



# St. Laurence Primary Newsletter

Spring Term 2020

14th February 2020

## Our School

### Gospel Values

2019 - 2020

Community

Hope

Thankfulness

### Forgiveness

Respect

Justice

### Classes

Robins  
Mrs. Harvey and  
Mrs. Bennett  
Wrens  
Ms. Bairos

R

Kingfishers  
Mrs. Chalklin  
(KSI Leader)  
Skylarks  
Miss Tanvir  
Nightingales  
Miss Campbell

Yr  
1/2

Quails  
Miss Jeavons  
Doves  
Mr. Fitt  
Swallows  
Miss Corcoran

Yr  
3/4

Magpies  
Mr Jiggins  
Owls  
Miss Kelly  
Kestrels  
Mr. Pepper

Yr  
5/6

## Half Term



We hope you have a peaceful mid term break and look forward to seeing you all again on the 24th February.

As we approach the holidays, it is a good time to review your knowledge on the latest Apps and websites that your child might access over the break to check the age limits and how they work.

A very useful website is ParentZone that is updated regularly

<https://parentzone.org.uk/advice/parent-guides>

## Volunteers Needed

A number of our children regularly attend the Children's Liturgy sessions at the 9.30 and 11.00 masses on a Sunday.

They are always looking for new volunteers to join the ranks and support the children understand the

Word of the Lord

Please contact the Church office if you would be interested in helping

[office@saintlaurence.org.uk](mailto:office@saintlaurence.org.uk)



The St Laurence Quiz Night to fundraise for the HCPT will take place on Friday 13th March at 5.30pm

It will be £5 per person with a maximum of 6 on a team. Bring your own drinks and nibbles

Sign up sheets available after half term!

Please can we remind our families to avoid walking and cycling on the grass at the front of the school. The Spring bulbs and new grass are emerging and we would hate to see their growth curtailed

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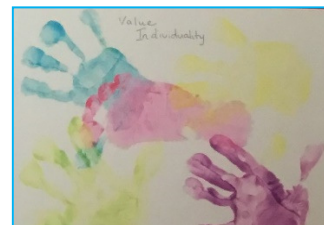
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and information please visit  
our school website:



www.stlaurence.cambs.sch.uk

**The SEND Pledge**

The **County Launch of the SEND Pledge** was held in **Huntingdon on Wednesday 22nd January 2020**. Two pupils from St Laurence were shortlisted in the Pledge competition for their art work; in the category of 'Valuing Individuality' Nikodem in Year 1 Kingfishers class and in the 'Be Positive' category Elizabeth in EYFS Robins class.

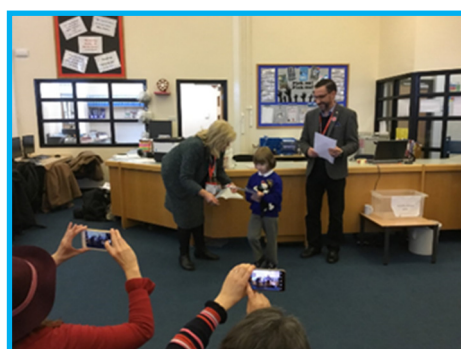


From the shortlisting the judges had the difficult decision of choosing 10 winners who have had their art transformed into a Poster to launch the 'Making SEND everybody's business' Pledge.

**St Laurence were delighted that Elizabeth Power's 'Be positive' Rainbow made it onto the poster!**

Elizabeth was presented with her prize, at the launch in Huntingdon, which she attended with her mum and Mrs Robertson; a £75 voucher for art supplies for the school and £25 of art supplies for Elizabeth, to further her artistic talents. Well done Elizabeth and everyone who entered the competition!

See the Local Offer website for more information on the SEND Pledge. <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/children-and-families/local-offer>



**Quick Sticks Competition**

Hot of the Press! Mr Jiggins has just returned from the Quick Sticks Competition to say that both of the St Laurence teams have finished in the Top 5! Congratulations to the Yr 5/6 teams.



**Class Attendance Hero**  
1st: Skylarks with 99.6%  
2nd: Magpies with 99.3%  
3rd: Nightingales with 98.5%

**Whole School Percentage: 95.9%**



17th Feb: Half Term  
25th Feb: Pancake Races  
26th Feb: Ash Wednesday Mass  
28th Feb: World Book Day  
3rd & 4th March: Parents Consultations  
13th March: Stay and Pray