



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

'Love, Laugh and Learn'

This Half Terms Value — Courage

Friday 5th July 2024

Whole School Transition Day

On Tuesday we had our whole school move up day. The year 2 children spent the whole day with us; having lunch in the hall and learning all about their new classroom teachers and the school. Nala, our school dog, went to visit them and lots of them got to stroke her. They all sat beautifully, 'Nala ready' calm and patient. Well done new year 3s! They are all very excited about her visiting lots more in September. The rest of the school were incredibly mature and enjoyed spending time in their new classrooms getting things ready for September and their new adventure.



Dates for your Diary

Tue 9th July

Year 6 Leaver's Performance—2pm and 5pm see letter

Wed 17th July

Year 6 Leavers' Prom Disco 5pm-6:30pm info to follow

Thur 18th July

Year 6 Graduation 10am in school—all welcome

Fri 19th July

Children break up normal time and

Mon 2nd Sept

PD Day—staff only in school



Tues 3rd Sept

Start of term. Normal time and normal uniform.

Lego Competition

Today we came to AFC Telford, we were welcomed by Capgemini staff and registered. We set up our Lego builds and then played a huge game of Simon says with all the other schools. After that, we showed the judges our builds and coding - they were really impressed! We also had a go on the virtual reality headsets which was really cool... However, we felt a bit strange when we had finished. We spent the rest of the day doing some really fun activities with the Capgemini staff.



Achievement Award	TA Award	Star of the Week		Headteacher Award
Delilah E	Sky R-E	Ronnie E	5B	Rueben H
Maisey B		Febe S	5H	
Katie S		Abbah D	5/6S	
Shammah D		Ellie-Mae J	6J	
Ollie B		Everyone in 6S	6S	
Amber N				



Holiday Activities and Food for Telford Families.

Happy Healthy Active Holidays runs holiday clubs during the Easter, Summer and Christmas school holidays. There are funded spaces available to children in reception through to year 11 who receive benefit-related free school meals.

It won't cost anything to attend. Each club will have a range of fun activities such as sports, cooking, dance, music, arts and crafts, and a nutritious meal each day. Bookings are now open for Summer 2024 holiday clubs. To make a booking, you will first need to register. Once you have registered you will be notified when your eligibility has been confirmed and you will be able to go ahead and book activities taking place from 22 July to 1 September 2024. **To register please go to the following website:**

<https://hhah.telford.gov.uk/>



The Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School "Living life in all its fullness" challenge.

This week's challenge is to:

Visit the park

We would love to see your photos please email them to: a3129@telford.gov.uk or DoJo to your class teacher.



Attendance

Our whole school attendance for this week is up a little on last week at 93.3% - Thank you for supporting us in this final push to the end of term.

4C continue to hold the lead position in lower school with an impressive 99% and in upper school 6S are shooting to the top with a good 96%.

Again, a big thank you to all of you for getting your children to school every day despite all the daily struggles that come our way.

We really do appreciate you.



Active Families!

Stickman



What you need: A pen and piece of paper, one player, one person to choose the words.

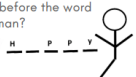
How to play:

- One person (the word master) chooses a word and draws lines on the paper, one for each letter.
- The player guesses a letter that could be in the word. If they are correct, the word master writes the letter on the correct line.
- If the named letter is not in the word, the word master draws part of a stickman and the player must complete 10 of one of the below exercises.

star jumps / hops / sit ups / jumping twists / press ups

- Can the player guess the word before the word master draws a complete stickman?

NB. stickman to include head, body, two arms and two legs



www.getset4education.co.uk

Moving On

Year 6 had a lovely session with Reverend Lisa on Thursday morning to celebrate moving up to secondary school. We discussed our feelings about moving on and we had a tie competition where we had to see who was the first person to tie a tie properly – Mrs Daily won! She also presented us with some lovely booklets with useful advice, information and puzzles all to do with leaving junior school. Thank you Reverend Lisa! By Alex and Charlie



Sports Clubs Information!

Mrs Slow would like to create a directory of local sports clubs so parents are aware of different clubs in our area that are available to attend. She wondered if you could please send the details below of any sports clubs your child attends (out of school) that others could join, so she can create a page for the newsletter! Please could you send responses to:

Kerry.slow@taw.org.uk

Name of Club:

Sport:

Age suitable for:

Day and time:

Location:

Price:

Private School Funds

Our school fund accounts for the financial year 2023-2024 have been independently audited and a copy can be viewed via the school office should you wish to.





Don't forget we break up a week on Friday! Please remind your children to bring everything home with them as we will have a big clear out in the holidays.

Where's Nala? 🐾

Unfortunately no one entered the Where's Nala competition last week so the office staff have eaten the chocolate! She was hiding in the attendance section.

IMPORTANT REMINDER

Reminder that the booking in system for breakfast and after school club will be different in September and children **MUST** be booked in via ParentPay. Please see recent letter sent via email.

Sporting Achievements

We have lots of sporting achievements to celebrate this week. The first is that the NC United under 10's won the Nova Football Tournament. The pupils in the team from our school were NM, LN and TH. Well done all of you it looks like you enjoyed the mud!

The second is that TH has now signed his first contract with Telford United. T only started playing in Goal for NC United just over a year ago and has been asked to sign for Telford United under 10's team this year. What a wonderful achievement well done T!



School Games Mark

We are delighted to announce that we, Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School, have achieved the School Games Gold Mark Award for the 2023/24 academic year. The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success. Our sporting achievements this year include: winning the sports ability athletics competition, all of our pupils improving their general fitness through weekly use of our school track, being more active at lunchtimes with eh sports leaders and our school football team winning their round in the football tournament. With a total of young people competing in local inter-school competitions this year, we are extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of school sport, including those young volunteers, leaders and officials who made our competitions possible. As part of our application, we were asked to fulfil criteria in the areas of participation, competition, workforce and clubs, and we are pleased that the hard work of everyone at our school has been rewarded this year. A special thanks to Mrs Slow who has organised and facilitated all of the sporting activities this year.





SUMMER SOCCER SCHOOLS

Telford Soccer Schools

Venue: Telford College, Haybridge Road, Wellington, Telford, TF1 2NP	Holy Trinity Academy, Teece Drive, Priorslee, Telford, TF2 9SQ
Dates: - 22 nd to 26 th July 2024 - 5 th to 9 th August 2024 - 19 th to 23 rd August 2024	- 1 st to 2 nd August 2024 - 15 th to 16 th August 2024
Times: 9:00am - 3:00pm	9:00am - 3:00pm
Ages: School Years 1 to 7	School Years 1 to 7
Cost: From £45	From £45

To book, visit coaching.wolves.co.uk or email footballdevelopment@wolves.co.uk for more information



10 INTERNET SAFETY TIPS FOR PARENTS

1 Don't block all access to technology. Help your child learn to use tech **safely** and **positively**.

2 Take an **interest** in your child's favourite apps or sites. Co-view or co-create at times.

3 Be the parent. You're in charge. Set **boundaries** and consider using filtering software.

4 Create a family media **agreement** with tech free zones such as cars, bedrooms, and meals.

5 Teach your child what **personal information** they should not reveal online (YAPPY acronym).

6 Help your child learn to **filter** information online and navigate fact from fiction.

7 Navigate digital **dilemmas** with your child. Avoid using devices as rewards or punishments.

8 **Balance** green time and screen time at home. Focus on basic developmental needs.

9 Don't support your child to sign up for sites with **age restrictions** (e.g. 13+) if they're underage.

10 **Learn more:** Explore reliable resources for parents so you can educate yourself.



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Learn2ride with Telford Bike Hub

Learning to ride is an essential life skill but sometimes we need a little help. Telford Bike Hub offers support for both adults and children (aged 4+) in group or 1-2-1 sessions.

Each session is one hour and costs:

1-2-1 £25 per hour

Group sessions (up to eight people per group) **£10 per hour**

On average it takes three sessions to get pedalling but everyone is different.

For more information email thebikehub@telford.gov.uk or call **01952 380413**

To book an available group session visit www.ticketstelford.com and search **Telford Bike Hub**