



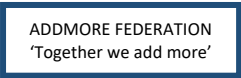
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This Half Term's Value: Curiosity

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome back all to the second half of the Summer Term and the FINAL half term of the academic school year! I cannot believe how quickly the year has flown by. Also reflecting on how quickly time flies by will be those who are parents to pupils in Year 5 and 6. On Wednesday we said 'Bon Voyage' to our Year 5 and 6 pupils as they set off on their adventure to Arthog accompanied by Mrs Baillie and Mrs Jones.

We have received regular updates and can confidently say that they have all had a fantastic time! We look forward to sharing more of their news in next week's newsletter! Until then we are happy to share the rest of the school's news.

We would also like to share this half term's value: Curiosity. Curiosity and the associated courage to take a bold 'first' step in a new direction can bring about positive changes that require leaps of faith – by us and by others. What new adventure will you embark upon this half term?

Wishing everyone a wonderful weekend,

Mrs S. Henney

Attendance



This week's winners are Class 3 – Well done!

<u>Class</u>	<u>This week ...</u>	<u>Previous week</u>
1	91.67%	95%
2	98.89%	96.30%
3	100%	94.09%
4	98.82	98.82%
Whole School	98.08%	96.03%
National Average this week	93.4%	94.5%





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This week's Star Pupils!

This week's pupils of the week are:

Nursery – JJ Cakau for showing a positive attitude to learning!

Class 1 – Grace Hardy - For great doubling in maths this week. Grace even wrote corresponding number sentences to match her doubles. Well done Grace.

Class 2 – Ayla Moore - For showing our value of curiosity during our science lessons, asking lots of relevant questions.

Class News

Nursery

Welcome back everyone!

We are having a wonderful first week back in Nursery.

We started this half-term with a whole school party to celebrate the Queens Platinum Jubilee and our school turning 150 years old.

Thank you to everyone who was able to join us.

In maths this week we have been exploring numerals 1-5 in the gloop (Cornflour and water) and practicing our counting skills with buckets and spades in the sand.

We have been exploring our beach cafe role-play area- making and selling ice-creams, creating price lists and dressing up in our parlour.

In our funky fingers area we have been decorating crowns with buttons and jewels to help develop our fine motor skills.

Our new Pathways to write story is, 'The Sea-Saw', which the children have shown excitement and great interest in so far.

In Forest school this week we created repeating patterns using daisies, pine cones, sticks, leaves and bottle tops.



Best wishes Mrs Butler and Mrs Arblaster





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Class 1

It has been a great first week back after half term. We started the week off with our school Jubilee and 150th birthday party. The children took part in a carousel of Queen themed activities and also produced some lovely writing for our school time capsule. In the afternoon we were lucky enough to have a whole school party with parent and carer visitors. The children enjoyed dancing, eating scones and seeing their families.



Our topic this term is 'At The Seaside'. The children have enjoyed exploring our beach themed tuff trays and provision. The children have also liked reading lots of topic books such as 'Tiddler' and 'The Tail of the Whale'.

We have started our Pathways to Poetry this week focusing on a book called 'Eat Your Peas Louise!' the children have enjoyed hunting for vegetables around the school grounds and then writing adjectives in groups to describe them. Over the next week children will be writing their own poem as a class linked to 'Eat Your Peas Louise!'.

In maths we have been revisiting the concept of doubling. The children have worked hard to find doubles and practised finding lady bird doubles. Children have been challenged to write number addition sentences linked to their doubles.



It has been a jam-packed week already, but you have all worked so hard as always.

Well done, Reception.

Miss Clarke and Mrs Dykes.

Class 2

What a busy week! In Science this term we will be learning about the weather and different weather patterns in the UK. We have made various weather station equipment this week, including rain gauges and windsocks. We will take recordings every week and populate these on a graph to look for patterns and trends. We will also be visiting the Millenium pond to carry out some more work from our Habitats unit, find out how we got on in next week's newsletter.





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In English we are writing poems, based on the fruit poem Plum! By Tony Mitton. We have been working in pairs to explore a wide range of fruit, using our five senses. As we begin to construct our poems, we have looked closely at rhyming words.

Our D&T challenge this term is to design and make a boat to carry our explorer across the sea. This week we researched different styles of boat, what materials they are made of and the shape and size. We also looked at how they are powered to move through the water.

Year 1 completed their Phonics Screening assessments this week, they all did very well.

Miss S. Jones & Mrs Burns

In other news

Nursery Sports Day

The Nursery sports day will take place on **Thursday 16th June at 2.00pm**, children will need to have had sun cream applied and bring a hat and water bottle. Parents are welcome to come along and spectate. If your child is not usually in Nursery on a Thursday, they are very welcome to attend at 2.00pm but must be accompanied by an adult for the duration of the visit.

Eco-council

A reminder that all children should have now brought home a battery collection box. Please return all collected batteries no later than the 24th June so that we can enter for a chance to win £4000 towards developing our outdoor area.

Music Club

The children have been enjoying music club on a Thursday lunch time. There are only a few weeks left so please remind your children that it is a drop in club, so no need to book, just come along.

I look forward to seeing them there – Mrs Vaughan

Gardening Club

Thank you to Anna Truman and Nicholas in Class 2 for spending some of their half-term holiday tidying up the outdoor areas and preparing areas for Gardening club.





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Queen's Jubilee and Moreton Say School's 150th Birthday Party

What a fantastic day we had celebrating. We learnt lots about the history of our school and of the reign of our Queen. In the morning we wrote letter to future pupils for our time capsule, made bunting and designed cakes for the Queen. Then we joined family and friends on the field for a big picnic lunch, where some of us enjoyed Fish and Chips! There were tasty cakes and scones to enjoy for pudding too!

Guests were able to take a trip down memory lane as they looked through old records and photo albums. We were then treated to a showcase of some of our children's amazing talents and had time to dance and catch up with students and staff past and present.

The cake entries were fantastic, well done to the Goulter family for winning first place.

Thank you to all involved, for making the day a wonderful success.



'The Great North Shropshire Camel Race'

The organisers of the Calverhall Family Fun Day are excited to announce that this year they will host- The Great North Shropshire Camel Race on 11th September.

The committee have asked school children to create their own artistic camel designs which will be displayed in the church on the day of the event. The winning camel design will feature on the program and all advertising/marketing material for the event. The children will be completing their designs in school and the winning entry will get free tickets for their family for the event.



HELP US WIN £1,000 FOR OUR SCHOOL LIBRARY

Schools everywhere are doing their best to help children catch up with the months of learning lost during the pandemic, and yet reading for pleasure – which has been shown time and time again to be the single biggest indicator of a child's future success – is falling off the agenda. A study by our friends Read for Good – a charity which raises money for books for schools and children in hospital by getting children reading for fun – found that 81% of schools didn't have a separate budget for reading for pleasure,





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while almost three quarters of schools reported decimated library stocks due to unreturned books during lockdown or library resources being diverted elsewhere.

It's time to get serious about reading for pleasure, and start rebuilding our schools' libraries. **National Book Tokens are giving five schools £1,000 of National Book Tokens each, plus membership to the School Library Association**, to help them rebuild their range of books and encourage reading for pleasure now and for generations to come.

Nominate your school using the [link below](#), and if yours is one of the five winning entries, **you'll also win a £100 National Book Token for yourself!**

https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/?gclid=CjwKCAjw7vuUBhBUEiwAEdu2pK0Eke04X_W7r1ZiXWegUKVj9nEAQtAHmMYwe_ngO3C2K6Oeyr0B8BoCU-EQAvD_BwE





Moreton Say Diary Dates 2021 – 2022



JUNE

Monday 6th June – Return to School

Monday 6th June – Jubilee Street Party (Details to follow)

Tuesday 7th June – Year 5 Taster Day at Thomas Adams

Wednesday 8th to Friday 10th June – Class 4 visit to Arthog

Monday 13th June – Tempest Photography in School

Thursday 16th June – Nursery Sports Day at 2.00pm

Tuesday 28th June – Sports Day 9.15am

Wednesday 29th June EYFS Move up Afternoon

Thursday 30th June – Cluster Sports Day at Woore

JULY

Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th – Grove School open days

Tuesday 12th July – Back up Sports Day 9.15am





and finally

Help with music lesson costs available

**Is your child aged 7-11 and
keen to take part in musical activities but the
costs are too much to manage?**

- ❖ If you are in receipt of benefits (including Child Tax Credits) and are on a low income, or have exceptional circumstances, the **Jon Hayward Memorial Trust** may be able to help.
- ❖ The Trust has been providing **financial assistance** to eligible children in the Shropshire Council area since 2008.
- ❖ We award **bursaries** on an annual basis to part-fund (up to 50%) the cost of **music lessons** for a number of children, who have an interest in and aptitude for music, but are prevented from pursuing this due to their family's financial situation and the lack of funding from elsewhere.
- ❖ Our support can be for lessons in school, or arranged privately.
- ❖ We also have a number of **instruments** (violins and guitars) which we are able to **loan** to interested families free-of-charge (provided the instruments are returned in good condition.)

Referral forms and all details have been sent to your school, but if you have any queries, please e-mail jonhaywardmemorialtrust@hotmail.co.uk.

Forms received by **15th July** will have priority but we will consider applications at other times of the year if we are able to; we have a total of 20 bursaries available for the next academic year.

Jon Hayward was a well-known Shropshire folk musician and singer who died of cancer in 2006, aged 53.

He loved sharing his enthusiasm for music, especially with children.

Family and friends, with the support of numerous musicians, have been fundraising since 2007 in order to enable children, who might not otherwise get the opportunity, to access music.





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