

The Mordiford Mail



7th July 2017

We have had an amazing week with trips including Year 5 going to the Cathedral, Year 6 going to Barry Island and loads of children going to the Hereford School Games. Everyone is putting in a hand to make the Year 6's last few weeks amazing. The final leavers play is really coming together nicely with KS2 putting a great effort into making it brilliant! A

nice thing to see is that the thankyou ticket draw is amazingly full which means that everyone is trying their hardest in the countdown to a fresh new year and a relaxing holiday. I have had the lucky opportunity to be the head teacher for the day and have learnt all about trying to get a job and how to work in a school.

Theo Kitchener.



Our Value of the month is Thankfulness



"Gratitude makes sense of our past, brings peace for today, and creates a vision for tomorrow."

- Melody Beattie

Pentaloe's Surprise Barry Island Trip

Pentaloe Class had an amazing time at the beach yesterday and luckily the weather stayed hot and sunny for us. They played games on the beach, had a paddle and then shared a picnic lunch. It was a lovely final trip for Year 6 as their

final trip for Year 6 as their time in primary school comes towards an end. Thank you to all the parents for keeping it a surprise for the children!



Well Done

Miss Finney's Star of the week: Olivia

Thank you ticket: James W & Oliver R

House Points: Haugh

The names in the golden book last week were:

Lugg: Alice, Josh, Levi, Monty & Alex Monnow: Megan & Freya

Arrow: Austin & Verona Wye: Sianna, Ned, Honor & Nia

Teme: Kitty & Poppy
Frome: Theo & Georgina
Pentaloe: Robert & Charlie
Well done to all our winners.

Frome Class—Tudors

Frome Class experienced more than they had bargained for during their Tudor trip to the Cathedral on Wednesday. As well as Tudor tours and the chance to play Tudor games the children met King Henry VIII, a Bishop and a poor beggar from Tudor times. The staff at the cathedral were incredibly impressed by the children's behaviour and historical knowledge.







Weekly reminders

- This week was the last week of clubs. There will be no more clubs until the new academic year.
- Next Monday is the last swimming lesson for Years 3 & 5.
- Mr Foster would like to say thank you to all who have sponsored him for his 100km run on Saturday. There is still time to give a donation via his Just Giving web page (https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/ Richard-Foster17) or there is a sponsorship form in the office.
- A few items were found after the Summer Party last Friday including a baby's quilt, a F&F hoodie, a H&M hoodie and a green atmosphere jacket. If any of these items are yours please collect them from the school office.
- Well done to all of the children who took part in the Hereford School Games on Wednesday.

In our Prayers...

Dear Lord,

Thanks is a way of telling someone you appreciate what they have done,

Let us all be thankful to Mordiford school and say a thankyou to all the people who help us on this path.

Amen.

By Theo Kitchener

Helping keep your child safe online

Help your child think about who sees what they share, and compare it to what they would be happy to share offline. Use examples that are easy to understand: "You wouldn't give your phone number to a stranger on the street. Is a stranger online any different?"

Explain how everything they share online—like usernames, images and comments—builds up a picture of who they are.

School Lunches

Just to remind you that <u>ALL</u> school lunches for the first week back, 5th-8th September, MUST BE BOOKED BY WEDNESDAY 19TH.

ANY ORDERS AFTER THIS DATE WILL NOT BE COUNT-ED AND YOUR CHILD WILL NOT RECEIVE A SCHOOL DINNER.

Happy Birthday this week to...

Poppy B & Ben S



SATS Results

A huge well done to all of our year 6 pupils who received their SATS results this week and all did fantastically! We are all very proud of you.



Dates for your diary...

Summer Term 2017 Please note new dates in bold

10th July-Last swim for Years 3 & 5

10th July—St Mary's Science Festival

11th July—PTFA after-school meeting (and film)

11th July—Arrow Class visit the Waterworks Museum

12th July-KS2 Summer Play 1.30pm

13th July-KS2 Summer Play 6.00pm

14th July-Lugg Class-Farm to Fork

17th July—Year 6 Leavers event at the Cathedral

17th July—Arrow Class—Bristol Aquarium

20th July— Year 6 Leavers Service at Holy Rood Church—Parents welcome

9.00—10 church, 10-11 school hall

21st July—Last day of term.

Autumn Term 2017

Tuesday 5th September—New school year begins

11th—15th September—Pentaloe Class at PGL

3rd—6th October—Pentaloe Bikeability Training

19th October—Tempest Individual photo's

20th October-Break up for half term

23rd-27th October-Half Term

30th October-Back to school