

Head Teachers Note:

Dear All,

As I write this newsletter we are looking forward to seeing lots of Mums/Grandmothers at our 'Mothers Day' Afternoon Tea'. We are overwhelmed by the response with us expecting 144 adults this afternoon and the children are very excited. As you can imagine, Vicky and the kitchen staff have been working very hard to meet demand and I would like to thank them all for their efforts! Here's to a good afternoon!

Some of the children have brought in £1 today to purchase a gift for Mothers' Day. You will know that we asked for donations of unwanted gifts etc. for this purpose. Thank you to all of you who contributed some lovely things. Unfortunately we did not receive enough for all children bringing in £1 to choose from. Therefore we purchased our own gifts and will use your donations either for the Easter raffle or for the Summer Fair we will be holding in July. We hope this meets with your approval. I'd like to thank Vicky, Pat Summers and Mandy Bowden who have wrapped and sold all of the Mothers' Day gifts.

Julie Bratt

This Week's Class Heroes:

There are no class hero for this week.

Reception Rangers:

Shooting Stars:

Racing Rockets:

Skyflyers:

Incredibles:

Explorers:

Red Arrows:



This Week's Attendance:

Reception Rangers (1A):	97.9%
Reception Rangers (1B):	89.3%
Shooting Stars:	96.2%
Racing Rockets:	90.0%
Skyflyers:	98.2%
Incredibles:	95.2%
Explorers:	98.4%
Red Arrows:	98.3%



This Week's Star Readers:

Reception Rangers: Alfie, Milo;
Shooting Stars: Darcy; Racing
Rockets: Thomas; Skyflyers: Toby;
Incredibles: Finn M; Explorers: Chloe



This Week's Star Writers:

Reception Rangers: Annabelle,
Freddie; Shooting Stars: Harry;
Racing Rockets: Tyler; Skyflyers:
Chloe; Incredibles: Joshua ;
Explorers: Ella

Dates for your diary



Tuesday 2nd April:
West Midlands Safari Park
(Shooting Stars & Racing
Rockets).

Friday 5th April:
Non-uniform day - in
exchange for a chocolate egg.

Tuesday 9th April:
Attingham Park Trip
(Reception Rangers).

Wednesday 10th April:
Deadline for Easter Eggs (for
Decorating Egg Competition).

Thursday 11th April:
Easter Bingo (starts at
5.15pm in the KS2 Hall).

Friday 12th April:
Easter Bonnet Parade.

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Break up for Easter.

Monday 29th April:
Return to school



Meals cost £2.30 per day for children in Nursery and KS2 (Years 3 to 6). KS1 (Reception, Y1 & Y2) are free.

Menu w/c 1st April

Marvellous Monday

Crispy Chicken / Vegetable Biryani & Curry Sauce

Tasty Tuesday

Beef Grill & Onion Rings / Cheese Quorn Boats

Wicked Wednesday

Roast Chicken with Yorkshire Pudding / Quorn Fillet

Thrilling Thursday

Big Breakfast / Vegetarian Breakfast

Fruity Friday

Cheese & Tomato Pizza / Pasta Bolognese

Full details on school website



All clubs run from 3:20pm and until 4:30pm.

Monday

KS2 Football - £10 per half term

Football kit, shin pads and football boots required

KS2 Football Girls only - Free

Football kit, shin pads and football boots required

Tuesday

KS2 Multi Sports Training - Free

Indoor and Outdoor P.E Kit required

Wednesday

KS1 Multi Sports - £10 per half term

Note: 4:15pm finish

Indoor PE kit required

Friday

KS2 Orienteering Training - Free

Outdoor P.E kit required

If your child would like to join one of the clubs, please contact the school office.



Easter Bingo

This annual event takes place on Thursday 11th April at 5:15pm in KS2 hall. If you wish to attend please send your reply slip in by Friday 5th April so that we can assess numbers for catering and know how many bingo books to purchase. Thank you.



Parking

Can all parents/carers please ensure they do not park on the yellow zig zag lines or block our neighbours entrances. Please can you show consideration to the residents in Newhouse Lane when parking your cars.

Anti Social Behaviour

Parents should contact the police, by dialling 101, to inform of incidents of anti-social or undesirable behaviour. The skate park is not part of the school.



Decorate an Egg Competition

Last year the children had great fun decorating an egg at home and entering it into our competition and therefore we would love the children to take part once again. Eggs can be dipped, swirled, dyed using a hardboiled egg or even the shell of an egg. Let's give our eggs some personality and hopefully we will end up with some eggs-traordinary results!

Eggs need to be in school by Wednesday, 10th April ready and waiting to be judged on Friday, 12th April. Good luck. Prizes will be awarded to the winners.

Easter Bonnet Parade

The children are invited to take part in an Easter Bonnet Parade, which will take place on Friday, 12th April. We shall have a catwalk runway for the children to parade and there will be prizes for the best bonnets.

Shropshire Council - Local Bus Service Consultation

The Council's financial strategy for 2019/20 includes a budget reduction of £405,000 in public transport and £50,000 for Shrewsbury Park & Ride. To achieve these reductions a number of initiatives will have to be implemented and the attached consultation asks for views about these proposed changes. They want to hear from parents regarding this consultation. Send your thoughts by 6th May by email or letter to passtrans@shropshire.gov.uk or Public Transport Consultation, Passenger Transport Services, Shropshire Council, Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, SY2 6ND.



Captain Noah and his Floating Zoo

Come and sing this jazzy, humorous musical setting of the story of Noah's Ark, one of the jolliest of the light-hearted cantatas, with music by Joseph Horovitz and words by Michael Flanders. Adult singers are welcome to bring their children (age eight and older) to join in with them. No musical qualifications or experience are needed. You just enjoy the opportunity to have fun singing in a large group.

If you want to hear what Horovitz's work sounds like, you can find Captain Noah on YouTube. The version by Roeland van der Hoorn is probably the best to listen to, but some of the items are a little too quick.

There is scope for a percussion part and we do have a resident drum kit. Volunteers welcome.

The performance is intended to take place at 7pm on Saturday 22 June at St Mary Magdalene Church, Albrighton, if enough singers volunteer to take part. Attendance at some rehearsals would be necessary – enough for you to learn the songs - Said Missis Noah, "ten thousand buns, what do we need them for? Enough to feed an elephant!". "Enough for two", said Noah (typical Flanders words).

If you have any queries or would like to take part, please contact Gerald Leach, either at Mogul Diamonds bookshop or by telephone – 01902 372288 or e-mail – gerald@moguldiamonds.co.uk.

