



Leonard's Life



Issue: 35

Friday 26th June 2026

A note from Miss Phillips.....

The last week has been a bit of a different one!

The staff and children have done a fantastic job of navigating some very challenging conditions. Mornings have been able to continue with core subjects and children have worked well during these sessions.

On Monday Year 4 children enjoyed a visit to Victoria Park. They enjoyed a tour of the park and were exploring what will become a bee trail. Miss Parry and Mrs Stanley fed back glowing reports and we are very grateful to the team at the park for organising the visit.

On Tuesday our choir visited Stafford Grammar School for a fantastic choral day. They learnt new songs, met children from across Staffordshire and finished the evening with a fantastic performance to hundreds of family members. They were a credit to the school and it was a pleasure to accompany them on the visit.

We are hopeful that temperatures will be somewhat more bearable next week as we look forward to our transition sessions.



School AWARDS

w/c: 22/06/26	Star of the Week	Pride Award
Year N/R	Iris	Finley
Year R	Effie	Mylo
Year 1/2H	Inaaya	George T
Year 1/2G	Harry	Raphael
Year 1/2R	Khadijah	Eli
Year 3	Norah	Isaac
Year 4	Marnie	Oscar
Year 5	Jay	Vaughn
Year 6	Sofia	Ava

Well done everyone!

HOT WEATHER!!

Just a quick reminder to please send your child in with a water bottle and a sun hat. The weather is getting warmer, and having these items will help keep them comfortable and safe during outdoor activities.





Lunch Time Special Mention.

Our Lunch Time shout outs this week go to

Amir in Year 1 for always being on his best behaviour.

Also Sophie in Year 3 for always being polite and well mannered.

Well Done!!

Keep Up The Good Work!



Attendance Matters

Every student. Every day.

Week: 22/05/26	
Class	Attendance %
Rec	88.0
Y1/2H	91.8
Y1/2G	85.0
Y1/2R	88.3
Y3	93.8
Y4	95.8
Y5	83.0
Y6	79.3

Well done to **Year 4.**

Look out for your Class DoJo points!



Come and Join

St Leonard's PTFA



We always need volunteers to join our Parents, Teachers and Friends Association to help us raise valuable funds to support your children's experience at St Leonard's. We'd welcome you to as many meetings as you can attend and would love your help at PTFA events.

Through a range of events & activities including:

Discos | Raffles & Fairs | Christmas Cards & Baubles | Stikins | Easter Bonnet & Egg decorating | Colouring In Competitions | Asda's Cashpot for Schools | Pub Quizzes | Cake Bakes & Ice Lolly Sales

Over the last few years we have raised around **£4,500** each year for our school

Which has supported the school by providing:

New Forest School & IT Equipment | The Stage in the Playground | Whole School Circus Skills Workshop | Supporting the Credit Cupboard | Providing funds towards the Year 6 Leavers Party | KS1 Phonics Books | New picnic tables for the playground & providing the Children's Ice Cream Treat at the End of Term!



We'd love for you to join us and help us raise more funds for the school. You can find out more here:

PTFA@st-leonards-stafford.staffs.sch.uk
Facebook | StLeonardsStaffordPTFA



www.staffordsport.co.uk



Summer Holiday Sports club

At Blessed William Howard Catholic School



Monday 20th July - Friday 21st August 2026



8.30am- 5.30pm - £26.50 per day
10am-4pm - £24.50 per day
*Plus a small booking fee also applies



Staff are NGB qualified, DBS Checked and First Aid Trained.
Staff employed by the Stafford Sports and Performance Academy
07793891029 or email holidayclubs@staffordsport.co.uk



The days will be filled with sporting fun including football, rounders,, dance, cricket, badminton, table tennis and MORE.

IDEAL FOR AGES 5-13



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<https://eequ.org/experience/10978>



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FREE Summer Holiday Sports*



*Free spaces available to children on FREE SCHOOL MEALS Programme



Monday 20th July - Friday 21st August 10am-4pm

At Blessed William Howard Catholic High School Stafford

Staff are NGB qualified, DBS Checked and First Aid Trained.
Staff employed by the Stafford Sports and Performance Academy



The days will be filled with sporting fun including football, rounders, dance, cricket, badminton, table tennis and MORE. Sessions are perfect for boys and girls.

FREE MEAL INCLUDED

IDEAL FOR AGES 5-14

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For Information please call 07793891029 or email holidayclubs@staffordsport.co.uk
To Book: <https://eequ.org/book/sspa-sports-holiday-clubs-haf-with-stafford-sports-and-performance-academy-8870>



ST. LEONARD'S PRIMARY SCHOOL & LEO'S NURSERY



TERMS AND HOLIDAY DATES 2026/2027.

	<u>Pupil Year</u>	<u>Teacher Year</u>
<u>Autumn Term</u>		
INSET DAY	Tuesday 1 st September	Tuesday 1 st September
INSET DAY	Wednesday 2 nd September	Wednesday 2 nd September
School Opens	Thursday 3 rd September	
Half Term	Monday 26 th October to Friday 30 th October inc	Monday 26 th October to Friday 30 th October inc
School Opens	Monday 2 nd November	
School Closes	Friday 18 th December	Friday 18 th December
Christmas Holidays	Monday 21 st December to Friday 1 st January inc	
<u>Spring Ter</u>		
INSET DAY	Monday 4 th January	Monday 4 th January
School Opens	Tuesday 5 th January	
Half Term	Monday 15 th February to Friday 19 th February inc	Monday 15 th February to Friday 19 th February inc
School Opens	Monday 22 nd February	
School Closes	Thursday 25 th March	Thursday 25 th March
Good Friday	Friday 26 th March	Friday 26 th March
Easter Holidays	Monday 29 th March to Friday 9 th April inc	
<u>Summer Term</u>		
INSET DAY	Monday 12 th April	Monday 12 th April
School Opens	Tuesday 13 th April	
May Day	Monday 3 rd May	Monday 3 rd May
Half Term	Monday 31 st May to Friday 4 th June inc	Monday 31 st May to Friday 4 th June inc
INSET DAY	Monday 7 th June	Monday 7 th June
School Opens	Tuesday 8 th June	
School Closes	Wednesday 21 st July	Wednesday 21 st July
Summer Holiday	Thursday 22 nd July to Wednesday 1 st September	

School is closed for INSET DAYS, Half Terms, Good Friday and May Day. On 18th December, 25th March and 21st July, school will close at 1.00pm. There will be no afterschool clubs on these dates

Diary Dates

SUMMER TERM

Please note dates are subject to change, we will always notify you as soon as we can if this happens.

June 2026	
Friday 29th June	Parent Forum 2.30pm
July 2026	
Wednesday 1st July	Early Years Transition Play and Stay for NEW STARTERS and parents 9.30am - 11.00am
Friday 3rd July	Early Years Transition Play and Stay NEW STARTERS (children only) 9.30am - 11.00am
Tuesday 7th July	Early Years Transition Play and Stay NEW STARTERS (children only) 9.30am - 11.00am
Tuesday 7th July	Governors Meeting 4.15pm
Thursday 9th July	Sports Enrichment - Colour Run all pupils to wear PE kit (fundraising event)
Friday 10th July	School Reports to go home
Friday 10th July	Celebration Assembly - 9.00am Families will be contacted the week before if their child has won an award
Monday 13th July	Meet the new teacher for parents of children moving into Year 1 and Year 6
Tuesday 14th July	Nursery Graduation Assembly 9.00am
Wednesday 15th July	Year 6 Leaver's play and presentation 1.45pm
Thursday 16th July	Year 6 Leavers Party - 5.00 - 7.00pm
Friday 17th July	Non-uniform day £1 donation to school fund
Friday 17th July	Last Day of Term SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 1PM
Monday 20th July	Inset Day - school closed to pupils
Tuesday 21st July - Wednesday 2nd September	Summer Holidays