

Newsletter: 06 September 2024

News:

Welcome back everyone to a new academic year. The children have returned to school in such a settled way and the working atmosphere here at St. Peter's has been calm and purposeful. Please can we welcome any new families and pupils who have joined St. Peter's this week, we hope that the children are making friends very quickly and feeling very much part of the St. Peter's community. The children have enjoyed using their creative talents to help to create a new bright and colourful entrance to our school. Thank you so much Mrs Rocca (Teaching Assistant) for leading this lovely project.

Parking:

Reminder – all our parking spaces are for Blue Badge holders only.

The drop off area is a NO PARKING zone

As ever, we do encourage families to park (maybe on Winslow Road) and walk along Bramley Orchards or Cherry Tree Close to school where possible so that school and Cherry Tree Close do not become congested. We have recently had complaints from our neighbours, about cars blocking their driveways, parking on the zig-zags and leaving their engines running, causing excess pollution. The last thing we want to do is upset our neighbours and/or cause the Highways Agency to put double yellow lines on the roads surrounding school, so please do be considerate.

Adventure Playground:

Adventure playgrounds not to be used on the way home please. There is a large sign and the rule is there for good reason! Adventure playgrounds are closed at all times out of school hours and children must not be allowed on them under any circumstances unless one of our staff is officially present. Parents are not authorised to supervise children to play on the adventure play equipment at the end of the day.

Dogs:

A big thank you to all our families who keep their dogs safely on a lead when arriving on the school grounds. Unfortunately, however, we have had numerous incidences of dogs fouling on our school site. It would sadden us to have to reconsider safe pet access onto school grounds so we ask all dog owners to be extra vigilant. Picking up after your dog is of paramount importance for the safety of our children whilst they are working outside.

Morning snacks:

Reminder – children in year 3, 4, 5 and 6, only healthy snacks are allowed to be eaten at morning playtime, eg. a piece of fruit, vegetable or a cereal bar.

The School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme (SFVS) provides a free piece of fruit or veg to every child in nursery, reception, year 1 and 2.



NEW PRICING STRUCTURE

Breakfast Club (7:45 AM - 8:30 AM): £3.50 per session per child

After-School Club (3:15 PM - 4:30pm PM): £5.00 per session additional hour to be charged at £2.00 per child

ALL SESSIONS MUST BE PRE-BOOKED

Awards:

	Pupil of the Week		
Nursery			
Reception	Nikolas		
Year 1	Max		
Year 2	Oscar		
Year 3	Tyler		
Year 4	Malik		
Year 5	Theo		
Year 6	Bethany		

Attendance:

Attendance this week is 94.5%

If your child is well enough to attend school, please send them as it is vital they attend school as regularly as possible. If your child has been off school with a sickness bug, they only need to be 48 hours clear before they return. Absences must be reported daily either via message through the MCAS app, emailing gunwin@st-peters.hereford.sch.uk or calling the school on 01885 483237.

Highest Class attendance this week goes to: YEAR 5

Dates for your diary:

<u>Sept</u> 4th Autumn term begins

<u>Oct</u>

7th - 11th & 14th- 18th Swimming – year 4 21st-25th & 4th - 8th Nov Swimming – year 6



Felix (Y2)



Year 6

Thursday

Please come to school dressed in your Forest School clothes, with your outdoor boots/wellies in a carrier bag.

Starting on Thursday 12th September for 6 weeks.



When children come in to school dressed in their PE kit it allows for more time to be used for physical activity rather than time taken up changing.

Monday	Year 4 wear kit to school		
Monday	Year 5 bring kit to school to change		
Tuesday	Year 3 wear kit to school		
Tuesday	Year 6 bring kit to school to change		
Wednesday	Reception wear kit to school		
Wednesday	Year 2 wear kit to school		
Thursday	Year 1 wear kit to school		

After School Clubs:

	Activity	Year Group	Led By	Maximum
Monday	Netball	Year 3, 4, 5, 6	Miss R Jinks	20
Wednesday	Book Club	Year 3, 4, 5, 6	Mrs K Miles	20
Thursday	Multi-skills Games	Year 1, 2	Mr L Hollywell	20
Thursday	Quick Sticks Hockey	Year 3,4, 5, 6	Miss R Jinks	20

Clubs will start after the half term break commencing on Monday 9th September. These will run for 6 weeks, ending week commencing 14th October.









