



# The Mordiford Mail



## Arrow Class Worship

This week Arrow Class presented their class assembly, encouraging us all to reflect on the significance of Father's Day.

The children shared their writing and poems celebrating the things that their fathers and male carers do for them and the contributions they make to their lives.

Well done Arrow Class for a thoughtful and professionally delivered Class Worship.

## Netball Tournament

The Years 5/6 netball team attended a tournament at Burley Gate Primary School on Thursday, where they played exceptionally well in the rain. They demonstrated a masterclass in attack, whilst their defence frustrated the opposition as they consistently intercepted the ball. Overall they came an amazing 2nd, losing only to the two time county champions. Well done!



NED's Mindset Mission is a positive behaviour assembly that is visiting the school later this month, during which a world-class performer will take our students on a 45 minute journey filled with storytelling, illusions, yo-yo tricks and humour.

NED's message and memorable friends inspire students, promote academic achievement and support our school goals. NED will become a positive role model at both school and at home.

**N**ever give up   **E**ncourage others   **D**o their best

## SPORTS DAY

TUESDAY 18TH JUNE is Sports Day, starting at 9am.

Can your child please wear a t-shirt in their house colours. All parents and supporters are welcome, however please park courteously so that sports day does not adversely affect local residents or hinder emergency vehicles.

Swillow: **YELLOW**

Timbridge: **GREEN**

Haugh: **BLUE**

Bearswood: **RED**

## Dates for your diary...

### Summer Term 2019

18th June—Sports Day

18th June—Rounders Tournament at Whitecross School

19th June—Y6 Crucial Crew Visit

20th June—YR ThinkTank Visit

20th June—Kwik Cricket Tournament at Hereford Cricket Club

20th June-Cricket and Rounders Tournament at Burley Gate Primary School

**25th June— Y6 transition workshop with Imagine for Schools**

26th June—Lugg Class Worship

26th June—Digital Leaders Conference at Three Counties

**27th June— Y6 high school transition day**

27th June—Rags To Riches Collection

**28th June— PTFA summer event after school**

**1st July—Last week of clubs**

3rd July—Monnow Class Worship

3rd July—Herefordshire Summer School Games at Herford Leisure Centre

4th July—Y4 Wider Opps Showcase

5th July—Y1 Bristol Zoo Visit

**8th July—Last swim session**

**9th July—summer play matinee**

**10th July—summer play evening**

10th July—Science Festival at St Mary's

11th July—Y4 & Y6 West Midland Safari Park Visit

12th July—Family Celebration Worship

12th July—Y5 Languages Day Bishops

**18th July—Y6 Leaver's service HolyRood Church 9am, followed by service in school at 10 am**

18th July—END OF SUMMER TERM

**PLEASE SUPPORT THE SCHOOL'S ATTENDANCE POLICY BY NOT BOOKING HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME AS THEY CAN NOT BE AUTHORISED.**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Sid (Y3), Chloe S (Y3) and Eden (Y3)



**STARS OF THE WEEK**  
**The Little Cup of Kindness: Oliver**



**Richard (Rec)**

You constantly try your best at all you do. Amazing independent writing, amazing number work. Actually.....you are just AMAZING.

**Tilly (Year 1)**

You always try to be the best version of yourself and for that you should be extremely proud of yourself. Be confident in everything that you do because what you do is brilliant. Well done!

**Hugo (Year 2)**

We have been really impressed with your mature approach to your learning. It has also been lovely to see you taking an ever increasing part in group activities and class discussions. You have a lot to share with your friends so please keep this up.

**Lucas (Year 3)**

Your attitude towards your learning this week has been tremendous. You have persevered through some difficult challenges and really impressed us all. Keep up this attitude for the rest of the year! Well done!

**Bobby (Year 4)**

You are putting a tremendous effort into learning your 12 x 12 times tables fluently. You should be really proud of your achievement so far – I am so proud of you and know you will persevere to meet this Year 4 target.

**Ned (Year 5)**

This week I have been impressed again and again by your mature and kind nature Ned. You have helped out your friends when they have got stuck and have worked with purpose and enthusiasm.

**James (Year 6)**

James is our star this week for his enthusiasm and knowledge in science lessons. He has amazed us with his understanding and his recall of precise vocabulary. By asking questions, he has furthered his own learning to a high degree. Fantastic work!

**Rags 2 Riches**

The Rags 2 Riches collection of your unwanted reusable clothing will take place on Thursday 27th June. This is a simple way to recycle any unwanted items of clothing you may have, whilst helping to raise funds for the school.



**Prayer Corner**

Lord, thank you for all fathers.

- For the new ones, who endure sleepless nights with infants in arms.
- For the busy ones, who juggle the pressures of home and family life.
- For the steadfast ones, who nurture and care for our special vulnerable children.
- For the patient ones, who always seek to forgive.
- For the persistent ones, who cleverly find new ways to connect with their children.
- For the father uncles, who step in to cradle and care for nieces and nephews.
- For all granddads, who love and support their precious grandchildren.
- For the foster dads that are called to gather and cover the fragile ones.
- For the Sunday dads who care for our children and lead them in faith.
- For the dads who give far beyond their own resources, who overcome disability to cherish and love.

Thank you Lord for all our beautiful fathers. Help us to support them and keep them in our prayers. May you bless them now on this their special day.

Amen.

**Messages/Reminders.....**

- **Please note that due to staff training there will be no needlework, KS1 cricket or KS1 mini athletics on Monday 17th June. PACES will run as normal.**
- Please remember that a 48 hour period of absence is required following sickness or diarrhoea bugs, thank you for your support.
- The school will be observing the change of early May bank holiday in 2020, which will move from Monday 4 May to Friday 8 May to mark the 75th Anniversary of VE Day.
- We would like to remind parents not to park in the passing places outside the school (those that are marked with white line). There was an accident last week that could have been avoided if the passing places were free. For the safety of the children please do not park in these areas.

During the remainder of the Summer term, Mr Hughes is offering free 15 minute taster sessions to those children interested in learning a musical instrument from September. Taster lessons are available for piano, guitar, recorder and accordion.

Please email Mr Hughes for more information (stating your child's name, class and instrument(s) interested in trying) to:

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