

ST. LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Please could we remind parents to telephone or email the school **before 9am** to notify us of any absence. **admin@st-laurenceprimary.com** 01584 872766. If we do not hear from you children will be marked as unauthorised.

SPORTS DAY – KS2

KS2 Congratulations to Teme who were the winners of SPORTS DAY this year with Clun the runners up by 5 points.







I have been in conversation with the Head of the Music Service about promoting the learning of orchestral instruments in primary schools. We do have a number of children that learn keyboard and piano as well as some guitarists, but very few who play string, woodwind or brass instruments.

The music service is open to supporting families who may need financial assistance in affording to pay for lessons and there are charitable Trusts that can help too; you just need to ask. I have also attached some information from Dr. Sarah Browne (from the music service) which explains the considerable benefits of playing a musical instrument.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions and would like to talk things through.

https://www.musicmark.org.uk/news/20-important-benefits-music-our-schools/





The Year 5 and Year 6 summer performance of Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits will take place on **Tuesday 15th July at 6pm** at Ludlow Assembly Rooms (children performing should attend from 5.30pm) Tickets are on sale now on the School Money system. Tickets are £4 each ... please just purchase the amount you would like. You can amend the amount in the green box on school money – everyone has been allocated a default of 4 tickets totalling £16. If you would like extra, please contact the school office.



Our annual **Summer Fete** is nearly here! As you all know, the event is loved by all who attend (especially the children!) However, it wouldn't be the success it is without all the help we receive from parents, carers and people in our lovely community. So – if you would be willing to offer help it would be so appreciated, here's how you can..

Donate a prize to the Raffle – any contributions welcome! Eg. Vouchers, wine, small gifts! Maybe you know a local business who would be willing to donate some goods to the school

Bric a Brac – any toys no longer played with consider us – we will take them off your hands, puzzles, teddies etc! Please drop to reception!

Water to Wine – have a bottle of wine or two in the back of the cupboard that isn't your cup of tea?

Put it to good use at the Water to Wine stall!



If anyone can spare their time on the day of the Fete – however long for, please get in touch! These events take a lot of manpower so its always very well received to have a helping hand!

Diary Dates



June

25th Year 6 London Trip

25th Year 4 Living History day at Ludlow Castle

26th Year 6 London Trip 27th Year 6 London Trip

July

1st Year 6 Induction Day – Ludlow School

1st Year 1 and Year 2 Trip to Ironbridge

4th PTA Summer Fete

9th Year 5 Taster Day at Ludlow School

10th Reception Trip to Queenwood 11th Year 3 Trip to Discovery Centre

15th Y6 End of Year production – Ludlow Assembly Rooms

6.00pm

16th Leavers Service – St Laurence's Church 10.30am

21st Summer Holidays









Shropshire Music Service is a non-profit organisation employing more than 40 highly skilled, professional music teachers. We visit schools around the county to deliver instrumental lessons, curriculum support, workshops, performances and more.

We deliver consistently excellent teaching, whilst ensuring that financial circumstances are not a barrier to music education. We also ensure that young people have access to performance opportunities and group music making, either in their school or the local community.

Our teachers work within experienced teams, where learning resources are developed to reflect the changing needs of students. Safeguarding of children is a priority and all our teachers benefit from regular training in several key areas. Teachers are subject to enhanced DBS checks, suitability to work checks, routine monitoring, and performance management.

Students may be taught individually or in small groups, and lessons usually take place in school during the normal day. Timetables are monitored to reduce the impact this may have on core subjects. We teach most instruments and have a range of equipment for hire. We are also happy to advise parents when buying an instrument, and we work with a number of specialist, local retailers.

Scan the QR code to find out more and enrol for lessons.



Find us on your favourite platforms



Help available towards music lesson costs for 7-11 year olds in Shropshire from September. Referrals being considered in July.

