



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

'Love, Laugh and Learn'

This Half Terms Value—Thankfulness

Friday 15th October 2021

Another very busy week at Wrockwardine Wood Juniors. Thank you to Ms Childs in the school kitchen for providing a delicious French themed lunch on Tuesday which was enjoyed by all. As you all know, we have had to unfortunately move up a level with our Covid risk assessment. This means that 5C and 4B have now reverted back to being a separate class bubble. As a school, we are putting every measure in place to ensure the safety of all our pupils and staff and reduce the spread of Covid. We really appreciate your continued support during this time and we ask that you be extra vigilant with potential symptoms in your children and get them PCR tested if necessary. We have included Covid guidelines at the end of this newsletter. Thank you.

Nala News

Nala has been continuing her training this week and has been practicing staying on her mat and not being distracted by the children. She has also been on the front gate with Miss Cartwright in the morning and has thoroughly enjoyed saying hello to all the children. Well done to everyone for not distracting Nala!



Dates for your Diary

Tues 19th Oct
Harvest Festival

Fri 22nd Oct
NSPCC Dress Down Day

Half Term
25th Oct to 29th Oct

Mon 1st Nov
PD Day
Staff only in school

Tues 2nd Nov
Children return to school

NSPCC Dress Down Day—Friday 22nd October

As you know our children have received learning this term from NSPCC's Speak Out Stay Safe Campaign. The NSPCC are the UK's leading children's charity, they have been looking out for children for over 130 years and they couldn't do it without our support. To show our appreciation and contribute to a great charity we will be holding a fundraising event in School on Friday 22nd of October. We are encouraging all children to dress down and donate £1 to the NSPCC- **the £1 will be collected in their classroom on the morning of Friday 22nd**. Children can wear their own clothes, but they must be suitable for school, no hee-ies, high heels, belly tops and explicit language or unsuitable logos. Thank you.



Headteacher's Award:

Cadie O and Mia F-J



Well done!

Harvest Festival: please see last week's newsletter for arrangements.

3G	Hazel Y	4W	Sky E	6J	Mizanu Y
3H	Leo M	5C	Ava S	6S	Isla J
3/4L	Annika K	5H	Miley M		
4B	Maisey B	5/6BD	Nevaeh W		

Stars of the week

Well done everyone, you are all amazing!

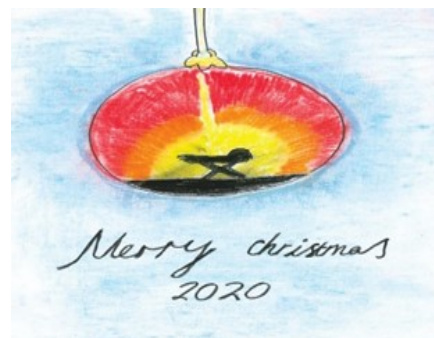




Lichfield Diocesan Board of Education Christmas Card Design:

We're looking for someone to design this year's LDBE digital Christmas card. The winning design could become our official Christmas card for 2021. Using any of the following mediums: Paint, crayon, pencil, digital media or charcoal. Be creative and let your imagination run free. **However the design is created, please submit your entry digitally.**

To enter a design it must be A5 in size and has a theme of Christmas Joy, please send your entries to education@lichfield.anglican.org by Friday 12th November 2021 (Not by post please).



Queen's Jubilee

Following the announcement made in the last few weeks confirming that, as an additional bank holiday has been agreed on Friday 3rd June 2022 and as Telford and Wrekin schools are already on summer half-term break on this day, that the additional one day holiday will therefore be taken elsewhere.

This is because the Department for Education have agreed that school staff should not miss out, and have instead reduced the school year to allow school staff to benefit.

To keep disruption to a minimum, the regional group of Local Authorities, including Telford and Wrekin, who meet to discuss and confirm term dates and school holiday arrangements, suggest this additional day is taken at the end of the summer term 2022. Therefore, our school will close for the summer break on Thursday 21st July 2022.

Our school terms and holidays calendar for 2021-2022 can be found by clicking this link:

<https://twc-cms3.azurewebsites.net/media/5315/calendar-2021-2022.pdf>

If you would prefer a paper copy, please ask at the school office. Thank you.

Netball fun!

On Thursday afternoon, we went to Telford Langley School for a netball event. We had some training and played some matches against St Matthews, John Fletcher and Lawley Primary School. We had lots of fun and improved so much during the afternoon! After lots of shots, Isla scored an amazing goal too! We can't wait to teach our classes how to play netball now!

By Isla, Carinne, Jess, Layan, Daisy, Alice, Eleanor, Phoebe, Ellie-May and Ella S (Year 6)





Fun at the Football Tournament!

On Wednesday, the Year 5/6 Football Team played in a tournament against four other schools at Telford College. We played really well and won 2 of our matches, but also lost 2. We beat St Lukes School 6-0 and Shortwood 3-1 with some cracking goals from Sam, Luca, Charlie, Kailan and Ethan.

Unfortunately, we lost 1-0 against Lightmoor and 2-1 against Hollinswood, but played really well. These results meant we came third in our group out of 5. We were all really proud of ourselves and had a great afternoon!



By Riley L and Sam V 6S



COVID 19

The main symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are:

- a **high temperature** – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a **new, continuous cough** – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a **loss or change to your sense of smell or taste** – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal
- a **headache or stomach-ache particularly in children**

Please remember to not send your child into school if they are experiencing any of these symptoms and book a PCR test.

We thank you for your support with this.



MFL Day!

On MFL day we came dressed in red, white and blue to symbolise the French flag. We also had a special French lunch which includes boulangerie potatoes and this gave us the chance to try new international foods, it was so delicious! In year 6, we learnt about French towns and how to say and write places and actions in French, as well as prepositions and numbers.



We had loads of fun today and can't wait for the next MFL day!

By Ellie-May, Emma and Ella S (6S)

