



Lilleshall School Newsletter



Year R I am so proud of all the achievements in Year R this year. We have had a wonderful year of learning and fun and we are looking forward to a break now. We have been travelling around to different countries over the last two weeks and exploring what life is like there. We've enjoyed creating the waterways in Venice and making pizza, building the Eiffel Tower and learning some French language and building the Great Wall of China. We have explored our world map and the children have loved exploring Google Earth. Have a well deserved rest and I look forward to seeing how much you've grown by September.



Year 1 & 2 have thoroughly enjoyed exploring Batik art inspired by the beautiful, nature-themed designs of William Morris. We began with a display of large branches and flowers in the hall, which the children used as inspiration. Each child selected a small section of a branch or flower and recreated it on a much larger scale through detailed observational drawing. These drawings were then transferred onto fabric, where the children used hot wax to outline their designs before painting them with vibrant colours. The final Batik pieces were truly impressive, and the children were thrilled to have their artwork displayed at the Newport Show!

As part of our sculpture work, Year 2 also created some fantastic flower sculptures, with several of these also proudly exhibited at the show. We can't quite believe we're already at the end of the academic year — what a fun, creative, and busy time it's been! Thank you all for your continued support throughout the year. We wish you a fabulous (and hopefully sunny!) summer break, and we look forward to seeing you all in September!

Year 3 & 4 As the school year draws to a close, we have been enjoying spending more time outdoors and being creative. In Art, we have been using watercolours to create some nature-themed compositions. We thought very carefully about line, texture and perspective and produced some fabulous artwork. On behalf of the staff in Years 3 and 4, we would like to say a massive thank you to all of the children for their hard work and to the parents for their support this year. We wish you all a relaxing summer break!



Year 5 Well done to all of the Year 5s for a fantastic end of year production – they absolutely smashed it and all of their hard work and practising certainly paid off! We hope that you all enjoyed it and we're sure that you will be humming the 'pizza song' all summer! We would also like to congratulate Year 5 on all of their hard work this year – they are a wonderful class and we will miss teaching them next year. Have a wonderful and restful summer all. The Year 5 team.



Year 6 Well, we have reached the end and what an amazing end it was! The children in Year 6 had a wonderful day at Crucial Crew and won the competition! The production has truly been a pleasure for everyone involved - Take That songs will never be the same again. The Year 6 team, along with all the staff in school, would like to wish the children all the very best as they move onto secondary school, we know they will continue to shine and make the most of every opportunity the schools have to offer. Have a wonderful summer!



Celebrating Success

Year R - Hudson Needle, Arabella Beard,
Kaydence Connaughton
Year 1 -
Year 2 - Henry Southern, Ziggy Lachowicz
Year 3 - All of Year 3, Tommy Russell
Year 4 - Kabir Dool
Year 5 - Freddie Clee and Henry Tait
Year 6 - All of Year 6



Summer Raffle

Congratulations to our winners

Mr K Southern
Sam Bowers
Mr Skidmore
The Tolhurst's
Gill (c/o Maddie Y1)
Edith Wood
Joshua C
Hazel Hodge
Mr Tait
Natasha Jenkins
Reo Kneale
Grace and Elliott Richards
Dim Marinov
Freddie Shelley

Thank you to everyone who bought tickets and donated prizes. We raised £146 for school funds.

Sports

We've have had a brilliant last sporting month of the year at Lilleshall Primary School. We have had over 30 children representing school in football competitions. A special mention to one of Year 3/4 football teams who came 2nd in the Crossbar Plate winning silver medals and also one of our KS1 teams who came 2nd in the Crossbar Cup winning silver medals!

I am incredibly proud of each individual for how the represented themselves and school!.



Fundraising for IT equipment

Summer Raffle £146
Mufti Day £170.05
Grant from Protolabs £8500

Thank you to everyone who has supported our efforts. We have smashed our target and raised over £16,000 this year and have been able to purchase the much needed IT equipment.



Headteachers Comment

As we come to the end of another school year, I would like to take a moment to reflect on the achievements, hard work, and wonderful memories we've shared this year.

To our incredible Year 6 pupils — what a truly lovely group of children you have been. It has been a joy to watch you grow, learn, and flourish during your time with us. You leave behind a legacy of kindness, resilience, and curiosity. You were all amazing at Arthog and we had a wonderful time. We are so proud of all that you have achieved, and we know you are more than ready for the exciting challenges that await you in secondary school. We wish each of you the very best in this next chapter – keep being brilliant!

To all our pupils, families, and staff — thank you for your dedication, support, and the part you have played in making this year such a success. The spirit of our school community continues to shine brightly, and never more so than during our *outstanding* Ofsted — a reflection of the effort, care, and excellence shown by everyone. I can not believe that it was this academic year, it seems so long ago now. The team at Lilleshall are fabulous and I am very lucky to lead them.

We look ahead to September. A new school year always brings fresh opportunities, new faces, and the chance to build on the work already done. But before then, I hope you all enjoy a restful, happy summer filled with sunshine, laughter, and time with loved ones.

Thank you all for a fantastic year. See you in September!

“It is good to have an end to a journey towards; but it is the journey that matters in the end.”
Ernest Hemmingway

Christobel Cousins **Headteacher**

Governors Corner - July

This month saw governors meet for our last full Governors Board Meeting of the school year. We were able to hear the Headteacher's report and discuss it's content. We discussed a range of topics: compliance with Safeguarding requirements; the importance of school visits to the curriculum; external moderation of children's work and the school's support to SEND children.

Despite the school meeting all the five Ofsted Outstanding criteria, we also heard of the school's development plan to further improve and enhance children's learning for the following year. This will include a focus on orienteering and cross curricular links, embedding computational thinkers and the school will be part of a cluster initiative focusing on maths, which will include children's progression to secondary/Key Stage 3 maths.

Christine A Raper **Chair of Governors**

Extra Curricular Achievements July



Congratulations to both Louis and Harrison Brown. Both boys give their own time to help coach the NC Rookies (4-6 Year olds) and have received special recognition for this during their NC awards presentation.

Harrison volunteers to help train the Rookies age 4-6yrs (and so does Louis). This is Harrison second year and Louis first year volunteering. Harrison also helps train Louis football team (under 7's). In Louis team Harrison takes the opportunity to lead training drills when he can, often doing this before a match to warm everyone up whilst everyone else is getting everything set up ready

Louis also got Parents/Supporters Player at the NC end of season Awards, voted for by the parents, for all the hard work he put in throughout the season, going in goal as nobody else wanted to (and doing a great job making great saves, making a real difference) and doing a great job out whenever he played out of goal, having great determination to win the ball and get it up the field.



Thank you

Wraparound care have been awarded a generous grant of £750 from Waitrose this month.

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Dates for your diary:

Thursday 17th July—Party on a Plate
Friday 18th July - Staff Vs Y6 Rounders
Friday 18th July—Last Day of Term

Wednesday 3rd September—School returns

Tuesday 9th September—Orienteering all classes
Tuesday 16th September Eatwell Project Years 5 & 6
Wednesday 17th September Eatwell Project Years 5 & 6
Thursday 18th September—Years 3 & 4 Blists Hill visit
Monday 22nd September—Year 3 & 4 Start Swimming Lessons (5 weeks)
Monday 6th October—School Councils Kindness Week
Tuesday 7th October—Year 3 Nature Day Chetwynd Deer Park
Friday 17th October—Flu Nasal Vaccinations
Monday 27th October—Friday 31st October Half Term
Tuesday 4th November—Woodland Nature Reserve Year 6
Thursday 6th November—Woodland Nature Reserve Year 5
Friday 14th November - Years 5 & 6 Cadburys World Visit
Monday 17th November—Friday 21st November—Year 6 Arthog

Please note, dates and times can be changed and added to throughout the year. Updated versions of this section will be on each months Newsletter.



Our E-Safety team have created a fun and educational rap all about staying safe online and at home during the summer holidays. It's a great way to remind children of the importance of digital safety while enjoying the break.
Happy rapping!

The E-Safety Rap

Yo, I'm online and I'm feeling cool
I follow the rules like a digital school!



Clicking here and clicking there,
Always surf with love and care.
Ask a grown-up what to do,
When something feels not right to you.
Keep your secrets locked up tight,
Like passwords that you type just right!

We stay smart when we go online,
Use kind words and always shine!
Think before you tap or send,
Stay safe, and be a friendly friend.

Stranger chat? Just walk away,
Don't let danger spoil your day.
Photos, names, or where you live -
That's not info you should give!
Apps and games are really fun,
But check with grown-ups one by one.

We stay smart when we go online,
Use kind words and always shine!
Think before you tap or send,
Stay safe, and be a friendly friend.

Click smart, stay sharp, don't fall in a trap
We're safe online with this E-Safety rap!



EDUCATING KIDS OUTDOORS

EKO Summer Holiday Club

at Weston Park, Weston-under-Lizard, TF11 8LE

Having fun outdoors whatever the weather!



Dates

29th July - 1st August

5th - 8th August

19th - 22nd August

26th - 29th August



Years 1 to 8

Tuesday to Friday

10:30am - 4:00pm - £38 / HAF FREE

9:00am - 4:00pm - £44



NEW Years 9 to 11

Thursday to Friday

10:30am - 4:00pm - £38 / HAF FREE

9:00am - 4:00pm - £44

HAF Bookings Open 23rd June

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Book Telford & Wrekin HAAH



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The 2 Minute Skip2Bfit Challenge!



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CHAMPIONS RECORDS

Lilleshall Primary School

		BEST SCORE
RECEPTION	THEON	16
YEAR ①	ISLA	114
YEAR ②	NANCY	125
YEAR ③	MONROE	195
YEAR ④	CHARLIE	240
YEAR ⑤	FRANCESCA	168
YEAR ⑥	JOSEPH	186
TOP TEACHER	MISS EVANS	209
TOP PARENT		?

Winterwood

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SUMMER

SOCCER

SCHOOLS

Telford

Venue: Haybridge Road, Wellington, Telford, TF1 2NP

Dates: Monday 21st to Friday 25th July 2025
Thursday 31st July & Friday 1st August 2025
Monday 4th to Friday 8th August 2025
Thursday 14th & Friday 15th August 2025
Monday 18th to Friday 22nd August 2025
Tuesday 26th to Friday 29th August 2025

Times: 9am to 3pm

Ages: Year 1 to 7

Cost: From £50

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footballdevelopment@wolves.co.uk for more information



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8 - 12 Years old. Boys & Girls
(Years 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8)

- **Dates: Tuesday 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th August**
- **Time: 11am - 1pm**

- **Location: Telford & Wrekin Hockey Club,**
St George's Sports & Recreation Ground TF2 9LU (Behind the green trees)

Sticks will be provided. Come give it a go :)

Please email Jodie to book your place: mail@telfordhockeyclub.co.uk



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