

Friday Newsletter

09/01/2026



This week at school

We do hope you all enjoyed a happy and healthy Christmas, and it has been lovely to hear what all the children have been doing over the holidays. Our school schedule returned to normal, and aside from the little disruption today, the children have returned to their learning with gusto. We saw varying amounts of snowfall across the region last night and appreciate it was unsafe for some to come to school today. For those that did, it has been a lovely day of fun lessons

Forest School

Please note Forest School sessions are not scheduled to resume for any class until after the half term, due to January and February regularly being very cold.

Do you have a child starting Primary School in September 2026. The deadline for applications is January 15th. For applications visit [HC Primary School Admissions](#)

Next Week

After school clubs begin on Monday. There are still places in some of the clubs so if you are interested check it out on the MCAS app. There will be a year 3 & 4 football tournament on Thursday.

Attendance

Evidence shows that good attendance is a key factor in enabling children to reach their potential. Parents are reminded that they should not book holidays in term time as this has a significant effect on a child's progress. We have set our target this year at 97% again, but can we beat last year and get higher? Year to date - 96.6%

Stars of the Week

No celebration assembly due to snow disruption

Shield Winner

After School Activities

- Yoga, Lucky Dip, Go Green (Monday)
- Art, Martial Arts (Tue)
- Football, Netball (Wed)
- Tag rugby, multiskills (Thurs)
- Choir (Fri lunch)



Go Green would love some compost for planting seeds. If anyone has spare compost or would like to donate a bag that would be great.

Stoke Prior Primary School



What's On

- 10th February
 - Oak Class trip to Birmingham Symphony Hall.
- 3rd March
 - Reading open afternoon 2PM parents join their children in class.
- 5th March World Book Day
 - Dress as your favourite book character.
- 16th - 18th March
 - Residential Trip Year 5 and 6 to Condover Hall.
- Friday 27th March
 - Great Egg Race and Easter Bonnet Parade. (Build a vehicle to safely carry and egg down a ramp prizes for innovative design and longest travel and/or make your own easter bonnet.)
- 14-15th & 21st 22nd April
 - Parents Evening.
- 11th May
 - SATs week Year 6.

Value of the Month

Forgiveness

Calendar | Stoke Prior Primary School

PTFA

Thank you to everyone for your continued support and we look forward to the year ahead.

Little Owls Playgroup

You will find us in Stoke Prior Primary School hall, every Friday morning 9:30-11:30. All 0-4 year olds and their parents are welcome to come and 'stay and play' and explore the activities we have in our wonderful outdoor area and large indoor space. Tea, coffee, cake, healthy snacks and crafts will be provided. £2:50 for parent and child, £1 for every extra child. Anyone who would like to volunteer to help at the playgroup on an informal basis, please let Mrs Holder know.



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Messy Church will be Thursday Jan 22nd 4-6pm at Leominster Priory. Messy Church is for people of all ages and great for families. We have a different Bible story every month and explore it with lots of creativity often including paint and glue, science, edible crafts, playdough or junk modelling.

Future dates are February 12th, March 12th, April 16th, May 21st and July 2nd. Contact kathy@leominsterpriory.org.uk for more information.

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