



# Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

## 'Wrockers' Weekly

Friday 28th May 2021

### What's new this week .....

What a fantastic half term and at last the sun is shining ready for a well deserved break by all. It has been an absolute pleasure this half term to walk around school and work with some of the children on their art projects. They have created some wonderful displays around school sharing their beautiful work. We have also been able to welcome many visitors into our school over the last few weeks who have all commented on how polite, enthusiastic and passionate the children are about their school. They have been a real credit to you and their teachers, so I would like to say an enormous thank you and well done.

We appointed two new teachers this week who will be starting with us officially in September, Mrs Windridge and Miss Husselbee. They will both be a fantastic addition to our team. We are also pleased to announce that we have appointed Mrs Brayne as our wrap around care manager and she will be working with Mrs Perkins to set up everything ready for our wrap around care opening form September. I look forward to sharing further details of this provision with you soon.

We are sad to say that Mrs Cowan will be leaving us to embark upon a new adventure with her family as she relocates to London. We wish her well and she will be sadly missed.

I wish you all a lovely half term holiday and I look forward to welcoming you all back on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June.

### Year 5 Memorable Experience - 26.05.2021

When we arrived in school, year 5 were very excited - our aim for the day was to bury a time capsule in the grounds of the school.

We started by planning out a mood board, we included: our hopes, dreams and aspirations for the future.

'I learnt that Lois wants to be a pilot, this is a great aspiration' Harry T.

When we had completed our plans, we decoupaged a canvas with tissue paper, napkins and atlas paper - representing our personalities. We sectioned the canvas with black ribbon and added some of our hopes and dreams to the board. We found this exciting and mindful all at the same time!

In the afternoon, we made a card to pop into our time capsules, these cards included information about us, our aspirations and our memoirs of Covid-19. We decorated the front in Pop Art with our names, taking inspiration from Andy Warhol's art.

To finish this extraordinary day, we added a daily newspaper, a Covid pack (LFT test, mask and information on how our teachers are keeping us safe), coins and our personal memoirs to our time capsule.

We then sealed the capsule and buried it in the school field, for the future generations of Wrockwardine Wood Church of England Junior School to find and enjoy.

Harrison T and Lois C



### Dates for your Diary

#### Break up

Fri 28th May

#### Half Term

31st May to 4th June

#### Monday 7th

June - back to school

#### PD Day- 21st

July. Staff only in school

#### Break up

Summer Hols 22nd July

### Stars of the week

#### Year 3

Tommy W  
Max W  
Rhian C

#### Year 4

Grace R  
Aishmeet S  
Rhys P

#### Year 5

Archie W  
Charlie B  
Harrison T

#### Year 6

Kaitlyn S  
Alfie M  
Grace B

**Headteacher's Award: Ryan S and Grace-Mai B**



### Mr Urey

As many of you know, we sadly lost our dear friend Bob Urey last year. As Bob was a big part of our school, we wanted a lasting reminder at school of just how much he did for us and how very kind he always was. You may have noticed that we now have a bench at school with a plaque which is inscribed for Bob. Mr Evans has planted a flowering Japanese Cherry tree in the area outside the office by the bench and we have also purchased some pot plants. We would like to thank all our staff for their very kind donations for this. We are still in the process of completing our crochet bombing on the fence around that area which will eventually be a reflection area. Please feel free to come and have a look but please be mindful of social distancing.



### Mr Urey's Kindness Award

Mr Urey was one of the kindest people we have ever met. Once every half term, one child will be chosen who has shown consistent acts of caring and kindness towards others. This child will receive a certificate and will also receive the trophy to take home for 6 weeks until the next award.

### **Congratulations Harry!**

You are the well deserved winner for this half term for your constant kind and caring nature.

Norma Urey (Bob's daughter) has very kindly also offered the winner a voucher for a free child's meal at Urey's Street Food. This will be given to the winner along with the certificate. Thank you for your kindness too Norma.



### Reading Awards

#### Year 3

Rylee M

Kai S

Casper K

#### Year 4

Ethan S

Ellis G

Olivia C

#### Year 5

Dan H

Esme R

Mizanu Y

#### Year 6

Lewis F

William N

Josh k



### Term dates and holidays

Don't forget that the term dates for 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 are on our school website.

There are printed copies in Reception should you prefer one of those.

**Reminder:** following Government guidance for schools, holiday requests during term time **will not** be approved so please check your holiday dates carefully if you are planning a break when restrictions allow.

Thank you.

### Year 6 Transition

The year 6 children will be visiting their new schools soon and you should have been notified by their secondary school which days these are as they vary from school to school. You should take your child direct to their new school on these days and collect them from there at the end of the day. They DO NOT come to our school at all on those days. If you have any queries regarding these dates, please contact the secondary schools direct as we are not involved in this process. They will also advise what your child should wear. If you have not been notified of your child's secondary place, please urgently contact the Telford & Wrekin Admissions team: [admissions@telford.gov.uk](mailto:admissions@telford.gov.uk)

Thank you.