



# NEWSLETTER



Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Dear Parents,

Well didn't we all have a busy week last week?

On Wednesday, we had a great visit from Bishop Michael on St Peter's Day, to celebrate us being the 20<sup>th</sup> school in St Chad's Academies Trust and this included a lovely open-air worship together.

On Thursday and Friday, we saw the return of sports day after a 2 year break! Everyone had a great time the weather, amazingly, held for these super events. This year, we have used our new house points system to have a winning house. We will send you a more detailed sports day report in Friday's newsletter.

For Reception and Key Stage 1 – the winning house was Stiperstones.

For Key Stage 2 – the winning house was Caer Caradoc.

The names of the winning houses will be added to our new sports day trophies and will be in the school library.

Those of you who have been with us a number of years will know we took a different format this year. As always, we'll look at what worked well and what we can do differently for next year – for example, we know for next year that Key stage 2 need more races.

Thank you to everyone who came along and to the Friends of St Peter's for selling drinks and ice cream.

Best wishes,

Mark Davis

Principal

## Guide Dog Puppy Fund Raiser!



# Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July

**NON-UNIFORM DAY** in exchange for some coins in the guide dog collector on your way into school!

**Cake and pre-loved book sale** 3.15pm in the hall! Items will be sold at 20p, 50p and £1.

**Cake raffle!** Tickets will be 50p each. Year 6 pupils will visit every classroom during the day to sell tickets.

**CAN YOU HELP?** Please bring along donations of children's books and cakes on the morning of Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July. Please, no nuts.



Thank you for your on-going support in raising £2,500 to sponsor a guide dog puppy in memory of Mrs Oliver.

For more information on how to sponsor a guide dog follow;

<https://www.guidedogs.org.uk/how-you-can-help/donating/donate-in-memory/sponsoring-a-puppy/>

## Year one visit to Wrekin Forest School.

We had an amazing time on our visit to Wrekin Forest School on Tuesday.

We all enjoyed pizza making and archery practise. We were able to explore the forest school area with lots of independent activities. We loved the zip line and the rope swing. The mud trampoline was very popular too!

The mud kitchen and digging area were always very busy. There were lots of tools that we could use and equipment to help us with our activities.



## St Peter's Day 2022

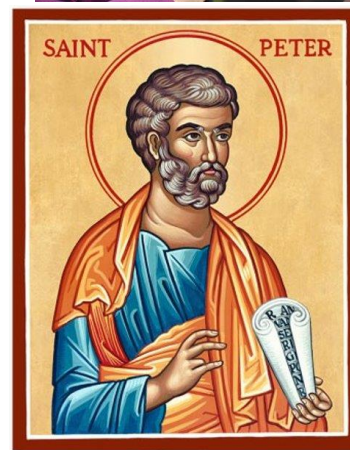
It's that beautiful time of year again when we celebrate St Peter's Day. This year we had Bishop Michael lead our wonderful service. The children did a St Peter's lesson in their own classrooms, created and decorated their own prayer fish and then we all came together as a whole school outside. It was incredible how the sun shone down on us that morning. We have learnt that Peter was a fisherman, he started the first church and shone a light to others. We had to think very carefully how we can all shine our own lights and be the best we can be to those around us and to reach our full potential.

*"We can share our books with our friends."*

*"I could share my games and toys."*

*"I would share my dinner with someone."*

Also joining us on this special occasion was Sue Wedgwood, our trust CEO. This special visit from Bishop Michael was to mark St Peter's Bratton joining St Chad's Academies Trust last September as the 20<sup>th</sup> school. It also marks one of Mrs Wedgwood's final official visits before she retires this summer.



## Summer Holidays Events

**Event Dates:** Tuesday 26th  
July and August 2nd, 16th, 30th  
**Event Time:** 10.30am - 12pm  
**Event Address:** Dogs Trust  
Shrewsbury, Roden Lane  
Farm, Telford TF6 6BP



# Summer fun for kids with Dogs Trust!



Join our Education & Community Officer for a **FREE**, fun family workshop to learn all about safe behaviour around dogs and being responsible around our four-pawed friends!

Children aged 7 and above and their grown up welcome!

Places must be booked in advance.

To book or ask any questions please contact [alison.donald@dogstrust.org.uk](mailto:alison.donald@dogstrust.org.uk)

Children remain the responsibility of the accompanying adult and must be supervised.  
No real dogs will be in attendance at this event.



[learnwithdogstrust.org.uk](http://learnwithdogstrust.org.uk)

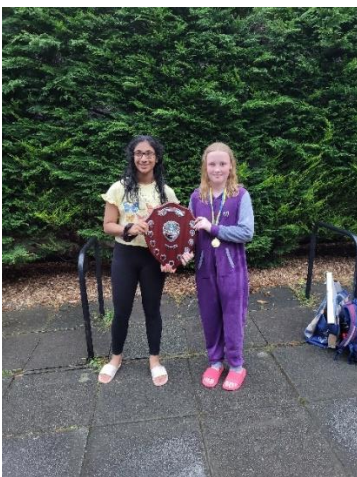
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## Pupil News

Anushka from year 6 and Isla-Grace from year 5 represented Telford and Wrekin for the county swimming gala at the Quarry swimming centre Shrewsbury. Telford and Wrekin came first overall.

Isla-Grace also picked up a medal for 1st place in the girl's medley relay where she swam breaststroke.

Well done girls!



Holly in Year 3 played Young Eleanor in The Belfrey Youth Theatre's production of The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe on Saturday.

She performed a duet and did really well.

Well done Holly!



LUNCHTIME VIPs!	
Isabella	For helping Mrs McNally with the play equipment.
Phoebe	For playing beautifully with her friends at lunch time and eating up all her dinner each day!
Evie-Rae	For lining up quickly and quietly and following instructions.
Amelia	For lining up sensibly at lunchtime.
Alesha-Mae	For showing lovely manners and for always being on hand to help.
JK	For being you! What a sensible boy!
Ben B-F	For demonstrating impeccable manners and respect at lunch time- thank you, Ben.
Harrison O	For looking out for the younger children at lunchtime.

Maddison	For being showing kindness at lunchtime.
Annabelle	For being very helpful at lunchtime.
Zac	For being really helpful at lunchtime with tidying away the play equipment. Thank you, Zac.
Saffy	For offering to keep the plants well fed in the year 6 legacy project area. Thank you, Saffy.
Jack P	For showing good care to his classmates and being polite at lunch time.

#### **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4 Squirrel School
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Guide Dog Puppy Fundraiser
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
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers event in school
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 visit to Arthog Outreach Centre
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	End of Summer term
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	PD Day
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> September	Autumn term begins