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'Together we add more'

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**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023**

### This Half Term's Value: Curiosity

#### 'Phrases of Faith'

**Proverbs 25: 2-3:** It is the glory of God to conceal things, but the glory of Kings is to search things out.

**Psalms 119:105:** Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome to this week's newsletter. This week has been an extremely busy one with Sport's Day and an exciting visitor on Thursday (more on that to follow). Thank you to our wonderful PTA who provided refreshments on the day.

Don't forget this weekend sees the 'Great North Shropshire Camel Race' which will take place on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June at Calverhall Cricket Ground. A thrilling day of entertainment and fun for the whole family is promised!

With all best wishes,

Mrs S. Henney

### Attendance



This week's winners are Stiperstones – Well done!

<u>Class</u>	<u>This week ...</u>	<u>Previous week ....</u>
Lawley	98.70%	92.50%
Wrekin	94.74%	98.95%
Caradoc	99.13%	99.13%
Stiperstones	98.57%	98.57%
Whole School	97.85%	97%



### **This week's Star Pupils!**

This week's pupils of the week are:

**Ercall** – Oscar Black for super literacy work during our Supertato topic!

**Wrekin** – Oliver Goulter - For trying his best in Sports Day showing resilience, perseverance and sportsmanship.

**Stiperstones** – Oliver- Mr Lockhart has chosen Oliver for having a great attitude towards your learning. Really well done!

### **Class News**

#### **Ercall**

In nursery this week we have been exploring Supertato during our literacy sessions.

We have designed our own superhero capes and helped to rescue Supertato from the freezer!

We explored numbers and potatoes in the cornflour, matching the numeral to the amount of potatoes.

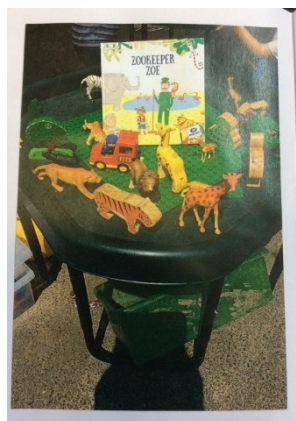
In our garden we created a zoo full of animals following the children's interests.

We built a wonderful den together to escape the sunshine, the children used some amazing team building skills throughout.

We all took part in Coolkids activities this week. We explored many grounding techniques which should help to prepare the children ready for learning.

Nursery enjoyed taking part in our sports day event- thank you all for coming to support us!

Well done Ercall!



**Best wishes, Mrs Butler, Mrs Arblaster, Miss Hughes, Mrs Jones and Miss Sanders.**

### Wrekin

Another incredibly busy week in Wrekin class. In Art we have been creating textured paper in preparation for our final mixed media pieces next week. We thought how we could use different items in the classroom to create a variety of textures.

In English we have been reading Grandpa's Secret Giant and earlier this week we created our own giants and wrote detailed character descriptions for them. Today we looked at the stormy sea scene and imagined we were on a boat in the middle of the ocean, in an immersive experience. We used all of our senses to recreate diary entries from the point of view of Billy or Grandad.

Sports day was a brilliant event as always and everyone in Wrekin took part with brilliant perseverance and sportsmanship.



Well done also to Jess, Neve and Ayla who spoke to our SMSC verifier Mr Russell with confidence during his visit yesterday.

**Miss Jones, Mrs Burns**

### Stiperstones

Wow! What a wonderful week we had in Arthog! The sun shone brightly the whole time we were there, which really brought smiles to all our faces as we got the experience the great activities in the best possible conditions.

Our children really excelled in all the tasks that they carried out, throwing themselves in with gusto; some even conquering their fears along the way. We were really lucky this year that we got to try rock climbing up the cliff face- some of us got higher than we anticipated whilst others of us showed ourselves to be true mountain goats racing up the challenging climbs.



We also tried surfing in the warm sea, where many of us were able to show our coordination and balance and being able to stand up and ride the waves back too shore. This was great fun as the waves were perfect for helping to moves us through the water with ease. We also managed to gorge walk, where the natural water fall slide was the favourite part for many of us. We flew down the slide into the water below, which was refreshingly cool on a hot





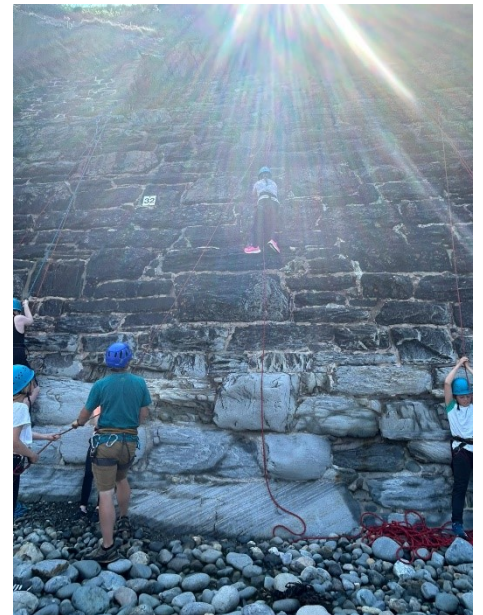
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day. We then scaled up and down the gorge enjoying a little bathe in a natural whirlpool as we went. The gorge walk is quite challenging, but we helped each other every step of the way and our instructors did praise the team work that we all showed each step of the way.

We also had lots of opportunities to play on the beach, paddle in the sea, watch the sunset over the water, do a blindfolded obstacle walk and play plenty of table tennis and a hug federation game of Uno!! We had the best time although most of us were tired on the way home and lots of sleepy faces arrived back at Moreton Say!

Thank you to the children for making it a lovely experience for myself and Mrs Jones!



**Mrs Baillie and Mrs Jones**







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**other news ....**

**Sports Day**

Weren't we lucky with the weather! Another fantastic day for our annual sports day event. Sports council helped to organise and run the event this year, including taking the role of photographers, and what a great job they did. We had javelin, egg and spoon, obstacle and sack races as well as a bean bag relay and the good old-fashioned sprint. It was lovely to see such good sportsmanship from all of the children and a brilliant turn out from families once again. We even had bovine spectators from across the field! Did you spot them? Thank you to the PTFA for providing refreshments and ice lollies. Before we announced the winning house we invited some brave parents to hit the track and then the scores were added up and this year the winning house was..... **Belfast!** Well done to all!



## F1 in Schools

You may have heard some familiar voices on Radio Shropshire this morning as Lewis and Miss Jones took to the air to appeal for sponsors to help them get to Leeds University for next week's final. The teams are working hard over the next week to prepare for the big day but if you know anyone that may like to support us in our journey please do get in touch.

The teams have also organised a fundraising event for Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June. There will be cakes, challenges and activities running through lunch and break and for a short period after school. More details to follow soon.

Thankyou also to our fabulous sponsors AR Richards, ACT, Shavington and Cloverley Estates and O3T.

## **Little Samaritans**

This week we read the story about Jesus walking on the water. It was all about Jesus telling the Samaritans that there was thunder coming. One of the Samaritans tried walking on the water, he fell but Jesus helped him up. We made moving pictures using tissue paper, cutting a slot for Jesus and adding sky and the sea.

By Neve



## Make some Noize club

Reminder that on **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June** children are asked to please bring household items that make interesting noises. Over the next few weeks we'll be using manmade objects to make music. If you look at a performance from the group STOMP you'll get the idea.

## Gardening Club

This week was all about the peas! The kids went running to check on our plants and there were so many pods ready and bursting with sweet treats. Everyone ate their fill and we agreed there's not many snacks better than peas freshly picked on a sunny afternoon.







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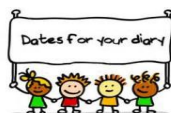
I'm also excited to announce that we be taking part in the Bridgemere show gardens Plant-up Wheelbarrow Competition. We're already working on our theme of 'Under the Sea' and this week the children created some sea themed watercolour paintings to incorporate into our poster.



David Domoney will judge the barrows at Bridgemere's Children's Gardening event on Saturday, July 8th, in their Show Gardens. There are discounted tickets for anyone attending from a participating school. Use the code "wheelbarrow" at checkout. Many thanks to Miss Jones for bringing the activity to our club!

**Mrs Truman and the Gardening Club**

**Moreton Say Diary Dates 2022 – 2023**



**JUNE**

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June – Grove School Open Evening 5.30pm – 8.00pm

**JULY**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – Thomas Adams Year 6 Move Up Day

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Thomas Adams Year 6 Move Up Day

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Back up Sports Day – 9.15am

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – New Parents Evening – 5.30pm

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Grove School **Year 6** Move Up Day

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Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Grove School **Year 6** Move Up Day

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July – PTA Summer Fete (details to follow)

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July – Grove School **Year 5** Visit Day

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Church Service – 9.15am (parents welcome)

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Performance – 2.15pm

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July – School Breaks up for Summer





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and finally....

**WIN A £100 VOUCHER !**

**NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin Big health and wellbeing conversation survey**

For those that complete the survey you can opt in to enter a prize draw for a chance to win £100 worth of shopping vouchers.

Survey:

[https://nhs.welcomesyourfeedback.net/s/t0xurq?fbclid=IwAR02yuhCwpRaerb\\_eYe9P8oPvXEg44o5zDzpZ0eNjJPHLYgQayKnJ1a5UDM](https://nhs.welcomesyourfeedback.net/s/t0xurq?fbclid=IwAR02yuhCwpRaerb_eYe9P8oPvXEg44o5zDzpZ0eNjJPHLYgQayKnJ1a5UDM) – This link is just a link for the Trust work.

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Parents and Teachers Association

# SAVE THE DATE!

## Summer FETE

Join us on the playing fields for a celebration of all things Summer on  
**Friday 14th July 3:30-5:30**

There will be a raffle, games, prizes, cakes,  
a bouncy castle and more!

More information to follow in the coming weeks.

All proceeds go towards the PTA funds which  
enhance and support the children's learning.







# Bridgemere Show Gardens

TV Gardener  
**David Domoney**  
at Bridgemere  
Show Gardens





**Saturday 8th July**  
**Children's Gardening**

Bridgemere Show Gardens  
Bridgemere, Nantwich  
CW5 7QB  
[bridgemereshowgardens.co.uk/events](http://bridgemereshowgardens.co.uk/events)



For discounted family tickets use code 'wheelbarrow'