## ST, LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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www.st-laurenceprimary.com Friday 19th May 2023

#### **Absence from School**

Please could parents remember to telephone or email the school before 9am to notify us of any absence. Email: <a href="mailto:admin@st-laurenceprimary.com">admin@st-laurenceprimary.com</a> or telephone 01584 872766. If we do not hear from you children will be marked as unauthorised.

#### Website:

Our new website will be launched next Monday. All the relevant information will be there but it does look very functional and plain at the moment: we are working on the design to make it more engaging and attractive. This work should be complete after half term.

#### **Stompers:**

Our wonderful school orchestra (the Stompers), will be joining up with other schools from around the county to perform in Shrewsbury this Saturday; it should be quite an occasion. We wish them the best of luck and hope that they enjoy the day.

#### Road Safety:

A member of the public contacted the school earlier this week to inform us that there had been a near miss in Sainsbury's carpark, when one of our pupils (year2 or 3) ran out of the store in from on a car. The child was unsupervised and the child was very lucky not to be hit. We have spoken to the children about road safety but please could I remind you all to be careful, especially in busy environments such as supermarket carparks.

#### **Busy week:**

It has been a busy enjoyable week; well-deserved after all the hard work this year where our children have participated in a wide range of exciting activities:

There have been virtual poetry workshops (with Brian Moses); a school trip to Blist Hill for class 2; Bikeability for our older children and the re-establishment of the Ludlow Netball league and a number of trips to the forest!

Hopefully we can make the most of the good weather for the rest of the term and enjoy school life in all its fullness.

#### **School Trips**

We apologise for any confusion with school trips, just a reminder that any start times that are before the start of the school day will always be through the main entrance of the school.

#### **Building Progress:**

The end is in sight!!!

The building work should now be finished by half term and the classes (4 and 5) will then be moving into their permanent homes. It does look great but it has been hard work and very frustrating getting to this point.



#### **Brian Moses**

This week, children in KS2 have enjoyed virtual visits from children's poet Brian Moses. Brian shared some of his poems in his own unique style, using percussion instruments to highlight the rhythm. The children enjoyed joining in! KS2 children will have brought home a letter with details of how to order a signed copy of one of Brian Moses' books if they wish.



#### **School Council Art Competition**

Thank you so much to all the children who entered the helicopter art competition. We have raised £30.50 for the Midlands Air Ambulance.

The school council representatives from Y2-Y6 judged the competition and announced the results in Celebration Assembly, this week. Well done to the winners!







#### **Year 2 Athletics**







On Tuesday Year 2 went to Ludlow High School to take part in an Athletics festival where we saw the children, throwing, aiming, sprinting, long jumping and lots more. The children were fantastic and really showed their sporting talents. They were all amazing.

#### Netball

On Wednesday night, our netball team began the summer league at Ludlow Junior School. This is the first time the team have played together, and they were amazing. It took them a few minutes to settle into positions, but they were soon going for goal. We finished the first quarter at 1-1 and in the second and third quarter we grabbed a few more goals, but the finishing score was 5-4 to St Laurence's. We are already looking forward to next week.





### Clubs will start Monday 24th April up to and including Friday 14th July

DAY	CLUB	AVAILABLE TO	LIMIT Weekly cost		LEADER	NUMBER OF WEEKS
Monday 3.15 – 4.30pn	Top Play	KS1 ( Y1 & Y2)	20	£3.50	Mr O'Reilly	9 weeks
	Gardening Club	Year 3 & Year 4	10	£3.50	Mrs Nash Mr Hodgson	9 weeks
	Rounders	Year 4/ Year 5 & Year 6	20	£3.50	Mrs Reid Mrs Holtom	9 weeks
Tuesday 3.15 - 4.30pm	Craft Club	Year 1	8	£3.50	Mrs Pitt Mrs Powell	11 weeks
4 – 5pm	Orchestra 'Stompers'	KS2 You must be able to play an instrument		FREE	Mr Bennett	
Wednesday	Knitting	Year 5 & Year 6	8	£3.50	Mrs Cooke	11 weeks
Friday 3.15 - 4.30pm	Cricket	Year 4/ Year 5 & Year 6	16	£3.50	Mr O'Reilly	10 weeks

Diary Dates					
May					
24 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 Swimming				
25 <sup>th</sup>	Tag Rugby County Finals @ Shrewsbury Sports Village (Selected team)				
June					
8 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Swimming				
15 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Swimming				
20 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day				
21 <sup>st</sup>	Year 1 & Year 2 Safari Park				
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Year 3 Swimming				
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Reserve Sports Day				
$28^{th} - 30^{th}$	Year 6 London Trip				
29 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Swimming				
July					
4 <sup>t</sup>	Year 6 Induction Day at Ludlow School				
5 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5 Taster Day at Ludlow School				
6 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Swimming				
13 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Swimming				
19 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Leavers service St Laurence's Church 10.30am				



This Half Term come & try

# Orienteering

#### at Rectory Woods & Field

Church Stretton, SY6 6DQ (come through gate by scout hut off Church St.)

Wednesday 31st May start any time between 10:30am & 11:30am.

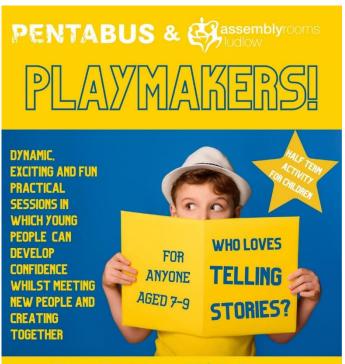
Courses: V. easy, short (~1km) / Easy, medium (~2km). There may be a longer course (3-

4km)

Fees: £2 per entry (could be individual/ pairs/groups, includes map & hire dibber)

More info: www.wrekinorienteers.co.uk







9.30am - 11.30am £12.50 per session/£40 for all 4

Tickets from ludlowassemblyrooms.co.uk
For more info: jess@ludlowassemblyrooms.co.uk
BOOK by Thursday 25 May

