

# Lilleshall School Newsletter



**Year R** We have really enjoyed our focus on Supertato and the Valley Doom. We explored the way maps are used to show people where to go. We looked at an aerial photo of Lilleshall and then a map and how each of the features are drawn as symbols on the map. We then sequenced the story and the route that Supertato took. We created our own map of the route deciding on the symbols we would draw. We also pretended to be Evil Pea and hid some vegetables around school. We marked where they were hidden on a plan. Then children were Supertato and used the plan to find and rescue the vegetables. It was great fun.



**Year 1 & Year 2** have once again produced some wonderful creative writing on Acrostic poetry based on the book *The Lost Words* by Jackie Morris. We were blown away by some of the vocabulary used by the children. Mrs Giles was very proud of the effort put in by all of the children in Year 1 with the recent Phonics Screening, they were all superstars and as a treat the ice cream man visited! All of the children in both classes have enjoyed Sports Week, especially trying out Skiing and Tobogganing in Year 2 and Mini Golf in Year 1. We are very proud of how the children have tried out new sports this week and how engaged they have all been. There have also been some fantastic examples of good sportsmanship - well done to all!



**Year 3** had a super day visiting Park Hall Farm in Oswestry as part of our History topic on WWII. The children thoroughly enjoyed finding out about artefacts that had been used during the war, going into some trenches and sharing our knowledge about The Battle of Britain with our tour guides! A bonus of the day was the tractor/trailer ride around the farm and feeding the lambs! In our Science lessons, we have been looking at the parts of a flower and how water is transported through the stem. The children had a great time creating human models to demonstrate the function of the stem; taking on roles of the roots, water, leaves and flower. Dissecting a lily was also a highlight of our Science work – finding the different parts of the flower and placing them onto a dissection mat.



**Year 4** It's been another busy month for Year 4 who have been out and about. Firstly, we took a trip to Park Hall Farm in Oswestry where we delved further into our theme of WWII. Whilst there, we explored the trenches and discovered fascinating stories at the Welsh Guards Museum. Of course, no trip to a farm would be complete without saying hello to the animals - we enjoyed a tractor ride, seeing the bunnies and feeding the sheep. An action-packed Sports Week saw us also take a trip to the ice rink where our resilience was on full display. Trying something new can be daunting but we made sure to get back up with a smile each time we took a tumble and represented the school brilliantly! I would like to finish by saying a huge congratulations to all of the children for their fantastic results in the Multiplication Tables Check. Their efforts and dedication certainly paid off and they should be extremely proud of themselves! What a way to end the month!



**Year 6** are having an amazing end to their time in Primary School. They all had a wonderful time at Arthog and Alton Towers, and as always, represented our school very well. If you have not already seen them, photos can be found on our class page on the school website. Rehearsals for the end of year production are in full swing; we can not wait to perform it for everyone! We are now looking forward to Crucial Crew, transition activities and some fun surprises along the way!

**Year 5** have had a fabulous few weeks with lots going on! They thoroughly enjoyed the Photography Workshop at Chetwynd Deer Park and all of the photographs that I received have now been submitted to the judges – results will follow shortly! Our Good Growing Day at Weston Park was a wonderful day and, despite being rather hot, the children got a lot out of all of that activities and provided some great feedback for the EKO team who ran the day. Finally, our bowling trip with Year R was just magical. Every single child in Year 5 was so responsible and caring for the YR child that they were partnered with and they made sure that each and every one of them felt special when taking part in the bowling. We were incredibly proud of them all.



## Celebrating Success

Year R - Isla Bell, Hallie Taylor, Archie Bloor  
Year 1 - Poppy Blakemore, Poppy Russell  
Year 2 - Evie Harris, Oliver Reeve, Enzo Stubbs  
Year 3 - George Pardoe, Kailo Dauncey, Eira Urquhart, Kymarni Dorsett  
Year 4 - Eleanor Pearce, Quinn Tolhurst, Aamyia Bing, Harrison Brown  
Year 5 - Brody Preece, Molly Ann Reeve  
Year 6 - Leo Smith



## Sports

A massive well done to our Year 5 girls who took part in The Crossbar Cup Tournament. They did extremely well and came 3rd overall, which is a massive achievement after narrowly losing the semi-final. You all should be very proud!



## Sports Week

Here are just a few pictures from our action packed sports week.



## Fundraising for IT equipment



We hope to have an exciting update to our IT fundraising for you before the end of the summer term!

Thank you for supporting all the events we have done in aid of this this year.

Raffle tickets are still available in the office for the summer raffle and we will be holding a Mufti day on Friday 11th July, these will be our final fundraisers of the year.

L.F. To create an acrostic poem.

**R**eady to be a blooming, smooth flower that stands upon the spiky, green stalk.

**O**range, red, yellow and pink all of the colours are beautiful especially red.

**S**oft petals join together enjoying the sunshine that reflects on the lonely flower.

**E**very petal is a pretty, scented thing that shines like the sun.



L.F. To create an acrostic poem.



Firmly standing in a meadow or garden.

Extraordinary leaves unrolling from their curl.

Resting peacefully in the yellow, shining sun.

Never in winter or autumn only summer or spring

### **Headteachers Comment**

Our Sports Week was a huge success, filled with energy, teamwork, and plenty of fun. The children had the chance to try an amazing range of sports and activities including Skip2Bfit, skiing, basketball, karate, ballet, balance bikes, ice skating, bowling, and skateboarding.

A definite highlight was meeting football star Jess Clarke, who truly inspired the children with her story and encouragement during the circuits. We also celebrated the success of Hudson and Bray and their BMX biking demonstration was fantastic!

Thank you to all the sports coaches and parent who have given up their time to support us. Mid-week we had a brilliant Sports Day – the children gave it their all, showed fantastic sportsmanship, and made us incredibly proud.

Alongside all the excitement, our children have been working incredibly hard – and it's paid off! We've had fantastic outcomes in the recent Phonics Screening and Multiplication Tables Check, a real testament to their perseverance and the high standards we continue to uphold. Well done to all our children – we are so proud of your effort.

With just three weeks left of the academic year, there's still lots to look forward to. The Year 5 and 6 production rehearsals are well underway and the singing sounds fantastic! We also have transition days coming up, helping the children prepare for their next exciting steps.

**Christobel Cousins**  
**Headteacher**

### **Governors Corner - June**

This month saw Governors involved with school monitoring and quality visits. On top of our Ofsted quality inspection in November we also have our other routine inspections that ensure the school continues year on year to improve and put children's learning first. Both visits involved talking directly to children about their learning.

Early this month the school's Attached Adviser made her termly visit. A key discussion point was the school's development plan for the next academic year and hearing from the Headteacher of the many teaching and learning initiatives the school's Senior Leadership Team will be implementing. These range from helping learning to be a more active process by the instillation of an orienteering course to implementing the PINs project (Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools) which will further help us to develop more inclusive classrooms, particularly relevant to get children with special needs ready for Key Stage 2.

This week our Local Authority Quality Adviser (QA) visited. With the Headteacher discussions involved quality indicators such as children's progress and attainment data and children's attendance data. As this is Sports Week the QA talked to a selection of children about the wide range of physical activities they have the opportunity to experience here at Lilleshall. Children were able to talk confidently about their sporting activities, their favourite sports and how these all help in their personal, physical and social development.

**Christine A Raper**  
**Chair of Governors**

Once again we have had some amazing entries to the Bookfest Readers to Writers competition. Years 1,2 5 and 6. We are so proud of each and every student that put in a tremendous amount of effort to produce some wonderful stories.

We wanted to share the feedback we received;

*Congratulations to the nearly 1000 pupils who worked so hard to produce the best stories we have ever read! We have read EVERY SINGLE STORY and couldn't prouder of everyone who took part!*

*The stories were wonderful, original, spooky, funny, exciting, heartwarming and very well written. It has taken many hours and hours of reading by the judges and the final decisions were incredibly difficult, there were so many fabulous stories! Well done to every pupil who took part.*

*We would like to award a prize to the following pupils, whose books had the biggest impact on the Bookfest Reading Panel in their classes:*

***Sarooop Kaur, The Bear Who Finds His Way Home (year 2)***

***Theo Waterworth, William and the Flying Bed (year 5)***

***Jacob Harvey, Sausage and Potato: The Missing Carrot (year 6)***

***Marnie Hogan, A Trip to Spain (year 1)***

*Jacob Harvey's book so impressed the Reading Panel that we would like to publish it on the Bookfest website as a flipbook. We hope this will be in the next few days and we will send you the link when it is ready to view.*

We are especially proud of Jacob in Year 6 who wowed the judging panel with his book. One of our visiting authors Ros sent us this message when she saw his entry had been a winning one.

***Hello all! I just wanted to say how thrilled I was to see Jacob's wonderful book, Sausage, Potato and the Missing Carrot get the recognition it so deserved on the Shropshire bookfest website - what a great idea Annabel!***

***Please pass on my congratulations to Jacob - my favourite bit was Mrs Tiddlesworth dressed as a dinosaur! Have a wonderful summer term.***

***Ros***

***If you want to read Jacobs Story please using the link [Bookfest](#) or copy and paste the following***

***www.shropshirebookfest.co.uk/flipbooks-years-5-and-6***

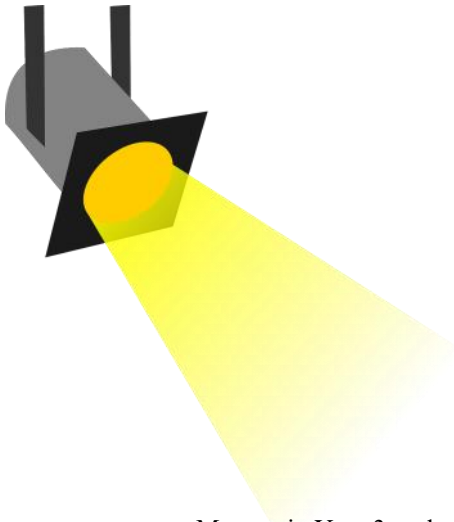


Sausage and Potato and the Missing Carrot by Jacob Harvey, Lilleshall Primary School, Year 6.

Sausage and Potato Dogtective Agency are Shropshire's finest Dog Detectives.

When a neighbour Pickle comes to them with a mystery to solve  
**THE MISSING CARROT!!**

Sausage and her partner Potato jump to work!  
Will this case be too hard to solve??



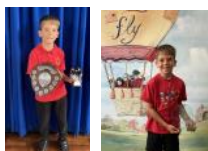
### Extra Curricular Achievements June 2025

Its been another busy month where lots of our children are achieving amazing things out of school .

Monroe in Year 3 took part in The Cheltenham Race. Despite only being 7 she was entered into the Under 11's category and came 2nd out of 30!



Leo in Year 3 has once again been smashing it in his cycling coming 1st in a competition this month. He now races for Wolverhampton Wheelers.



Kailo in Year 3 had had an amazing end of season in football not only did he get the Managers Player of the Season he also got the award for Sportsmanship. Wow Kailo what a great season you must have had!

Alfie in Year 3 not only won the Man of the Match trophy in his last game and his team also came 1st in a tournament this month



William In Year 3 plays in the same team as Alfie and was also part of the winning team in their tournament this month.

Another Year 3, Joshua D's team came overall 3rd in the league this season too! What a successful month Year 3 have had!



Bray in Year 2 has taken part in a Triathlon this month, he especially enjoyed the cycling part of the event.

Louie Shelley also in Year 2 won clubman of the year at his football presentation and his team were runners up in a football tournament too!



In Year R we have been blown away by the achievements of this young man. Hudson has been competing at a regional level for the Midlands in the Under 6 category for BMXing with the Telford Flyers!

### **Dates for your diary:**

Monday 30th June & Tuesday 1st July—Idsall Transitions Day  
Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd July Holy Trinity Transitions  
Monday 7th July—NGHS Transitions Day  
Tuesday 8th and Wednesday 9th July Burton Borough Transitions Day  
Wednesday 2nd July - Transition Workshop  
Friday 4th July—Year 6 Crucial Crew  
Tuesday 8th July—Move Up Day  
Tuesday 8th July—Year 6 Prom/leavers party Cassey's  
Friday 11th July—Haberdashers' Adams Transitions Day  
Friday 11th July Mufti Day  
Friday 11th July - Reports  
Monday 14th July - Move Up Day  
Tuesday 15th July—Year 5/6 Performance ( Year 5 Parents only)  
Wednesday 16th July—Year 5/6 Performance & Leavers Assembly (Year 6 Parents only)  
Thursday 17th July—Party on a Plate  
Friday 18th July - Staff Vs Y6 Rounders - All children can come to school in PE Kits.  
Friday 18th July—Last Day of Term

Wednesday 3rd September—School returns

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



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*Keren Mitchell*

Keren Mitchell  
SuperKind Co-Founder

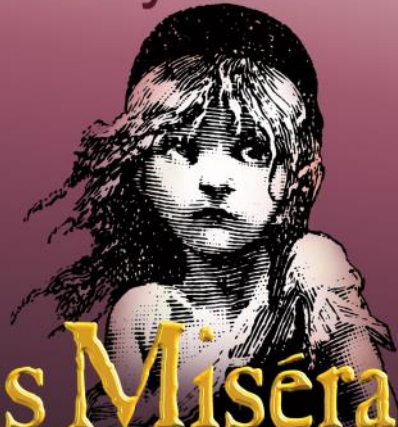


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**Les Misérables**  
SCHOOL EDITION

9th - 11th July 7.30pm / 12th July 2.30pm Sports Hall

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**ART**  
STUDENT  
EXHIBITION  
4pm - 7pm

**7th July 2025**

Open Evening for Parents  
Refreshments provided

**8th - 10th July 2025**

**FREE ENTRY**

**Paddock Hall**





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## Help us plan for your child's future by joining our Children with Disabilities Register

- The Children with Disabilities Register is a confidential list of names and basic information about children with disabilities, special or additional needs.
- The Children Act 1989 requires all local authorities to establish a register of children with a disability in their area. This will then be used for statistical information and to assist service planning to meet the needs of children with disabilities and their families, such as plans for accessible homes, SEND school places, inclusive community-based activities, and inclusive council services, to name but a few.
- The information held on the register is confidential and stored on our secure database. Statistical data may be shared with partners to inform local planning. No personal, identifiable data will be shared without consent.

### **Do all children with disabilities have to be included?**

No, inclusion on the list is optional and the details can be added and removed at a parent or carer's request.

### **Will it affect a child's entitlement to support?**

No, support is based on the needs identified as part of an assessment.

### **A child is eligible to join the Children with Disabilities register if they...**

- Have a disability, as defined by the Equality Act as 'a physical or mental impairment that has a 'substantial' and 'long-term' negative effect on your ability to do normal daily activities.' This must be diagnosed by a medical professional.
- Live in Telford or are the responsibility of Telford & Wrekin Council
- Are under 18 years old

### **What are the benefits of joining the Children with Disabilities register?**

The register helps Telford & Wrekin Council and partners understand more about the needs of children with disabilities across the borough. This helps services plan for the future and ensure residents needs are met.

*If you have any questions regarding the Children with Disabilities register or require further information, please email [shortbreaks@telford.gov.uk](mailto:shortbreaks@telford.gov.uk).*

**WEEK 1: MONDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY - FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025**

**WEEK 2: MONDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST - FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025**

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**Late pick up** at 5pm available for £2.50

**Cost per child: £22.99**

**10% discount** available for siblings



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5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> August

19<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> August

26<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> 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 23<sup>rd</sup> June

\*Book Shropshire Council HAF\*

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