



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

'Love, Laugh and Learn'

Friday 2nd July 2021

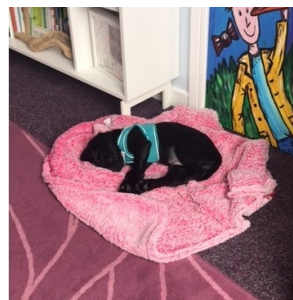
What's new this week

Transition

On Thursday morning we had a lovely transition picnic on the field with all of our children. This was a fantastic opportunity for the children to meet their new teacher, teaching assistants and class mates. They all enjoyed participating in team building activities and sharing fun facts about themselves. This was all socially distanced and bubbles were maintained to ensure everyone's safety. Unfortunately the Infant School were unable to join us but these children met their teacher virtually via teams to enable them to start building positive relationships for the future. We are all looking forward to September when we hope that things will look a little more normal.

Nala News!

Nala has had a fantastic first week in school all be it most of it has been spent fast asleep in the office! Thank you for all of your positive comments and messages of support.



She has already been put to work this week and has supported Miss Ashley with some of our anxious children. She embarks upon her training on Monday night and has started doing some homework this week in preparation. She is very, very excited about meeting the children in September and frequently sits at the office door wagging her tail watching the children walk past. I think she can't wait to get out and play with them. We will keep you updated weekly on her progress.

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 6th July

Year 6

Outreach Activities

Friday 9th July

Year 6

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Monday 12th July

MFL Day

Tuesday 13th July
3:30 pm—5pm

Year 6 Disco
(outside)

Break up -
Tues 20th July

St Luke's Driveway

Polite reminder that our parents must not use this driveway as a throughfare as this compromises their Covid arrangements. We ask for your co-operation with this matter please.

Reminder:

Please remind children that they should not be bringing toys into school from home. This causes a lot of upset at break and lunchtimes and there is a risk that toys could be damaged. School would not be responsible for any damage.

School Meals

Please make sure if you have a debt owing to us for school meals, this is cleared before the end of term. Failure to clear this will result in a future problem with your child's school meal account. Thank you.

Reading Awards

<u>Year 3</u>	<u>Year 4</u>	<u>Year 5</u>	<u>Year 6</u>
Tommy W	Rohan L	Vincent H	Tyler S
Lucas C	Aishmeet S	Ella A	Callicia H
Amber N	Azzaria P	Lois C	Henry P

Stars of the week

<u>Year 3</u>	<u>Year 4</u>	<u>Year 5</u>	<u>Year 6</u>
Ayva R	Adam T	Faith B	Tyler S
Casper L	Freya-Mai H	Bubble closed	Jake J
Mylo B	Hailey K	Esme Ro	Bobby-Lee W

Headteacher's Award: Adam T & Laurence C





Calling All Parents

At Wrockwardine Wood C.E Junior School, your child's well-being, safety, academic and social development continues to be of upmost importance. We recognise the importance of and value in parental involvement both within and beyond the classroom and want to ensure that as a school we work effectively with our parents and the local community.



In our ongoing commitment to ensure that we continue to provide the most effective support to all our students and parents/carers, we are excited to introduce a new parent/carer working group- **Parents in Partnership**. The working group will include a small group of parents/carers who will work alongside the Pastoral Lead Claire Ashley, Head Teacher Miss Cartwright and Governors.

The purpose of this group is to strengthen our community through an increased focus on our partnership with parents and carers. The Parents in Partnership group will meet each half term to share ideas and views that may help the school continue to develop and improve, we will evaluate and form action plans from the collective voice of our parents. As our team strengthens, we will focus on a number of longer-term school goals, such as improving pupil progress, punctuality, attendance and behaviour. This is NOT a PTA fundraising group.

We also recognise that due to the impact of the global pandemic our community has changed, as a group of parents/carers we would like to make use of your strengths for the benefit of our whole community. As a working group we will identify parental strengths and incorporate them in to planning events and projects that will give a sense of achievement and satisfaction to all involved.

“Research has identified that increased parental involvement in a child’s education can raise achievement by 18%.”

Unfortunately, meetings will have to be held remotely for now- fingers crossed for a face-to face meet next term.

The focus of our first session on 19th of July at 4pm will be:

- How parents/carers would like this working group to proceed – ideas/projects for the future
- Developing good communication and keeping parents fully informed about what is happening in school

If you would like to be involved with our exciting new venture, please email Claire Ashley on:

a3129@telford.gov.uk

Uniform

If you would like to purchase uniform, please complete an order form (available on the school website or from reception at school) and send to the school office with a payment. Please include a phone number and we will call you when it is ready for collection. We politely ask that you **do not leave ordering uniform** until the last minute as we will **NOT** be issuing uniform during the last two days of term or the first two days of the new term as these are some of the busiest days in the school office. Thank you.