



## Welcome Back

Welcome back, I hope you have had a lovely Easter break with your families. It has been lovely to greet the children on the gate this week and see them happily skipping into school, catching up with their friends. We have an action-packed term to look forward to (see the calendar on page 3) with dates for you to come and see the school in action. Already, Y4 parents have been in for a Science Showcase on Wednesday. It has been exciting to see Mums and toddlers at our new 'Toddler Outdoor Play Session' on Thursday, thank you to Claire and Rosie from the PTFA for this initiative, do get in touch with them if you have a toddler and you'd like to join the fun.

I hope to see you on **TUESDAY 16<sup>th</sup> APRIL**, if not before! Have a great summer term.



## Eco-Committee



Eco-Committee confidently led a whole school assembly on Tuesday on the four 'R's - reduce, recycle, reuse and refuse. They talked about materials which could be recycled, how and where to recycle them including looking for the recycling triangle on products.

## Parent Voice

It has been 1 term since our OFSTED inspection, so what have we been doing to action the matters raised?

We are also coming to the end of our 3 year Strategic Plan 2021-2024 and will be working with governors and staff on creating a new plan. With this in mind, all parents are invited to give their input. You can give your written feedback by clicking [here](#) or you can also come to talk to Mrs Warmington on **Tuesday 16th April** at one of 3 scheduled times : **09:00-09:45, 14:30-15:15 OR 17:00-17:45** it would be lovely to hear from you, so we can work together to move our school forward.

This is your chance to have a say about the future development of the school. Come and tell us what you think, we really want you hear from you.

I hope to see you on Tuesday 16th April.



## Gang Show

Well done to Nev, Lizzie, Jacob B and Finley who performed in the Gang Show last week.



## 1st Fownhope Scouts Appeal for Treasurer

Do you have a background in financial services? Can you spare 30 minutes a week to help provide young people with skills that will last them a lifetime? 1st Fownhope Scouts aims to create vital opportunities for children within our community but we can only do so with the help of our amazing volunteers and fundraisers. Central to our organisation is a need for good financial management and we currently have a vacancy for a treasurer to assist our section leaders and chair in managing our funds in an effective and transparent manner. If you are able to help please contact Simon Prowse (1st Fownhope chairman) by email [sjprose@gmail.com](mailto:sjprose@gmail.com)

## Toddler Outdoor Play Session



## Year 4 Science Showcase

Teme Class thoroughly enjoyed showcasing their science sound topic to parents on Wednesday afternoon. The children had made their own musical instruments and could explain how to make the volume louder or quieter and also how to make a high or low pitch sound.

The children had created a pair of ear defenders to show how sound vibrations were absorbed by different materials. During the afternoon, the children showed how to fair test the best for sound-proofing. These were also tested for comfort and style!



## Weekly Attendance

Lugg	91.25%
Monnow	99.53%
Arrow	99.56%
Wye	98.25%
Teme	96.83%
Frome	99.44%
Pentaloe	94.87%
Whole School	96.9%

**Congratulations to Arrow Class (Year 2) for having the best attendance this week!**



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## Prayer Corner

Lord

Give us the confidence to believe in ourselves, to know that from small beginnings great things can grow. Help us to step outside our comfort zone, to try new things, to see mistakes as learning opportunities.

Amen

Next weeks prayers will be written by Y4 Worship Crew about the Secrets of Success.

Date	Time	Event
Mon 8th April		Term 3 starts
Fri 12th April	14:30	Y5 Parent Meeting about Bristol Residential Trip
Tues 16th April	9:00, 14:30, 17:30	Parent Forum Meetings
Thurs 18th April	9:00	Y4 Music Assembly
Tues 23rd April	All Day	Y4 Earth Day at Hellens Manor
Thurs 2nd May	All Day	Election day - Hall space out of use
Fri 3rd May	9:00	Y3 Class Assembly
Mon 6th May	All Day	Bank Holiday
Mon 13th-17th May	Mornings	KS2 SATs
Wed 15th-17th May	all day	Y5 Residential Trip to Bristol
Tues 21st May	09:00 - 09:30	Parent Drop in Y1, Y2, Y3
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Wed 22nd May	09:00 - 09:30	Parent Drop in Y4, Y5, R
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Thurs 23rd May	9:00	Y2 Class Assembly
Fri 24th May	All Day	Fund raiser for 'Project Mala'
Fri 24th May	18:30	PTFA Summer Social TBC
Mon 27th- 31st May		Half term holiday
Thurs 6th June	9:00	Y1 Class Assembly
Fri 14th June	TBC	PTFA Summer Fayre
Thurs 20th June	9:00	R Class Assembly
Thurs 20th June	TBC	Y6 Leavers Service in Hereford Cathedral
Fri 28th June	All Day	Sport's Day
Wed 3rd July	All Day	Hereford Summer School Games
Fri 5th July		End of Year Reports
Mon 8th-12th July	TBC	Optional Parents meetings
Tues 16th July	13:30	Summer Dragon Walk
Thurs 18th July	9:00- 11:00	Leavers Assembly
Fri 19th July		Last day of term 3