



The Mordiford Mail



Herefordshire Summer School Games

On Wednesday, 40 children attended the county wide Summer School Games at the Hereford Leisure Centre. The teams made out of a selection of children from Years 3, 4 and 6. The Year 3 Tri Golf team performed superbly, beating their opposing team, but unfortunately missing out on the top spot. The Year 4 Indoor Athletics team came an impressive 6th out of 20 whilst the Year 6 Lacrosse team won all their games convincingly. As the Year 4 boys qualified for the finals, they came up against the best schools in Herefordshire. They played out of their skin and successfully came an impressive 3rd! All of the children behaved impeccably throughout the day and were a credit to the school. A huge thanks to all involved.



Monnow Class Worship

Thank you to Monnow Class for leading such a lovely worship on Wednesday. Your lively presentation helped us to focus upon the beauty and wonder of plants and nature. We were all so impressed by your wonderful art work.



PTFA Summer Jamboree

Thank you to everyone who attended the Summer Jamboree last Friday, we were lucky that it was such a beautiful day and we are very grateful for your support in raising funds for the PTFA and school.

Thank you also to the PTFA for all your time, effort and organisational skills to help make this such a fun event.

The stall with teachers getting a soaking in the stocks was very popular!

We would also like to thank the children from Year 6 who helped by running a stall.

The event raised £450 and the PTFA refreshment stall on sports day raised a further £125!



Dates for your diary...

Summer Term 2019

8th July—Last Swimming Lesson

9th July—Summer Play Matinee

9th July—Summer Play Evening PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DATE OF THE EVENING PERFORMANCE HAS CHANGED

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

15th July—Helpers Tea Party

18th July—Y6 Leavers Service

HolyRood Church 9am, followed by Service in School at 10 am

18th July—END OF SUMMER TERM

WEDNESDAY 4th SEPTEMBER: NEW YEAR BEGINS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Poppy (Y6)

Spanish Visitor

This week we have been hosting Victoria, a teacher from our Spanish partner school in Toledo. She has spent time in each of the classes, working with the children, teaching some Spanish and learning about our teaching strategies.



Thank you also to past pupil Jess from Bishop's who has joined us for work experience this week.



STARS OF THE WEEK



Miss Finney's Star: Izzy (Y6)
The Little Cup of Kindness: Iestyn (Y6)

Lois (Rec)

Lois, you have persevered with your learning this week despite being under the weather. We have been impressed with your continued daily reading at home and the effort you have put in to all activities during the school day.

Amelia (Year 2)

It has been great to see you adopting a far more mature attitude towards your work in recent weeks. You are really looking ready for your move into Key Stage 2. Well done and keep it up!

Phoenix (Year 3)

You have shown a great attitude all week! You have focused extremely hard on your work and asked all the important questions to further your own learning. Keep up this effort and desire!

Sultan (Year 4)

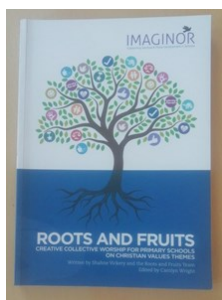
For showing courage, trust and determination when faced with an unfamiliar challenge and for showing excellent sporting values while representing Mordiford at the School Games this week - well done!

Yasmin (Year 5)

For a fantastic attitude towards all of your work. You always excel at making sure your work is completed to the very highest standard. I have also been very impressed by how inclusive you have been with your friendship groups.

Izzy (Year 6)

For being an absolutely model pupil, not just this week, but all year too! Thank you for all your kindness and hard work and for your huge contribution to our school.



Thank You

We would like to thank Mordiford PCC for purchasing a copy of 'Roots and Fruits' book for the school. It is a wonderful resource for collective worship on Christian values and helps to support spiritual and moral development in schools.

Courtyard Auditions

The Courtyard Theatre are holding auditions for their Christmas production of Cinderella. The auditions are for ages 9-16 and are being held on Sunday 22nd September. The production will run from 29th November 2019 to 11th January 2020. For more information contact Mel Langford on 01432 346507 / mel.langford@courtyard.org.uk or visit: courtyard.org.uk/auditions.



Prayer Corner



Be a bright flame before me
Be a guiding star above me
Be a smooth path below me
Be a kindly shepherd behind me
Today, tonight and forever.
Amen

Erasmus Barn Dance

Thank you to the PTFA who arranged the Barn Dance during May for the Erasmus visit. Everyone really enjoyed the evening and £350 was raised for PTFA funds.

Messages/Reminders.....

- The new lunches for the Autumn term are now available on ParentPay. Your meal choices for w/c Wednesday 4th September must be completed by 11:59pm on Wednesday 17th July. Also your meal choices for the second week of the Autumn term (w/c 9th September) need to be completed by 11:59pm on the first day back to school (Wednesday 4th September).
- Please ensure that any outstanding amounts for clubs, breakfast clubs and trips etc are fully paid before the end of term.
- Please can any books you have at home that have the Mordiford library stamp inside be returned to school.
- The school uniform service has recently transferred from Tesco to MyClothing. Size guides can be viewed and uniform can be ordered from www.myclothing.com. Full stock of all items will be available from the beginning of July.
- Sufton Court Fete is being held on Saturday 6th July, starting at 2pm. Proceeds from the fete will help to support Mordiford Church.
- There are still some places available for Spanish lessons in the Autumn term. A free lesson is also being offered for those who sign up by 31st July. For further information please contact: Alexandra Sanchez-Havard via email at: asanchezhavard17@gmail.com or 07916784037
- Please ensure that your children are wearing sunscreen and have a hat in school each day.