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"To be the best we can be"

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Pupils in Y3 experimenting with Green screen technology linked to their Stone age theme.

Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

Awards

This term school has achieved 2 awards.

- School achieved the **Gold award for Investors in People**. This is an assessment of the effectiveness of how school is managed and lead with all staff working together to raised standards for pupils in school.
- School achieved the **Silver Award for developing pupils' skills in music** across the school. As a school we support pupil development in music through joint working with Telford & Wrekin Music Hub. We offer individual instrument lessons for pupils, singing assemblies and the teaching of music in all year groups.

Thank you

To all of the parents who supplied us with underwear for the younger children following our appeal in last month's newsletter. It was such a good response from you all.

Attendance

Each May we send our attendance data to the DfE. **Well done** to these pupils who achieved 100% attendance.

Y6	Y5	Y4	Y3
Amie Bullock	Ellie - Mae Allen	Rhys Iley	Kendra Branford
Leo Spencer	Keenan Hull	Rachel King	Kye Gibson
Luca Willis	Junior Sengo	Sasha Suddaby	Leigha Hull
Tamar Allie	Phoebe Talbot	Mia Williams	Holly-Marie Lewis
Lewis Bushell	Chrishome Afriye	Codey Cuttell	Benjamin Oduro - Sarpong
Tamsin Chambers		Kacey - Leigh Giles	Kyra - Ann Cooper
		AJ Holbrook	Daryl Humphries

Y2	Y1
Ethan Clare	Scarlett Lanchbury
Gracie Owen	Jayden Lloyd
Abigail Parsons	Kaiden Moore
Isabelle - Rose Tisdale	Emily - Mae Gerrard
Jack Parsons	Shayne Gibson
	Courtney Humphries

Reception	Nursery
Lily Adams	Scarlett- Louise Parsons
	Tyler -James Penn
	Darcy Williams

The School Council

Members of the school council have been working with children across the school to develop a number of simple sentences and images to remind themselves about our whole school vision.



Be positive and care about ourselves and each other to keep safe and healthy.



Think for ourselves and make the right choices.



Push ourselves and be confident that we can achieve well.



Be proud of our British community.



Use our creative curriculum to learn about the world.

Health, Safety and Safeguarding

Esafty

As a school we have been supporting parents and pupils where, at home, children in KS2 have been using the internet to make comments about each other and a have given their password to another child. Their password was then used to buy products and send messages.

- Be clear what your child can and can't do online - where they can use the internet, how much time they can spend online, the sites they can visit and the type of information they can share. Agree with your child when they can have a mobile phone or tablet.
- Make sure that your child does not give their **password** to anyone else on line.
- Talk to children about being a good friend online.
- Install **parental controls** on your home broadband and any internet-enabled devices. Set up a user account for your child on the main device they use and make sure other accounts in the household are password-protected so that younger children can't access them by accident.
- Use airplane mode on your devices when your child is using them so they can't make any unapproved purchases or interact with anyone online without your knowledge
- The age ratings that come with games, apps, films and social networks are a good guide to whether they're suitable for your child. For example, the minimum age limit is 13 for several social networking sites, including Facebook and Instagram. Although sites aimed at under-10s like **Moshi Monsters** and **Club Penguin** also have social networking elements.

Mobile Phones

Only one or two pupils bring in their mobile phones and this is in agreement with their parents/carers. Any mobile phones brought into school should be left in Mrs Water's office at the beginning of the day and collected at the end of the day.

Sun cream

Let's hope for good weather ahead. Parents are advised to apply sun cream in the morning before school if the weather is due to be hot. As a school we are aware of if the temperature raises and pupils need to be kept in the shade.

Hay fever

Now that summer is here and pupils will be spending more time on the field, please update our records if your child suffers from hay fever.

Head lice

We ask that parents/carers continue to be extra vigilant in checking their child's hair and treating any cases of head lice. This supports all parents, pupils and staff in school.

Parking

Telford & Wrekin Traffic Management team received a complaint last week from a local resident of Westbourne. Their complaint is regarding parents parking blocking their driveway. We do not have a great number of parents arriving in cars but please be aware of this situation.

Thank you for your support in all of these matters.

Sports Week

Throughout the year pupils have been competing to gain points for their teams.

All pupils are part of a house named after local hills and ranges: **Longmynd (Yellow)**, **Stiperstones (Red)**, **Wenlock Edge (Green)** and **Wrekin (Blue)**. Family members are placed in the same house so parents only have 1 team to cheer for!

The week beginning 26th June is Sports week in school. Pupils will be competing for the team shield during this week.

Day 1 - Monday 26th June

Foundation Stage Sports event

9.30am - **Nursery** parents and carers invited to cheer!

1.30 pm - **Reception** parents and carers invited to cheer!

Multi-activity day for pupils across the school

The teams will be involved in a range of team activities throughout the day.

Day 2 - Tuesday 21st June

Running events - finals

All pupils will participate in at least one race

9:30am **KS2** running events - **KS2** parents and carers invited to cheer!

2:00pm **KS1** running events - **KS1** parents and carers invited to cheer!

The children know which house they are in and we ask that they bring in a coloured T-shirt representing the colour of their team e.g. if they are in Wrekin they will need a blue T-shirt. Children will need their kit (with the coloured t-shirt) including their trainers, ready for these sporting activities.

Parents are invited in to join their children for lunch

Parents are invited in on a Friday this term for a fish and chip lunch.

Parents of children in Y5 and Y6 - Friday 30th June at 12.00pm

The cost of a child's lunch is £2.10

The cost of an adult lunch is £2.85

We look forward to seeing you then.

Dates for your diary - we will be entering these dates onto the diary on our website. A copy of all newsletters can be found on the school website. Further details about start times for some of the events will be sent out to you nearer to the date.

Date	Year group	Event
Each Friday 10 pupils each Friday for 6 weeks	Y5	Children spending a day at Arthog Outreach
9.30am Monday 26 th June	Nursery	Foundation Stage Sports events -
1.30pm Monday 26 th June	Reception	Foundation Stage Sports events -
Monday 26 th June	Y1 - Y6	Multi-activity day The teams will be involved in a range of team activities throughout the day.
9.30am Tuesday 27 th June	KS2	Parents invited in to see the 4 teams compete in the relays and finals.
2.00pm Tuesday 27 th June	KS1	Parents invited in to see the 4 teams compete in the relays and finals.
9.15am Wednesday 28 th June	Nursery	Parents of children about to start in Reception invited into school.
9.15am Thursday 29 th June	Reception	Parents of children about to start in Y1 invited into school.
am Monday 3 rd July	Y6	Southwater 1 - Local landmark
Wednesday 5 th July	Sparklers group	Cooking bus
3.15pm Wednesday 5 th July	R and KS1	Film Club
am Thursday 6 th July	Y4	Visit to St Michael Church - Local landmark
Thursday 6 th July and 11 th July	Sparklers group	Road safety training
Friday 7 th July	KS2	French day in school
Monday and Tuesday 10 th and 11 th July	Y6	Secondary transfer induction days
am Tuesday 11 th July	Whole school	Children meet their new teacher ready for September 2017
Wednesday 12 th July	Y6	Crucial Crew
3.15pm Wednesday 12 th July	KS2	Film Club
Tuesday 18 th July	Y2	Pirates day
pm Tuesday 18 th July	Y6	Parents of pupils in Y6 invited in for our Leavers Assembly
Wednesday 19 th July	Y6	West Midlands Safari Park
Wednesday 19 th July	Sparklers group	Sparklers summer picnic with parents/carers

Break up for Summer Holidays - 3.15pm Friday 21st July 2017

