

# NEWSLETTER



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Parents,

I wanted to start this week by sharing how proud I am of our Year 6 pupils, who have been taking their SATs tests this week. Well done Year 6, you've approached them with a superb attitude. All your test papers have now been collected to be marked!

It has been a quiet week at school this week, simply because the SATs tests involve such a big team of staff. Nevertheless, there has still been lots going on and if you look on our Twitter feed on the website you'll see some of things that have been happening!

We have some more accomplishments outside of school in the newsletter this week. We love to hear some of things children have been doing outside of school, so if there is an achievement to be shared, please do send it in to the office for us to include.

I hope you all have a good weekend.

Best wishes,

Mark Davis

Principal

**UPDATES AND INFORMATION** 

#### Y4 Old Hall Maths Challenge

On Wednesday afternoon year 4 visited Old Hall to attend a regional maths challenge. The children worked really hard to solve an array of puzzles and activities and have been awarded badges and certificates for their superb efforts. Here are some quotes from the children:

"It was quite challenging but most of it was easy and fun." - Phoebe

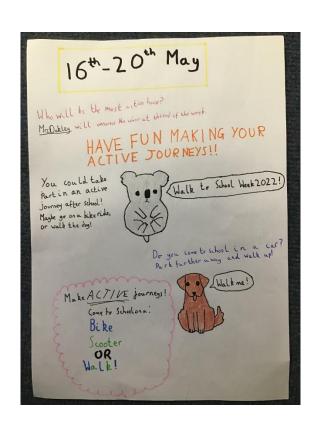
"I enjoyed it because I was learning new things." - Ben

"It was very fun." - Evie



Walk to School Week 16-20<sup>th</sup> May

School council have made posters to promote "Walk to School Week". Look out for the posters around school. We hope you can join in next week and walk, bike or scoot your way in to school.





The Year 4 teachers would like to say well done to all the children working hard to learn their times tables. We are so impressed with your improving scores. If you're looking for something new to play at home, check out **mathsframe.co.uk** which has lots of free games. This one is great for getting ready for the **Multiplication Check** which is coming up very

soon: <a href="https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check">https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check</a>. Click the link to take you there or scan the QR code to open the game on a mobile device:



Keep practising!

# **TEAM POINT TOTALS!**

Wrekin 372	Haughmond 336
Stiperstones 407	Caer Caradoc 332

Well done children!

Lunchtime VIPs!	
Rose	For using good manners and listening to instructions at lunchtime.
Isla-Rose	For showing great behaviour in the hall and on the playground.
George	For being such a happy pleasant friend at lunch time.
Amelia	For being a good friend and showing perfect manners at lunch time!
Ben	For showing a positive attitude at lunchtime.
Rosie	For always being polite and using impeccable manners!
Minahil	For settling in beautifully at lunch time.
Oscar	For showing respect at lunchtime.
Reuben	For showing maturity during outdoor lunch sessions.
Harry	For showing respect and consideration during lunchtime.
Emery	For being a great classmate who shows respect and good manners at lunchtime.

## **Wellington Arts Festival**

Delia and Elwyn (years 4 and 1) took part in the Wellington Arts Festival this past weekend. They were a part of the production of 'Godspell' on Saturday night. Well done Delia and Elwyn it looks like you had such a lovely experience!



#### **Archery Success**



Phoebe in year 6 shared with us an archery competition she recently took part in, well done Phoebe!

#### The Life Exhibition

Be part of the popular

Life exhibition

exciting story and teachings of Jesus

The Life Exhibition is an interactive journey for Primary Schools that delivers the gospel message. Children move between a series of 'pods' watching videos and using tablets to find out about the life of Jesus, before

finally arriving in the Life Café for a Q and A session.

(There's a virtual tour here if you'd like to see more <a href="https://www.countiesuk.org/schools-work/life-exhibition/schools">https://www.countiesuk.org/schools-work/life-exhibition/schools</a>)

The Exhibition is coming to Telford Minster and we'd love to invite you to see it! School groups are booked in throughout the day, but it would be great to see you at one of our drop in sessions on

Tuesday 24th May from 3.00 - 4.30pm

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May from 7.00 – 8.30 pm

#### **Forest Church**



#### **Community Jubilee Event**



### **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

Date	Event
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Reception visit to Home Farm
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Jubilee Fayre 3:30 – 5:00pm
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Queen's Platinum Jubilee Day – School Closed
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	PD Day
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	Half Term
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 visit to Botanical Gardens
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Class photographs
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 2 visit to The Fieldwork Centre
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 visit to Wrekin Forest School
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 visit to Festival of Countryside Learning – details to follow
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	St Peter's Day celebrations – pupils only
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 2 visit to a Mosque
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception & KS1 Sports Day 1:30 – 3:15pm
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	KS2 Sports Day 1:30 – 3:15pm
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers workshops in school – pupils only
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers Church Service – details to follow
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers event in school – details to follow
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 visit to Arthog Outreach Centre – details to follow
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	End of Summer term