



St Aidan's Catholic Primary School Newsletter - Friday 6th June 2025

Head of School's Message

Another busy week, a Maths Quiz, Gaelic Football Tournament and Y6 on a trip to Parliament.

Thank you to the parents who came to KS1 sports day on Tuesday and we're looking forward to the KS2 sports day next week.

Have a lovely weekend,
God bless,

Mrs Hughes

**'Living
and
growing
in Christ'**



St. Aidan's School Value this term: Honesty

This half term our school value is 'Honesty'. Our School Councillors and Prayer Leaders have been on the lookout for children giving examples of honesty.

Ethan W (Rec) - for being nice to everyone he sees

Anna P (Y1) - for following our school rule

Riley H (Y1) - for being a loyal friend

Alessia (Y3) - for always showing kindness

Important dates for your diary...

10th June	KS2 Sports Day 1.30pm - 3.00pm
12th June	Whole School Class Photos - All children in full Summer Uniform
12th June	6.00pm Music Concert
13th June	Juniors Yellow team mufti
13th June	School Open Morning
13th June	SASA Fathers Day Sale
17th June	Y1 Trip - Big Bus Tour London
17th June	Reception Class vision screening
17th June	Y3 Sound Start Concert 2.10pm - Y3 parents welcome
18th June	Y3 trip to the National Gallery
19th June	Mufti Day - Sweets donation for the Summer Fair
19th June	9.15am Year 2 Class Assembly
19th June	2.45pm Year 5 Class Assembly
20th June	INSET DAY
22nd June	SASA Taskforce Day
23rd June	Y5 Whitgift Week

Small Schools Cup final

Our Year 5/6 football team along with Coach T and Coach Pablo travelled to Greenvale primary to play in the Small Schools Croydon Cup Final.

The boys played against Laleham Lea School and made us very proud with their 2-1 victory. Whilst lifting the cup they did ask if they could have an open tour bus like Palace!

An amazing achievement boys to end a hugely successful season and a big thank you to Coach T and Coach Pablo.



Maths Quiz

Well done to our Y5/6 Maths teams that competed in the area heats maths competition this week. The children did really well against a variety of school. One team came 11th and our other team came 3rd. Placing in the top three has allowed one of our maths team to proceed to the semi finals which take place next week! Well done all!

1 Green Street Team 2	1345	9 St Thomas Becket Team 1	1000
2 Laleham Lea Team 2	1335	10 St James the Good Team 1	995
3 St Aidan's Team 1	1285	11 St Aidan's Team 2	865
4 Margaret Roper Team 1	1255	12 St Joseph's Team 2	840
5 St Joseph's Team 1	1175	13 Good Shepherd Team 1	795
6 St James the Good Team 2	1135	14 St Chad's Team 1	675
7 Laleham Lea Team 1	1050	15 St James the Good Team 2	600



KS1 Sports Day

Our KS1 pupils did us very proud on Tuesday. They ran, they jumped and they balanced. The children demonstrated great sportsmanship and cheered for each other. Well do to all our



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Friendship Ambassador Award



Amazing achievement

Huge congratulations to Vianne (Y6) who collected her Merit Award for outstanding achievement in their Junior Maths Challenge. We are very proud of you.



Welcome Angie to Year 1

Welcome to Angie who has joined our Year 1 class. The children have been making her feel welcome all week.



School Council

Our School Council have been busy preparing wish lists for items they would like at playtime. Some of them then presented to SASA their wish list.

On Monday the children were treated in assembly as we had a special delivery and all items on their list have been purchased. We now have mini golf, giant Connect4, giant snakes and ladders, skittles, skipping ropes, buckets and spades, balls and much more.



Y5 Readers Are Leaders

Read-a-thon Fundraiser

Please see details of a great cause below - driven by our Year 5 class.

Sponsorship forms are attached separately to the newsletter email.

YEAR 5 Readers are Leaders!

Sponsored Read-a-thon fundraiser to build a St Aidan's free Little Library for our playground!

Wednesday 18th June



Year 5 know KIDS WHO READ SUCCEED so we have decided to have a brand new Free Little library, like the one below built in our playground. All classes can donate and exchange preloved books for everyone to enjoy!



Please sponsor your child to do extra reading at home and at school that day. We will use the money raised to buy the materials for our playground free library.

THANK YOU!

St. Aidan's outstanding fundraisers

Well done to Robyn-Grace for raising £25 for the 2025 challenge by cleaning the car and doing some gardening. Fantastic work!



First Holy Communion

Congratulations to Sophia as she makes her First Holy Communion this weekend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you on your special day.

SASA Message

We hope you have had a great week and enjoyed the cake sale treats this week. Well done to Robyn-Grace for raising £25 for the 2025 challenge by cleaning the car and doing some gardening. Fantastic work!

2025 Challenge - Closes next Friday

We have one more week of the 2025 challenge left. We'd love to see the photos of your fundraising in action, send them to info@staidanssa.co.uk and we'll include them in the newsletter. If you have completed your challenge and are ready to donate you can do so through ClassList. Find the 2025 challenge under Events and Parties and donate by clicking on the 'buy tickets' button.

Remember there's a prize for the top fundraisers in the school!

Other fundraising dates for your diary:

Father's Day sale – Friday 13th June

The children will have an opportunity to buy a small gift for a parent, grandparent or carer for Father's Day. In the same way as the Mother's Day sale, you can send cash in with your child on the day or buy a ticket for the same value via Classlist. Tickets are on sale now.

Mufti Day Sweets Tombola – Thursday 19th June

The children can wear their regular clothes to school on this day. We are grateful for any donations of sweets for the summer fair sweets tombola.

Taskforce Day - Sunday 22nd June

We have a few tasks lined up for Taskforce Day including: Clearing and disposing of all the weeds, especially in the pond area and trim trail /

Laying Astroturf and removing fence around the pond area.

General tidy, sweep of all play areas, paths and weeds.

We'll start at 11.30am on the day. Unfortunately for health and safety reasons children can't help with tasks on the day but childcare will be provided in the after school hut. Email info@staidanssa.co.uk or get in touch with your Class Rep to register your interest or just turn up on the day.

Mufti Day Drinks Tombola – Friday 27th June

The children can wear their regular clothes to school on this day. We are grateful for any donations of drinks, alcoholic and non-alcoholic for the summer fair drinks tombola.

Summer Fair - Friday 27th June, 4.30pm –8.00pm

Our final biggest fundraiser of the year will take place on Friday evening, 27th June. Join us for a fun evening of inflatables, games, hair braiding, face painting and more. We are grateful for any prizes you can donate for the summer fair raffle too. We are particularly looking for donations of top prizes for example, a Merlin pass, glamping, or a hamper if any parents are willing to reach out to companies for donations or sponsor a prize themselves. Get in touch with info@staidanssa.co.uk or your class rep if you can contribute. Raffle tickets will be sent home in school bags next week.

Other ways to support the school

Easyfundraising: Access your favourite retailers including Amazon, Argos, Boots, Domino's, Waitrose, JustEat, M&S and many more through [Easyfundraising](#). Every purchase you make earns the school a percentage of the sale, at no extra cost to you.

Playing the school lottery: Another lucky St. Aidan's participant won £17.40 in this week's school lottery. The draw takes place every Saturday and we have on average one winner a week. Sign up [here](#)

Thank you for your continued support.

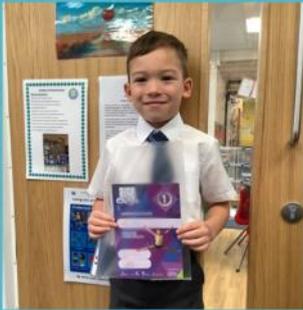
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This Week's Awards at St Aidan's



As the week comes to a close, we would like to celebrate all those children who have achieved something amazing. From football to swimming to athletics, our children never fail to amaze us with their talents.



St Mary: Palmira A

St Francis: Olivia C

St Joseph: Janelle N

St Bernadette: Edwina A

St Theresa: Sienna B

St Peter: Thaddeus O

St Paul: Alex H

St Mary: Cora P

St Francis: Dylan M

St Joseph: Teddy G

St Bernadette: Isabella W

St Theresa: Olivia M

St Peter: Bethany H

St Paul: Eva O

Excellent Learners

