

Tewkesbury C of E Primary and Pre School

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

24th May 2024

A message from Mrs Farren and Mr Rylatt

As we come to the end of another busy but wonderful half term, I am delighted to share how our children have truly shone in everything they've done. This term has been packed with exciting opportunities and experiences, from memorable trips and residential to inspiring visits from special guests. Our R.E.A.L curriculum (Real Events for Active Learning) has continued to provide the children with meaningful and engaging learning experiences. This approach has brought a real sense of purpose to their education, making each day a new adventure in discovery.

Additionally, our OPAL play has continued to encourage the children to unleash their creativity outside of the classroom. The warmer weather has been a perfect backdrop for building dens, climbing trees and creating makeshift cafés, among other imaginative activities. As we head into the half term break, I wish you all a restful and enjoyable time with your families. We look forward to welcoming the children back in June, ready for more fun and learning.

Year 3 become jungle explorers



A couple of weeks ago, Year 3 went on a jungle hunt to discover clues left behind by a jungle explorer who we later found out works as a cameraman on the Deadly 60! Year 3s have become rainforest rangers!

Parking - Drop off and pick up

Recently, we have been receiving more complaints from residents about parents parking on Chance Street and Rope Walk during drop off and pick up times, with some residents' driveways even being blocked by cars parking in front of them. Please remember that we have parking permits available from the school office, allowing you to park for free at Cascades Car Park during drop-off and pick-up times. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated in respecting our neighbours and keeping the streets clear and the children safe.

PC Pete joins Year 6



On Tuesday, Year 6 welcomed PC Pete Curtis (Tewkesbury's School Beats Officer) back into our classrooms. He delivered a workshop on online relationships and guided our pupils to think about how they can stay safe online. He shared scenarios which included dealing with peer pressure; discussed how online activity can always be traced and identified who our pupils can report unwanted online activity to.

PC Curtis' sense of humour, paired with his informative information, was enjoyed by all of our Year 6 pupils and we cannot wait to welcome him back next month for our final Y6 workshop on drugs & peer pressure.

Family Mass at Tewkesbury Abbey

On Sunday, 2nd June, at 9:30 am, the Abbey will host its second monthly all-age service, celebrating World Environment Day. This special event will feature engaging activities for all ages, including a reading by Mr Rylatt, who will be joining in the festivities.

Everyone is welcome to attend this family-friendly service. Afterward, we will gather for delicious sausage butties and refreshing drinks, providing a wonderful opportunity to connect and enjoy each other's company.

We look forward to seeing lots of you there!

A colorful poster for 'Family Mass Tewkesbury Abbey'. At the top, six cartoon children of different ethnicities are hanging from a rope. Below them, the text 'Family Mass Tewkesbury Abbey' is written in green. To the right is the Tewkesbury Abbey logo. On the left are logos for 'the GIRLS' BRIGADE' and 'THE BOYS' BRIGADE'. The main text in a large blue cloud shape lists the service details: 'All Age Service 9.30-10.30', 'First Sunday of the month', 'Boys & Girls Brigade Parade', 'All Age interactive talk', 'Well known Hymns', 'Informal Communion Service', and 'Followed by bacon butties!'. At the bottom, it says 'Starting Sunday 5th May', 'Then 2nd June, 7th July & 1 September', and provides the website 'www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk'.

School diary week beginning 3rd June 2024

Day	The School Day		After school		Summer Lunch Menu Week 2
Mon	Class Photos				Chicken Bites with Rice Quorn Nuggets with Rice
Tues	Year 1 Trip to Weston Super Mare	Sewing Club Year 3 - 6 12:45 - 1:15pm	Christian Union Year 6 3:15 - 4pm	Athletics Club (invite only) Year 6 3:15 - 4pm	Spaghetti Bolognese & Garlic Bread Quorn Bolognese & Garlic Bread
Wed	Mindfulness Club Rec - Y2 12:30-1.00pm	Musical Theatre Club Year 3 - 6 12:15-12.45pm	Rounders Club Year 3 - 6 3:15 - 4:15pm		Chicken Fillet with Roasties Cauliflower Cheese with Roasties
Thur	Year 4 Visiting Tewkesbury Library		French Club Year 1 - 3 3:15 - 4pm	Drama Club Year 3 - 6 3:15 - 4:30pm	Homemade Pepperoni Pizza Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza
			Basketball Club Year 3 - 6 3:15 - 4:15pm	Multi Skills Reception 3:15 - 4pm	
Fri	Lego Club Y1 - Y2 12:30 - 1 pm		Cricket Club Year 4 - 6 3:15 - 4:15 pm		Fishcake with Chips Jacket Potato with a choice of fillings

Important Dates

w/b 27th May - Half Term

Tuesday 4th June - Year 1 trip to Weston Super Mare

Monday 10th - Tuesday 11th - Phonics Screening check

Wednesday 12th June - Year 6 Leavers service at Gloucester cathedral (this is a children's only event) more info to follow

Friday 14th June - KS2 Athletics competition at the Prince of Wales Stadium

Monday 17th June - Friday 21st June - Year 6 Residential to Oaker Wood

Tuesday 18th June - Tewkesbury Athletics competition

Wednesday 26th June - Move up morning (meet your new teacher)

Wednesday 3rd July - Year 5 trip to We The Curios (@Bristol)

Wednesday 10th July - Sports Day and OPAL stay and play

Thursday 11th July - Sports Day and OPAL stay and play - RESERVE DATE

Friday 12th July - Year 5 trip to the Medieval Festival



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Saturday 8 June

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**BCFC holiday club
2024...Tuesday 28th, weds
29th May.
9am-4pm (6yrs +) £20 per
day**



**Plastic studs only!
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**Contact Dave or Natalie: 07772100352 or
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