

St Lawrence CE Primary

NEWSLETTER

Friday 1st July 2022



'Being the best we can be, because with God all things are possible'

Dear Parents.

Thank you to all that came along to the Summer Fayre last Friday evening to support school. We were so very lucky that the weather held and despite the looming black clouds we were fortunate not to see a single drop of rain. Thank you for your feedback, it is always lovely to hear the positive comments but also take forward the constructive comments so we can improve year on year. I would like to place on record my thanks to the PTFA who work incredibly hard to organise these events alongside their own working commitments. I know that the children all had a wonderful time and that is why these events are so important to our school community.



Chetwynd Photography Competition

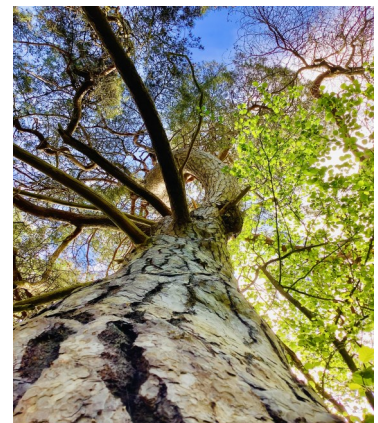
Our Year 5 pupils participated in a photography workshop at Chetwynd Deer Park a few weeks ago where they had the opportunity to photograph nature at its best. Once they were back in school they were able to edit and refine their photographs before they were sent off to be judged. We are pleased to announce our winners were Olly, Izzy and Abi. Well done to all of them and showing such talent. We may have some photographers of the future amongst us!



1st Place - Olly



2nd Place - Izzy



3rd Place—Abi

Potato Growing Competition

Today, our potatoes were collected in preparation for the Newport Show next Saturday. It is a potato growing competition and the winning school will be the one where the potato crop weighs the most. The children were very helpful digging out the potatoes today and we have everything crossed that we make it to the coveted top spot!



Newport Show



Work from the children will be displayed at the Newport Show next week on Saturday 9th July. It promises to be a fun day out for all the family so head on over if you are free.

The show is a one-day event held at Chetwynd Deer Park, Edgmond, with a variety of attractions, bringing together the best of the region's food, entertainment and agricultural excellence.

To purchase your tickets please go to :
<https://newportshow.ticketsrv.co.uk/tickets/>

Transition Day

Just a reminder that next Wednesday (6th) morning and Thursday (7th) afternoon, we welcome our new Reception starters in to school and all children will spend time in their new classes meeting teachers and support staff. We call this arrangement our transition sessions and I am sure children will come home and tell you all about it. As our year 6 cohort go to many different schools it is difficult to co ordinate it on a day when they are visiting their new secondary school. Please be rest assured that our Year 6 cohort will be kept busy practising their Leavers' Assembly during these sessions.

Please see below the organisation for classes for September.

- Class 1 - (Reception) – Miss Fisher and Mrs Mouncastle**
- Class 2 - (Years 1 and 2) - Mr AL-Asmar and Mrs Moore**
- Class 3 - (Years 3 and 4) - Mrs Barker**
- Class 4 - (Years 5 and 6) - Mrs Standish**

This arrangement is based on our current staffing profile with the absence of Mrs Nash. Mrs Moore as Acting Head of a small school will have a teaching commitment of 0.3 fte and teach in Class 2 on a job share arrangement with Mr Al-Asmar. This additional time out of class for Mr Al-Asmar will allow him to become the SENDCO for the Tibberton and St. Lawrence CE Federation.

Celebrating Success this week!

AWARDS THIS WEEK GO TO....

St. Lawrence Values Award

Our St. Lawrence Values Award is an award nominated by the pupils and teachers to reflect the school's values represented in the 'St. Lawrence Way'.

This week Mrs Barker has nominated **Reuben W** for listening well in class all week.

HEAD TEACHER AWARD

Olly M - for always being the best he can be in every aspect of school life.

Class One

Ewuradwoa - always being ready to learn.

Class Two

Ethan - for great contributions to class discussions.

Harlow - for showing excellent learning behaviour.

Class Three

Harry P (Yr 3) - for his fantastic learning behaviour and working so hard in English.

Eliza - for contributing well to our English lessons this week.

Class Four

Daisy - for good understanding of the poem "The Highwayman".

Graciella - for good understanding of the poem "The Highwayman".

House point winners

This week the winning house is **St Patrick** with a staggering **113** points.

Well done to **Austin** the House Captain and everyone who is a member of this house.

HOUSE NAME	POINTS THIS WEEK	POINTS IN TOTAL
St David	92	2275
St Patrick	113	2784
St Andrew	97	3611
St George	105	2262



Dates for your diary

JULY

- Monday 4th - Year 6 Transition day.
Tuesday 5th - Year 6 Transition day.
Wednesday 6th - Transition day in school for classes. New starters in school.
Thursday 7th - Transition day in school for classes. New starters in school.
Friday 8th - Class 2 trip to The Shropshire Discovery Centre.
Wednesday 20th - Leavers Assembly on school field (10—11am).
Thursday 21st - Last day of Term.
Friday 22nd - PD Day—School closed

SEPTEMBER

- Monday 5th - PD Day—School closed
Tuesday 6th - PD Day—School closed
Wednesday 7th - Back to school.