

Eldersfield Lawn CofE Primary School

Friday 13th September 2024

THIS WEEK'S NEWS

Our School Vision is LIFE - Living and Inspiring Futures for Everyone
Our School Christian Values are – Hope, Community, Dignity, Wisdom, Joy and Peace
This term we will be focusing on Hope
Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength – *Isaiah 40:31*

Message from the Headteacher

School Council

Thank you to the children who represented their classes as School Council members last year. We now invite children from Year 1 upwards to volunteer to become a representative for their year groups/class for the new academic year. The roles and purpose of the Council have been talked about in assembly time and we welcome children to apply by writing a letter to myself explaining why they would like to become involved with the School Council and what they might be able to offer. Please send your letters into school by 9am Friday 20th September.

PTFA

As shared before the summer holidays, the PTFA need a new Chair and a Secretary in order for the PTFA to continue arranging and running school funding events as before. The support of the PTFA has enabled many additional activities to be arranged for the children to benefit from and without it all of these positive experiences would not be able to go ahead so please support us! Attached is a letter with further information about the roles.

Pumpkin Festival

Just a reminder that the Pumpkin Festival at Berrow and Pendock Village Hall will be held on Saturday 28th September. If your pumpkin has been successful and you would like this to be displayed at the festival, please let us know by next Friday morning 20th September. If you recall, the pumpkin seeds and pots were distributed to each child following an assembly from the Berrow visitors last year.

Welcome Meetings for Parents

We look forward to seeing you at the Welcome meetings with your child's class teacher:

Monday 16th September 3.20pm Class 3

Tuesday 17th September 5.30pm Class 1 (Reception)

Wednesday 18th September 3.20pm Class 4

Tuesday 24th September 3.20pm Class 2

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New Reception Class 1



We would like to welcome our new reception class. It has been wonderful to see them eager to come into school each morning.

After School Clubs

After school clubs started this week and the children are enjoying the range of activities on offer.

Just a reminder about French Club organised by Bonjour Little People, there are still a few spaces available.



Stars of the Week

Reception: All Class 1
Acknowledgement
Year 1: Harvey
Year 2: Jack
Year 3: Rose
Year 4: Grace
Year 5: Ted
Year 6: Eleanor



Reminders

- All children in Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 are entitled to Universal Infant Free School Meals which are bookable on ParentPay. In addition, children in these year groups are also provided with a piece of free fruit to have at morning break. Children in Classes 3 & 4 are welcome to bring in a fruit item to eat at this time.
- Please remember that booking for all school meals closes on the Wednesday prior to the week you are booking for.
- Please ensure all children have a coat and water bottle with them every day.

Dates for your Diary

September

16th Class 3 Welcome Meeting starting at 15:20
17th Class 1 Welcome Meeting and Introduction to Phonics starting at 17:30
18th Class 4 Welcome Meeting starting at 15:20
24th Class 2 Welcome Meeting starting at 15:20
26th Y5/6 Football Tournament at HCHS 16:00-17:30 – Team selected

October

1st Class 1 – Steam Train Trip at GWR
4th Y5/6 Worcestershire West Cross Country Championships
8th School Photographer – Individual and younger pre-school siblings
10th Class 1 Parents evening from 15:30
15th Class 2 Parents evening 15:30 - 18:00
15th Class 3 Parents evening 15:30 – 17:30
16th Class 4 Parents evening 15:30 – 17:30
17th Class 2 Parents evening 15:30 – 17:30
17th Class 3 Parents evening 13:15 – 16:30
17th Class 4 Parents evening 13:15 – 16:30
24th Harvest Festival at Eldersfield Church 9am – Coffee and Cake back at school
25th TED Day
28th October – 1st November Half Term

November

11th Year 5 Bikeability
11th Class 4 Remembrance Service at 9am (Class 4 parents welcome to attend)
12th-14th Year 6 Bikeability
12th Nasal Flu Vaccinations
14th Class 3 Swimming lessons commence
15th Class 4 Trip to RAF Defford
21st Midlands Air Ambulance Assembly
22nd Open Afternoon for Current Parents 14:30 – 16:00

December

9th 13:30 KS1 Nativity – Parents with Siblings
10th 18:00 KS1 Nativity (no younger siblings)
17th Whole School Christmas Lunch
18th Class 1 – Trip to the Everyman Theatre
19th Class 2, 3, 4 Trip to the Pantomime
20th Last Day of Term
23rd December – 3rd January Christmas Holidays