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Lilleshall School Newsletter



Year R We have had such fun learning about planting and growing vegetables and now we are meeting some vegetable superheroes in the Supertato series of books. We have been very enthusiastic about creating a Superhero Headquarters and training school and have been very inventive making costumes and equipment. We've even made our own superhero vehicles too. We look forward to more superhero fun after half term.



Years 1 & 2 are really enjoying their new topic, 'Oh I Do Like to Be Beside the Seaside'. We have loved reading the story 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley'. The children have written some fantastic retells and have also created their own new characters to swallow Stanley, there were some very creative creatures! They have also written some fantastic seaside poetry on waves using imaginative and descriptive language. In Art, the children designed their own Lilleshall collages inspired by Susie Grindey, using a range of different materials and paints. We are looking forward to continuing our seaside theme after half term, where we will be learning about the history of seaside holidays, followed by our exciting trip to Llandudno.



Year 3 & 4 had a brilliant day at Twycross Zoo where our Science learning on Living Things and Their Habitats was brought to life. As well as seeing a wide range of animals up close, the children took part in a hands-on conservation and biodiversity workshop. Pupils investigated what happens when biodiversity is lost and why every species, no matter how small, plays a vital role in keeping an ecosystem healthy. They learned about the importance of pollinators, how the removal of just one animal can disrupt an entire food web and explored some of the reasons biodiversity is declining in today's world. The session also linked closely to our Geography work, helping pupils to understand how zoos contribute to protecting endangered species and supporting global conservation efforts. The children represented the school wonderfully and showed great curiosity throughout the day. We look forward to welcoming the children back after the break and hope that Year 4 return prepared for their multiplication checks. Have a wonderful half term!



Year 5 are enjoying learning about Ancient Greece across a range of subjects. In English they are getting to know all about Greek mythology and the Greek Gods, Goddesses and mythical creatures in preparation to write their own Greek myth. In Geography they are discovering more about the Ancient Greek ways of life and culture and in art they are creating Greek patterns with wax and acrylic paint.

Year 6 What a busy month we have had in year 6! Our trip to Harry Potter World was enjoyed by all and really brought the learning in class to life. The children approached the SAT tests with confidence and gave 100%, we are all very proud of them. We now have lots to look forward to including Alton Towers, Crucial Crew, transition days to secondary schools and of course the leavers' production.



Celebrating Success

Year R – Alba Gillman, Mabel Remblance, Willow Blakemore, Archie Williams
Year 1 - Florence Davies, Lucy Bradley, Evie Davies
Year 2 - William Tait and Willow Barsby
Year 3 – Lewis Brown ,Ziggy Lachowicz from
Year 4 – Grace Richards, Joshua Cruddas
Year 5 - Barnaby de Quincey
Year 6 – Molly Reeve, Nyah Randhawa



We received this email from Tennis Shropshire this month. Well done Ethan!



Dear Headteacher,
We are delighted to inform you that Ethan Duncan has been selected to attend Tennis Shropshire County Training for tennis. This is a fantastic achievement and something that the school should be exceptionally proud of.
Tennis Shropshire County Training is an initiative supported by the LTA which focusses on getting the top 6 players in each age group together on a monthly basis to train together. County Training takes place 8 times throughout the year and regularly compete against other Counties across the Country. The children above are incredibly committed to their sport, each player at County Training trains 2 – 4 times a week for up to 8 hours a week, frequently attending tournaments around the region during their weekends & school holidays.
We hope that this achievement will be recognised by the school as they are highly talented tennis players who show a huge amount of dedication to ensure that they can train hard and continue to achieve at school.

Kind Regards
Mark Wilson – Tennis Shropshire
Chair Simon Haddleton – Director of County Coaching

Sports

What an incredible sporting month at Lilleshall Primary School ! We had two teams represent school in the SSCFA Primary School County Finals at AFC Telford. The girls unfortunately lost in really close game against a very strong opponent. The boys went on to win both of their finals winning the Village Cup and the Small Schools Trophy! It was an incredible achievement by everyone, you all did yourselves and school proud!



A massive congratulations to Oliver Styles and Adam Briggs who play ice hockey for Telford Tigers u12s who went on to become national champions after going to Sheffield for playoffs after going all season unbeaten and winning the league! Well done lads!

A massive congratulations to Freddie Hicks who represented Stoke City F.C in a tournament at Luton Town Football Ground against 15 other academies and managed to all the way get to the final and unfortunately lost to Crystal Palace.

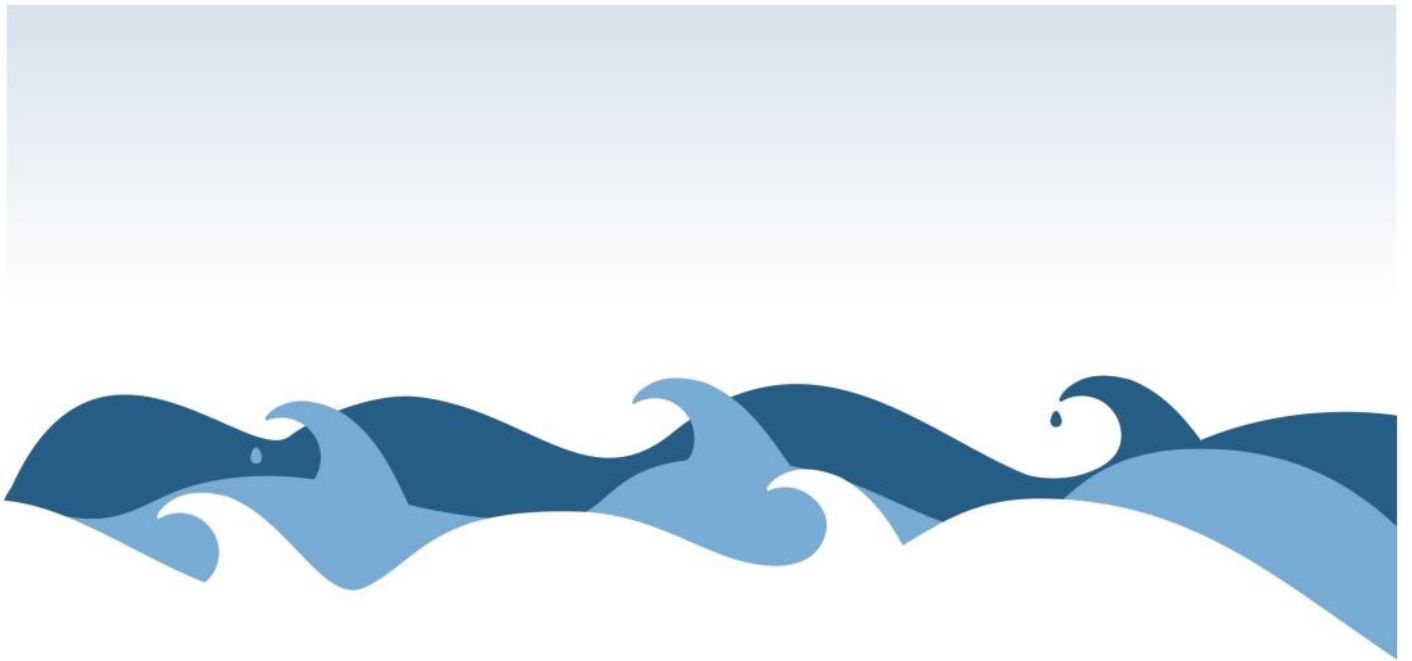


We would also like to give a special thankyou to the parent donations towards our new kit for the finals and Greenfields Farm Shop for all their support and sponsorship throughout the year and for the new kit.



Waves by Florence Pardoe Year 2

There are massive waves and crazy waves,
Blue waves and green.
Waves you can paddle in,
Waves that can be seen.
Waves that curve over,
Like a circle in the sea.
Waves that are mean,
Waves that drink water like it's tea.
Waves that can talk,
Waves that can shout
And splash as you walk.



Headteachers Comment

May is always a very busy time in school and Year 6, SATs have now been completed and the children were fantastic. The atmosphere in school was relaxed and everyone had a good time. Who doesn't like starting the school day with a bacon/sausage butty! We had a Local Authority audit visit during the SAT week and all school processes were checked, this included; checking papers were stored appropriately in sealed bags, pupils were seated appropriately, wall displays and support materials were covered up and all appropriate paperwork was completed. These visits are unannounced and all systems were in place and there were no issues.

Our Eco Committee have worked with the Lilleshall Allotments and designed the plaque below. The design was created by Brodie in Year 6 and Hollie who left us at the end of last year. The plaque will be at the Lilleshall Parish Summer Sizzle on 27th June, and after the weekend it will be put up on the allotment gates. Our sports teams have been doing extremely well, particularly our football teams 2 of whom made it through to the SSCFA Primary School County Finals at SEAH Stadium, they should be extremely proud of their achievements. Thank you to the staff who make this possible and support the children in school and at these events.

I hope that you all have a lovely half term, the weather is looking very promising so hopefully we will all be able to enjoy some sunshine.

Christobel Cousins **Headteacher**



Governors Corner - May

This month has seen a focus on the outcomes of children's learning. First the Progress, Attainment and Behaviour Committee met and we looked at the end of Spring term data which showed all classes making very good progress and attainment in the core subjects. This is no doubt helped by the current high attendance rate, with fewer children missing essential aspects of their learning through absence.

Secondly the week of the 11th May saw Year 6 pupils sit their end of primary SATs tests. There was Governor and Local Authority External Moderator representation – on different days - to observe the process of the administration of the SATs papers. The administration and moderation process was found to be carried out in a fair and robust manner with allowable adjustments made for some children. As is usual with our Year 6 children, they are well prepared for their SATs exams and look forward to SATs week which takes place within a positive framework.

Christine A Raper **Chair of Governors**

Dates for your diary:

Monday 1st June—PD Day
Tuesday 2nd June —Friday 5th June—Year 4 Multiplication Checks
Tuesday 2nd June—Year 5 Photography Workshop
Friday 5th June—Grandparent's Tea
Monday 8th June—Friday 12th June—Year 1 Phonics Screening
Wednesday 10th June—Class Photographs and Year 6 Leavers Photographs
Friday 12th June—YR British Ironworks Oswestry Trip
Monday 15th June—Friday 19th June—Sports Week
Wednesday 17th June—Sports Day
Thursday 18th June—Bikeability Year R and Year 1
Monday 22nd June—Thursday 25th June—Bikeability Year 6
Thursday 25th June—Year 1 & 2 Llandudno Trip
Thursday 2nd July—Year 6 Transitions Workshop
Monday 6th July and Tuesday 7th July—Burton Borough School Transitions Days
Friday 10th July— School Reports Out
Tuesday 14th July—Year 5 and Year 6 Production (Year 5 Parents Only)
Wednesday 15th July - Year 5 and Year 6 Production (Year 6 Parents Only)
Friday 17th July—Last day of School
Thursday 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 months Newsletter.

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Kids May Holiday Activities

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Dawn Chorus - All Ages

Hear the bird roost and their morning song.
Stroll through the farm with bird expert Dave Barnes,
followed by a hearty full breakfast at Arthur's Farm Kitchen

Date: May 10th
Times: 4:30AM - 8.30AM

£25 per adult
£13 per child
Breakfast
Included



Family Wildlife Walk - Ages 6+

Walk through the farm with our conservation
lead Ali, discovering the corner of nature and
learning fantastic new facts!

Date: May 26th
Times: 10am - 12noon

£2 per child
£8 per adult
Family Ticket: £20

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DAY OF IT!**
Why not enjoy lunch
in our tearoom or
bring a picnic?

Giggles and Grow - Ages 3-5

Join us for fun in the Community Garden, with our Therapeutic
Garden Lead Danielle, while she takes you on an adventure
exploring the soil and all of it's friends!

Date: May 27th
Times: 10am - 12pm

£9 per
child



Survival Skills Session - Ages 8+

Children will dive into adventures, learning how to safely start fires, stay warm in
the wilderness, and navigate using orienteering techniques. They'll be a fun sensory
challenge! The day will be wrapped up with George's Survival Awards,
celebrating everyone's achievements.

(Children required to bring a packed lunch and a water bottle.)

Date: May 27th
Times: 9am - 3pm

This is a drop off session.
No parents allowed!

£30 per
child

How to book

All events must be pre-booked.
Call 01630 638696 or visit
www.fordhallfarm.com and click on
'What's On' for online booking

Where are we?

Address: Fordhall Organic Farm,
Market Drayton, Shropshire, TF9 3PS.
We are on the outskirts of
Market Drayton!



MULTI-SPORTS CAMP

26TH, 27TH & 28TH

8:30 - 4PM



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Facebook page, email
rednillum8@gmail.com or contact school
office

Tibberton CE Primary School
Off Maslan Crescent
Tibberton, TF10 8NN
tibberton@stbartsmaf.co.uk
01952 387 790



Ages 4-13
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Location**

8 - 13 Years old. Boys & Girls
(Years 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8)

- Date: Thursday 28th May
- Time: 11am - 12.30pm



**- Location: Telford & Wrekin Hockey Club,
St George's Sports & Recreation Ground, TF2 9LU**

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

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





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