

# The Mordiford Mail



13th October 2017

## **Harvest Festival**

Our celebrations began with a lovely Harvest Lunch, thank you Sally from the Fownhope kitchen, the soup and crumble were delicious. We then headed to church to take part in the Harvest Festival led beautifully by Lugg, Monnow and Arrow Classes. It was a joy to share the service with so many parents, grandparents, governors and friends. Thank you so much for the generous Harvest donations, we are very proud that we filled 4 wheelbarrows full of produce which we will be sending to the Hereford Food Bank.





## Stars of the week

Little Cup of Kindness: Eva Miss Finney's Star: Georgina

Lily: She always makes the right decisions, but does not show off that she is brilliant. Lily does the right thing, just because it is the right thing to do. Good girl.

Ellie-Grace: For thinking very carefully about her choice of letters and sounds used in her writing.
Fantastic effort!

Freya: For always trying her best and producing some lovely writing this week. Well done.

Dom: For producing some super work in Numeracy this week with Mrs Griffith. She was very pleased with the effort and thought he put into his symmetry work. Well/done Dom.

Ollie: For being a kind and good friend to everyone whilst being a wonderful addition to Teme Class this term. Well done!

Beatrice: For fantastic problem solving in maths and excellent grammatical knowledge during our sentence work.

Georgina: For being Pentaloe's "Queen of Grammar" and for striving with times tables.

## **Dragons Toddler Group**

Mondays 9.00am-11.00am
£2 per family

Come and join in the fun/

TERM TIME ONLY

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friend is what the heart needs all the time.

- Henry Van Dyke

Our Christian Value this term is Friendship.

#### INTERNATIONAL PROJECT

Mrs Broadbridge spent 3 days in Worcester this week with the teachers from our partner school to begin planning our international Erasmus project. Exciting details will follow soon.

# Lunch Time Supervisor Needed in School

Would you like to assist in the lunch hall for an hour each day during term times or know someone who would? The role would consist of helping the children to cut up their food, socialising, helping to create a pleasant eating atmosphere, clearing,

cleaning and laying tables for the second sitting and tidying the hall ready for the afternoon sessions. If you are interested please see the office staff.



# **New Member of Staff**

We are delighted to welcome Mr Joe Lewis to our team of Teaching Assistants. He will be working with Miss Glover in Year 4. Mr Lewis has previously worked at The Courtyard Theatre and in a large primary school. I am sure that his creative skills will be of great value. We are really pleased that Mrs Griffith is staying with us at Mordiford for a little while longer as she is going to cover whilst Mrs B is not able to work. We are very lucky to have such an excellent team of Teaching Assistants.

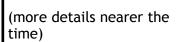
## **Weekly reminders**

- Don't forget our working party is on Saturday 14th October (tomorrow) 10.00am-12.00pm. We would be extremely grateful to anyone who is able to come along and give us a hand.
- Please ensure all lunch orders for the week commencing 30th October are booked by next Wednesday. Thank you for your co-operation.
- Next week is Fitness and Wellbeing Week at school, we have got sessions of Yoga, Philosophy, CrossFit, HIIT training, walking and much more. We will tell you all about it next week.
- Come and Taste our school lunches, Taster Session, Tuesday 18th at 2.45pm.
- Join us for Family Celebration Worship next Friday at 2.30pm.

#### **Books Galore**

We are really excited to have joined the Bookshelf Initiative, please see the flyer below for details.

These are the lovely books that we earned for our library after the Easter pop up event. Our next event is scheduled for Friday 8th December.







\* The £2 Book Shop \*



The Bookshelf Initiative

Help To Earn FREE Books for YOUR SCHOOL EVERY day!

YOUR SCHOOL will Get 1 FREE book for every 10 purchased

All you have to do is

buy books from The Children's Bookshelf

hand your receipt in to YOUR SCHOOL

Suite 3, Marshall Business Centre,
Faraday Road, Hereford,
HR4 9NS
Manager, Horsel

the2poundbookshop

OPENING HOURS Monday & Tuesday - Closed Wednesday 9-5pm - Thursday 9-5pm - Friday 9-5pm Saturday 10-4pm - Sunday 11-3pm

1000's of New Children's Books & Only £2 each

### **PTFA Rags2Riches**

The next Rag2Riches collection will be Wednesday 18th October

Help raise money for our school with unwanted clothing, bedding etc.

Last year Rags to Riches raised £464 for the school

#### Dates for your diary...

# Autumn Term 2017 Please note new dates in bold

Week beginning 16th October: Fitness and Wellbeing week

17th October: Taster Session of school lunches 2.45pm

8th October - PTFA Rags2Riches

19th October-Tempest Individual photo's

19th October - PTFA Spooky Disco

20th October-Break up for half term

23rd-27th October-Half Term

30th October-Back to school

3rd November-PTFA Firework & Bonfire Night

7th November-Parent's Meetings 1.30-6pm

9th November-Open Morning for prospective YR 2018

10th November-Pentaloe Class Worship

10th—12th November—Teme Class Malvern Outdoor Elements

15th November—PTFA meeting at school 2pm

22nd November-Arrow Class Worship

29th November-Nasal Flu Immunisation Years 1-4

30th November— 5.00pm Choir to Cathedral Carol Service

1st December—2.30pm Family Celebration Worship

#### 8th December-Pop Up Book Event

11th December—KS2 Carol Service 1.30pm at Holy Rood Church

12th December-KS1 Play 2.00pm, Holy Rood Church

12th December—KS2 Carol Service 6.00pm Holy Rood Church

13th December—KS1 Play 2.00pm, Holy Rood Church

14th December— Whole School Christmas trip to The Courtyard: Sleeping Beauty

End of Term: Friday 15th December

Spring Term begins:

Wednesday 3rd January 2018



Happy Birthday to...

Harry B & Isabelle

# What's Coming Up...

# **Mordiford Open Morning**

Prospective parents for September 2018 Reception Class intake, please join us...

**Thursday 9th November** 

9.30am-11.30am

Please contact the school office on 01432 870 258 to let us know you wish to attend.



