



# Lawrence Cleaning Solutions Update

## Welcome Maddy to the Team!

We're delighted to introduce Maddy, our new apprentice.

Since starting with us, Maddy has hit the ground running, settling in quickly and bringing fantastic energy and enthusiasm to the workplace. She's already made a big impression with her willingness to take on new challenges, and her positive attitude.

Maddy is undertaking her apprenticeship through Halesowen College and is thoroughly enjoying the opportunity to develop her skills and gain invaluable hands-on experience. Her passion for learning, and drive to grow professionally, make her a great fit for our team.

Outside of work, Maddy enjoys making the most of her free time. She loves holidays, going on scenic drives, exploring new places, shopping, and spending quality time with her friends.

Her cheerful personality and commitment to learning are already making a positive impact, and we're excited to support her as she continues her apprenticeship.

Please join us in giving a warm welcome to Maddy!



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## Lawrence Cleaning Solutions Partners with Avena Group for Uniform Recycling

We're thrilled to announce our new partnership with Avena Group, to recycle our branded uniforms and other textiles, including cleaning cloths and PPE. This marks a significant step towards reducing our environmental footprint while aligning with our ISO 14001 registration for environmental management.

Did you know? Every year, 92 million tonnes of textile waste ends up in landfill, with the fashion industry contributing 10% of global greenhouse gas emissions and 20% of industrial wastewater pollution. By partnering with Avena, we're taking action to address this critical issue.

Avena has provided us with a dedicated recycling bin for all used textiles. Each collection will be measured, and we'll receive an annual report detailing how much carbon we've saved. We'll also receive a certificate proving our waste has been destroyed.

The by-products are turned into new textiles, innovative products, and even insulation!

This initiative not only helps save the planet but also prevents old uniforms from being misused, ensuring both security and sustainability.

Please make use of the recycling bin provided at your location (or speak to your supervisor if you're unsure of the new procedure). Together, we can contribute to a cleaner, greener future. This is an exciting chapter for us, and we thank you for helping us make a difference.

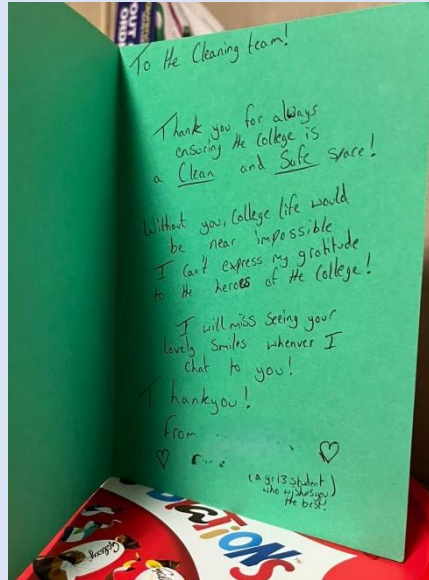


# A Heartfelt Thank You From A Kind Student

It's not every day that we gain special recognition for the work we do, but our cleaning team at King Edward VI College has received an extra special acknowledgement. A thoughtful Year 13 student from the college in Stourbridge sent us a truly uplifting thank-you card that melted our hearts. Here's what they wrote:

*"To the cleaning team,*

*Thank you for always ensuring the college is a clean and safe space! Without you, college life would be near impossible. I can't express my gratitude to the heroes of the College. I will miss seeing your lovely smiles when I chat to you. Thank you. From a Year 13 student who wishes you the best!"*



To say we were bowled over by their kindness is an understatement. This touching message reminds us how much our hard work matters. Each and every one of you plays a vital role in creating a clean, safe, and welcoming environment for our clients, their suppliers, visitors, and members of the public. It's clear that your dedication does not go unnoticed – it truly makes a difference.

To all our employees, thank you for your professionalism and care every single day. Moments like these show just how valued you are by our clients and by all of us here at Lawrence Cleaning Solutions. Keep up the amazing work! You're all heroes in your own right. 🙌

## Triple Celebrations in the Office!

This month, we're celebrating *three* birthdays in just four days! A huge Happy Birthday to Tracy (June 1st), Paul (June 2nd), and our newest team member, Maddy (June 4th).

With all the cake, sweets, and snacks flying around the office, you can imagine the sugar rush - and the waistline guilt! It's a good thing we're pros at cleaning up the crumbs!

Join us in wishing Tracy, Paul, and Maddy many happy returns. Here's to more celebrations, cake, and happy moments together as a team!



## Making a Splash!

Lawrence Cleaning made a splash at the recent Dragonboat races at Himley Hall, Dudley, proudly sponsoring the all-ladies crew of QueenZ Ahoy. Guided by our spirited Sales Director, Deb Lawrence, the team paddled with determination, securing an impressive 12th place out of 36 boats!

It was a day filled with fun, teamwork, and a shared goal of supporting a great cause, raising funds for Wolverhampton Rotary Club. A huge well done to the QueenZ Ahoy crew for their hard work and dedication! We're so proud to have been part of this fantastic achievement!