



e-news @ Leigh & Bransford

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*****It's Newsletter Monday; for this week only are we making a guest appearance on a Monday*****

Mr Bill, Bike storage - When supervising your children before they start school in the morning, please ensure that they do not touch other children's bikes or scooters. We have had complaints about this happening in the past and it is putting some families off from cycling to school.

Mr Bill, Pick up car park - Please remember to pick up and go as fast as possible because the car park is operating at maximum capacity - remember that your space will be used by others as soon as you leave it. Please also stick to your agreed pick-up slot as the system only works if everyone adheres to the staggers. Finally, thanks to those of you who very conscientiously avoid the car park if it is very busy or go round again to stop queuing on to the main road.

Goodbye and good luck – Mrs Milton is moving away from the area and so she will be leaving us in July. We thank her for everything she has done and wish her well for the future.

Summer Sun – Safe to say it is finally BOILING! Please ensure your child comes to school armed with suncream (pre-applied) and a sun hat. Both of these items need to be labelled. Thank you!

Leavers & Class photographs – Thank you all, these have now been done for another year, we will be in touch as soon as we have some proofs.

Year 5 Taster Day – This is on **Friday 2nd July**, The Chase are asking for drop off between 9.15am and 9.30am and collection between 2.15pm and 2.30pm. After half term we will be allocated a drop off and pick up point for you guys. We will pass this information on as soon as we have it. Please let the office know if your child is going so we can look out for them on arrival.

Year 6 Trip – That is a wrap for another year, we hope our leavers enjoyed themselves.

Severn Arts Music Award - Music lessons are a great way to build confidence, social networks and musical talent, but we know that not all families can afford the full costs. From now, families can apply for a 'Severn Arts Music Award' to be used from September 2021. This will provide £50 off the cost of music lessons each term for one year, free instrument hire (depending on instrument type) and free ensemble membership. Parents/carers can apply for a Music Award in the following circumstances:

- Your child is eligible for Free School Meals
- Your child is looked after (LAC) or previously looked after (PLAC), or
- Your family is in receipt of universal credit, incapacity benefit or pension credit

Only one application per child can be made and, due to limited funds, Awards will be granted on a first come first served basis. If you think you may be eligible for an Award through the Severn Arts scheme and you would like to apply, please complete the [Application for Severn Arts Music Award](#). Applications for Awards should be made by **7 June 2021** and you (and the school your child attends) will be told whether you will receive an Award on **23 June 2021**.

Schooltogs – The outlet in Malvern has now closed down, you may access our school wear now at the Worcester branch. Kitz UK is situated in Malvern and can also provide school wear. Please google *Monkhouse*, *parentguide* for more information.

Dates for your Diary

End of Summer Term – Wednesday 21st July 2021

Autumn term – Monday 6th September 2021– Friday 17th December 2021

Autumn mid-term - Friday 22nd October 2021 – Monday 1st November 2021

Christmas Holiday – Friday 17th December 2021 – Wednesday 5th January 2022

Spring term – Wednesday 5th January 2022 – Friday 8th April 2022

Spring mid-term – Friday 18th February 2022 - Tuesday 1st March 2022

Easter – Friday 8th April 2022 – Monday 25th April 2022

Summer Term – Monday 25th April 2022 – Friday 22nd July 2022

Summer mid-term – Friday 27th May 2022 – Monday 6th June 2022

*****Bank Holidays*****

Good Friday - Friday 15th April 2022

Easter Monday – Monday 18th April 2022

May Day Bank Holiday – Monday 2nd May 2022

Whitsun Bank Holiday – Thursday 2nd June 2022

Platinum Jubilee Holiday – Friday 3rd June 2022

Celebrating our Successes and Achievements

Class 1

Sam, Eva and Zach - Amazing effort in writing using a range of punctuation.

Toby - A fantastic effort and improvement in all subjects.

Robyn - Super problem solving in maths.

Alfie - Amazing effort story writing.

Lainey - Super work in phonics.

Class 2

Edey - For all the extra writing practise she is doing!

Jamie - For excellent maths knowledge and discussions.

Timmy - For excellent progress in reading and writing.

Scarlett - For being an excellent teaching assistant at times in Class 2.

Class 3

Oliver and Harriet - For excellent work on direct speech in Literacy.

Class 4

Jenson and Pippa - For demonstrating great team building and cooperating skills in PE.

Alana and Ava - For taking a greater pride in their presentation. Well done and keep it up!

George - For demonstrating great general knowledge about countries.

Class 6

Whole Class Merit - Fantastic effort, bravery and behaviour from all pupils whilst on our trip to Lakeside.