



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

'Love, Laugh and Learn'

This Half Terms Value — Perseverance

Friday 18th February 2022

This has been a very busy term with all children and staff having worked incredibly hard and making some fantastic achievements. It has been lovely to share work with the children and see the pride that they are taking in their achievements and hard work. Please check our Twitter feed which is available through the website where we are sharing the children's achievements. I am pleased to announce that we only have 2 COVID cases in school at the moment and it almost seems like there is some light at the end of the tunnel. Classes will be starting to go on trips again after half term and having the opportunity to visit museums and galleries to support their learning in school.

I hope that you all have a lovely and safe half term

Food Policy

We would like to thank parents for their positive support and feedback regarding our proposed Food Policy. As a school we have been identified by the Health and Well Being Team at Telford and Wrekin Council as having a higher-than-average proportion of children who are above the expected weight for their age. As a result of this we now have to participate in an initiative that helps educate our children about food choices and encourages both children and parents to make healthier choices. This initiative has included sugar workshops for the children, staff training, a new model policy regarding food and the opportunity for parents to be involved in cooking workshops with their children next half term. We value the well being of our children and understand the impact of too much sugar in a child's diet. As a parent I understand that it is difficult to make changes in food choices especially when your child, like mine, is obsessed with chicken nuggets. However, all we are asking is that you try to make some small changes and introduce a wider variety of fruit and vegetables into your children's diets. This change could be as simple as having a chocolate covered biscuit such as a Kit Kat instead of a dairy milk bar. We recognise that these changes will be gradual and are not expecting an immediate overhaul of your child's lunch box. If you have any concerns or queries regarding this, please do not hesitate to contact myself or Mrs Brindley-Jones who is overseeing the initiative.

Dates for your Diary

Fri 18th Feb 2022

Break-up for half term

Fri 18th Feb 2022

Cricket Day for whole school

Mon 28th Feb

Return to school for everyone

Fri 4th March

World Book Day

Tues 8th March

International Women's Day

Week comm 9th May 2022

SATs Year 6

Stars of the week

3G	Patrick T	4W	Logan W	6J	Lois C
3H	Vinnie L	5C	Ethan C	6S	Mia P-M
3/4L	Luca N	5H	Miley M		
4B	Harmony-Lilly T	5/6BD	Noah W & Ellie-Mai S		



Headteacher's Award:

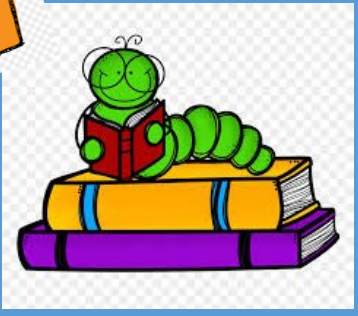
Max W & Ethan S

Well done to you all for your awards, you are all AMAZING!



Book Buddies!

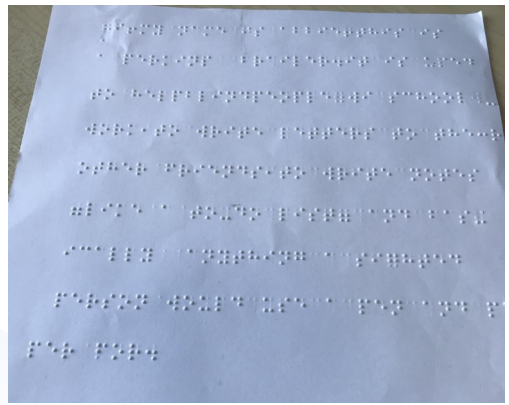
Our book group of reading lovers met an amazing author last week called Emma Cooper, who is a great friend of our school! She chatted to the children about how she started writing, her favourite books and how much she loves reading! We all really enjoyed meeting her and were very inspired by her passion for books! Thank you Emma!



Braille Machine

Hi, my name is A... This is a Perkins Brailier which I bought into school from home to show everyone. It was used by a lady a long time ago. It is used to help blind people with school work to write letters to their other blind friends. They could write notes (like a to do list) and basically anything a sighted person would use a pen and paper for. I have used the brailier to write this letter.

By AN 5C





Kwik Cricket Superstars!

On Thursday, a sporty bunch of year 6s went to Telford Tennis Centre to take part in a kwik cricket tournament against a range of other local schools. They had a fantastic day with Mrs Landa and won 6 out of 7 matches, coming 3rd overall out of more than 10 schools! Well done, we are so proud of you all!



Fun & Quiet Times at Wraparound Care

The children had great fun at wraparound care this week taking part in gymnastics and a game of Headbandz.

There is also a reflection area where the children can go for a little quiet time and reflection.

If your child would like to attend our wraparound care sessions, bookings form with all the details can be found in reception or on our school website:

<https://www.wrockwardinewoodjunior.org.uk/>



Pastoral Care

Have you visited our pastoral section on our school website yet? Did you know that we have a comprehensive selection of material to support emotional needs and signposting to services for emotional well-being such as BEAM and PODS?

Follow the below link to have a browse around. Thank you, Miss Ashley

[Pastoral | Wrockwardine Wood Church of England Junior School \(wrockwardinewoodjunior.org.uk\)](http://www.wrockwardinewoodjunior.org.uk/pastoral)



We believe in creating resilient young people who:

- Seek help when they need it
- Cope with stress effectively
- Have good problem-solving skills
- Are able to manage their feelings in all aspects of their lives



Cricket Day!

We have all really enjoyed our cricket day today! We had professional coaching from a cricket coach who taught us lots of skills and techniques. Well done everyone!



Thank you to Cricket Shropshire.
@cricketshropshire



World Book Day—Friday 4th March

2022

We will be celebrating world book day on Friday 4th March and the children will be asked to dress up as a book character and bring in their favourite book from home.



There is no need to buy an expensive outfit for your child to wear—most of the best costumes are created from your imagination!

PE Kit Days Spring Term (second half)

Please could your child come to school wearing their school PE kit (plain white T-shirt, school jumper, plain black or grey shorts or jogging bottoms and trainers) on the following days:

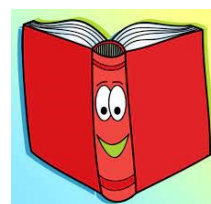
Year	Indoor PE	Outdoor PE
3	Tuesday	Wednesday
4	Monday	Thursday
3/4	Thursday	Monday
5	Friday	Tuesday
6	Wednesday	Friday
5/6	Thursday	Monday

This starts on the first day back after the half term.

Book Review!

I'm really enjoying this book! There's a mission and all sorts of wacky stuff which makes me laugh! I would really recommend it to anyone who likes an entertaining book which is easy to read but also has some great vocabulary in it. I'd give it 5 stars out of 5!

By TT, Year 6





February half term programme 2022

Welcome to our first school holiday activity brochure of 2022. We are delighted to share with you yet another fun-filled week of activities by Telford & Wrekin Council Leisure.

February marks the Olympic Winter Games 2022 so firstly a huge good luck to Team GB who are competing in Beijing this month.

But you too can get involved in some winter sports right here in Telford and Wrekin at two great local facilities, Telford Ice Rink and the Ski and Snow Centre in Madley. Fun-Fact: Did you know Telford's Snowboard and Ski Centre has been around for over 40 years! This facility offers families the perfect setting to learn a new winter sport in a fun and safe environment.

Whatever the weather this February thanks to our Kids4£1 programme there is plenty to keep you busy - indoors and out.

In this brochure you can find out more about what's happening across all of our leisure facilities between Monday 21st to Sunday 27th February.

Have a great half term!



Councillor
Shaun Davies
Leasden, Telford & Wrekin Council



Councillor
Kelly Middleton
Telford & Wrekin Council

Find out how we are keeping everyone safe in all of our centres.

COVID SAFE INFO HERE

BOOK ONLINE www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk



February Half Term Holiday Activities
Monday 21 to Sunday 27 February 2022

KIDS FOR A £1

tw LEISURE RICOH Leisure Centre

Swim4Life Crash Courses

All courses are 5x30 minute classes

PRICES:
No TLC - £21.00, Anyw TLC - £24.00
Concession - £20.00, Non Resident Free Card - £28.00

Centre	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Abraham Darby Sports & Leisure Centre			8.30-9am Under 10s class		
Oakengates Leisure Centre			9-9.30am Stage 1-2 class		
Wellington Civic & Leisure Centre			8.30-9am Under 10s class		
			9-9.30am Stage 1-2 class		
			9-9.30am Under 10s class		
			8.30-9am Stage 1&2 class		

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ICE RINK

GET YOUR SKATES ON!



BOOK ONLINE HERE
OR CALL 01952 382670

CRASH COURSE PRICES

ADULT CRASH COURSE
TLC Resident - £27.50, TLC Non Resident - £41.00
TLC Concession - £21.00, No Card - £45.00

JUNIOR CRASH COURSE
TLC Resident - £20.00, TLC Non Resident - £28.00
TLC Concession - £22.75, No Card - £31.00

Skate4Life

MONDAY 21 - FRIDAY 25 FEBRUARY
10AM - 10.30AM

CRASH COURSES

SKATE UK
3 x 30MIN GROUP LESSONS

BEGINNERS STAGE
1-2 IMPROVE YOUR SKATING SKILLS
3-3 EDGE & TURN SKILLS

LEVEL 3
EDGE CLINIC
EXPLANATION OF WHAT THE EDGES ARE
EXERCISE AND IMPROVE FORWARD AND BACKWARDS INSIDE AND OUTSIDE EDGES
FORWARDS AND BACKWARDS CHASSES
FORWARDS AND BACKWARDS CROSSOVERS
FORWARDS CROSS ROLLS

LEVEL 3-4
TURN CLINIC
LEARN AND IMPROVE TURNING SKILLS
EXECUTE AND IMPROVE FORWARD AND BACKWARDS INSIDE THESE TURNS
OPEN AND CLOSED MOHAWKS
BACKWARDS TO FORWARDS AND WILL BE INTRODUCED TO TWIZZLES

BOOK ONLINE www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk

Here are some fun activities your children might like to enjoy over the half term break! Lots of them are only £1 each - book online at www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk Happy half term all!

Holiday K4£1 Activity Programme

MONDAY 21 - SUNDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2022

Centre	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wellington Civic & Leisure Centre		1.30-2.30pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.30-2.30pm Fun & Fiesta**		1.30-2.30pm Fun & Fiesta**
Oakengates Leisure Centre	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**
Abraham Darby Sports and Leisure Centre	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**	1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**		1.2pm Fun & Fiesta**
Horseshay Village Golf Centre	2-3pm Driving Range*				
Telford Snowboard and Ski Centre	12.30-1pm Tobogganing** 3-10yrs old	12.30-1pm Tobogganing** 3-10yrs old	12.30-1pm Tobogganing** 3-10yrs old	12.30-1pm Tobogganing** 3-10yrs old	12.30-1pm Tobogganing** 3-10yrs old
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Telford Tennis Centre	2.30-3.30pm Tennis Swivel				

BOOK ONLINE www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk

Leisure Holiday Clubs

Abraham Darby Sports and Leisure Centre and Oakengates Leisure Centre

Monday 21 - Friday 25 February
8.45am - 12pm

Coaching lessons available
For adults and juniors

BOOK ONLINE HERE

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SWIMMING SESSIONS

THREE POOLS
find a session to suit you

VIEW TIMES HERE

WANT TO LEARN TO SKI?

SNOWBOARD SKI CENTRE

FAMILY SKI SCHOOL JUNIOR SKIING LESSONS (1hr)
FROM FROM £5

ADULT £15.75 JUNIOR £10.45

MONDAY - FRIDAY
3-4PM - FAMILY SKI SCHOOL
ALL ABILITIES - 6YRS +

BOOK ONLINE HERE

FOOTGOLF

at Horseshay Village Golf Centre

BOOK ONLINE HERE

BOOK ONLINE www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk

DISC GOLF & Adventure Golf

NOW OPEN at Telford Town Park

Great for families

Family ticket £15.40

FIND OUT MORE HERE