## The Friday Post

Friday, 23 June 2023







#### PE KIT

Next week is Sports Week. Please see the separate letter about this.

#### **A**BSENCE

Please let the office know (via phone, email or website) if your child is off school for illness.

For appointments during the school day (doctor, dentist, hospital etc) please ask the reception for an appointment card and hand this in to the office. Alternatively, a copy of the appointment letter (we can photocopy for you).

It would be most beneficial if appointments could be avoided during school hours as the children often miss important teaching points or activities.

#### **MESSAGING**

Office hours are from 8.30 - 3.30.

Urgent messages outside these hours (from 7.45am and until 6pm) should be phoned through please.

#### **DIARY DATES**

Mon 26<sup>th</sup>/Tues 27<sup>th</sup> - Mary Webb transition days Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June - Sports Day (1pm) Thursday 29th June - Y6 climbing Friday 30th June - Y6 canoeing Mon 3<sup>rd</sup>/Tues 4<sup>th</sup> July - Thomas Adams, Meole Brace and Corbet transition days Tuesday 4th July - Transition day for N-Y5 Wed 5<sup>th</sup> / Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> July - Y6 Bikeability Friday 14th July - Leavers' Service - 2pm in church Lots of dates are also on the events pages on the website - follow from the Home page, not class

#### CONTACT DETAILS

If you change your contact details for any reason, especially phone number or address, please let the office know.

#### **M**ENU

Next Week: Week TWO

pages.

Please make sure your catering purse is regularly topped up.

#### Dogs

Please keep dogs on leads and under close control when walking up to, and waiting outside, school. We have had incidents of dog mess in school too! Thanks.



#### PARKING

Please remember to park safely and considerately. The yellow zig zags are painted on the road to keep children safe by allowing drivers to clearly see pedestrians. Thankyou.

The zig zags by the church are particularly tricky as they are on a blind corner. Please do not park on these as the view is restricted round the corner. Thankyou

#### SUMMER FETE

FOCS are in the planning stages for the summer fete on 8th July. This can only happen, though, if they have volunteers to help out on the day and before/after the event (planning/setting up/clearing away). It is always a great social event as well as fundraiser so please offer your help by completing the form: https://forms.gle/1o1gjFq1L4goQ8Z97

#### STAR PUPILS

Well done Red Squirrels! They have done some amazing artwork this week. Have a look on our Facebook page for some great examples.



#### WRAP AROUND CARE

It is essential that children are booked in to Breakfast Club or After School Club. Links to booking forms are on the website. Even more essential is booking for tea at ASC being completed before the Friday of the preceding week. If not, we cannot guarantee that there will be enough cooked tea so will offer sandwiches instead.

You should have received proof copies of photographs earlier in the week. All

ordering and

# PHOTOGRAPHY

payments must be completed online using the details on the proof car. The cut-off date for free delivery is Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Orders received after this date will be subject to an additional postage charge. You should be able to see group photos when you login to your child's individual photo. Let the office know if this is not the case.

#### Squid

If you need a refund from Squid (for example if you have mistakenly paid into the trips and offers rather than catering purse, or you need a refund from the catering purse) you should be able to organise one by logging into the <u>website version</u> of Squid (using the same details as the App). There is now a function to request a refund.

#### **ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE**

An amazing £1600 has been raised by FOCS through the Enterprise Challenge. Well done to everyone who has helped with this. We are looking to buy benches for the playground and garden amongst other things.



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#### EARLY HELP

Being a parent can be very rewarding and enjoyable. It can also be worrying, frustrating and exhausting. There may be times when you feel that you need some extra help and support to be able to manage the



challenges that many parents face.

These may be challenges that come from a sudden upheaval, ongoing change or just from everyday family life. They could then impact on the whole family or on individual family members, and place stress on relationships within the family.

In Shropshire we give parents the support and guidance they need to be able to meet the needs of their children, through offering parents early solutions to challenges that arise.

These early solutions could be through services which are available to all parents, or it could be that services will be offered through more targeted support. In the first instance you can contact the Family

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If you want to talk about your concerns you can call 03456 789 021.



Hello from the **Family Information Service** (FIS for short).

Our job is to give you the info and resources you need to

help your family life run a little smoother. We can help with:

- Childcare finding it and advice on paying for it
- Local baby and toddler groups
- Events, clubs, activities, and fun things to do in the school holidays, for all ages
- Getting parenting and family support



www.shropshire.gov.uk/fis

Finding health and wellbeing support

We cover everything and anything to do with family life, so if you have a question, chances are we'll be able to help, or if we can't, we'll point you in the direction of someone who can.

Follow us on social media for all the latest news and info.



Lots of information and support for children and young people with SEND and their families, including:

- Education
- Health and wellbeing
- Family support
- Family suppor
   Social care
- Preparing for adulthood
- Early help
- Things to do
- Education, health and care plan (EHCP)
- Travel and transport
- Financial support

local.offer@shropshire.gov.uk 0345 678 9063 www.shropshire.gov.uk/the-send-local-offer/



If you need help accessing the Local Offer please speak to your school or local library.



#### Support for parent carers of children with SEND -Shropshire's Local Offer

Having access to good quality information to help you understand the world of SEND is important when making decisions about your child's life. This is where websites such as the <u>Shropshire's SEND Local Offer</u> can help you.