?
- 👉 Can any improvements be made to the road layout?

Faulkner Way



School car parks

Alternatives:

- ✓ Walk, cycle, scooter!
- ✓ Make arrangements with other parents to share walking to school – Parent pool!
- ✓ Park at the car park in Plomer Green Avenue
- ✓ Park at the car park in Morrisons
- ✓ Talk to the school office if you need authorisation to drive onto the school site