



# ST LAURENCE CHURCH JUNIOR SCHOOL

## July 2025 Issue 11



### Summer Term 1

our School Value is

### Friendship

'Good friends are like stars. You don't always see them, but you know they are always there.'

and our Worship is all about the

### Miracles of Jesus

### Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents/Carers,

I cannot believe this is the last newsletter and we are nearly at the end of another academic year.

We have had a fantastic start to the second half of this Summer Term with three amazing events back to back in the third week (see above). I was blown away by the science projects your children created and the curiosity and oracy they showed in presenting them. The Yr 4/5 OPAL afternoon was a huge success and the Summer Fair once again raised huge amounts of money for the school and everyone had a great time! Thank you so much for all your support before and during these events, they would not be possible without you. A special thank you to those from the Friends PTA involved in the Summer Fair and all other events, the stunning outdoor classroom is a permanent reminder of all your hard work!

We have also had Y4 and Y5 trips to Aztec and Y6 travel to Birmingham Cathedral as well as prayer week, in a very busy term! We now come towards the end of the term and look forward to celebrating our successes through assemblies and events (including sports day today), but also start to look forward to next year with transition day tomorrow. There are lots of events at the end of term and I hope to see many of you in school over the final few weeks of term.

Mr. Murphy, Headteacher

St Laurence is a home,  
 Together we learn,  
 Listening to each other,  
 Answering questions,  
 Uniqueness is valued,  
 Reading is important,  
 Endurance is key,  
 Never ending smiles,  
 Coming together,  
 Every child matters.

ST Laurence School

Justness and fairness is right,  
 Understanding each other,  
 Never stop believing,  
 Imagining forever,  
 Often playing,  
 Ready, Respectful and safe.

St Laurence is strong,  
 Can do anything,  
 Having fun,  
 Offering help to others,  
 Opening lifes newchapt,  
 Learning new things



School Poem by Imogen, Head Girl

# Attendance

<b>Attendance</b>	Whole School June:	<b>95.9%</b>
	Class with Best Attendance:	<b>3W—98.4%</b>
<b>Punctuality</b>	Whole School June:	<b>98.78%</b>
	Year with Best Punctuality:	<b>Year 6—99.1%</b>



## Friends of St. Laurence

Welcome to our final newsletter of this academic year! It has been a proud moment to end the year with our outdoor classroom in place. This has been funded entirely by all your support and donations, what a fantastic community you are!



We hope you enjoyed the Summer Fair as much as we did! To everyone who volunteered their time, baked cakes, donated bric-a-brac and of course purchased tokens and had fun on our stalls, THANK YOU!

Tickets for our Summer Raffle remain on sale until 5pm on Thursday 3rd July and can be purchased using this link

### [Sum Up Link](#)

Our first joint Colour Run will take place this Friday 4th! Please ensure you have completed your child's consent form and sponsored your child via this [Colour Run Link](#)



Please do share with these links with family and friends!

Summer Disco tickets are now on sale and can be purchased online via this [Disco Link](#)

### Diary Dates

Frozen Friday – every Friday!

Colour run – Friday 4th July

Summer Raffle draw – Friday 4th July

Year 6 swim party – Saturday 5th July

Summer Disco – Tuesday 15th July



THANK YOU for an amazing year of fundraising! We look forward to sharing our grand total raised in the last week of term.



# Important Summer Term Diary Dates

Date	Event
1st July	Whole school Sports Day
1st July	Woodwind Concert - 2:30
2nd July	Citywide Transition Day - including Yr 6 to secondary schools and internal year group transition
3rd July	Guitar Concert - 2:30
4th July	Rock Steady Concert - 9:30
4th July	Colour Run
wc 7th July	SEND Review Meetings begin <i>(message has been sent out separately)</i>
7th July	Production Dress Rehearsal 9:30am <i>Performance for rest of school and Yr 2</i>
8th / 10th July	Y6 Performance Evenings - Tuesday 5pm and Thursday 7pm
9th July	Keyboard Concert - 2:30
9th July	Annual Reports Sent Out
10th July	Growing Gains Feast (Year 5)
11th July	Drayton Manor - Year 6
11th July	Year 4 Fabulous Finish
14th July	Youth Proms
15th July	End of year disco
17th July	Whole School Awards Assembly on field (Weather Permitting) 9:15am Y6 Leavers assembly in church pm 1:45pm
18th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly in school am Last Day of Term

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