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# LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL



## NEWSLETTER



10.11.2023

01584 873602

### Congratulations!

We are delighted to let you know that following the Tesco Stronger Starts vote in the Ludlow store, our project came first and has been chosen by Tesco customers to receive a grant award of £1,500.00!! We will be using the money to refurbish the library areas and purchase new books for all year groups.

Congratulations and many thanks in helping us secure this funding to benefit the children!



### Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November

Children are able to come to school wearing something spotty for a donation of £1

Donations of cakes would be gratefully received so they can be sold in the afternoon at both sites to raise more money for Children In Need. Please could children bring in some small change for donations.



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# Remembrance Day 2023



Our School Focus:  
Ludlow During  
the War



We will celebrate remembrance on Monday 13th November

We want to find out all about Ludlow during the war!

Do you have any information, artefacts or pictures  
from family or friends from the war?  
We would love to see them!

You can send them into school, photocopy them or  
send in pictures. The children will be using these to  
create informative information texts during our  
Remembrance Day commemorative.

We would also love to create a Ludlow history  
display.





## **Christmas Fayre at Clee View**

**Date: Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>**

**November**

**Time: 5-7pm**

**If anyone would like a stall for £10 plus a raffle prize, please contact Mrs Baldwin, Mrs Thomas or either school office.**

**If anyone would like to donate a raffle prize, these will be gratefully received at reception on both sites.**

## **Malvern Residential**

Year 4 have had a fabulous three days at Boundless Outdoors in Malvern this week. They have enjoyed various activities including archery, climbing and problem solving. In the evenings they have also had a campfire and a night walk!



Herefordshire,  
Ludlow & North  
Shropshire College



## **Festive Arts and Crafts**

**A FREE Family Learning course for Reception and Year 1 parents and carers at Ludlow Primary School**

- Come and have lots of festive fun exploring and creating arts and crafts together.
- Discover new ideas and techniques for making simple, cost-effective gifts and decorations.

**Start date: Monday 13th November**

**Time: 1.00 – 3.00pm**

**Duration: Five weeks**

**Venue: Ludlow Primary School**

The first part of the session is for adults only. Your child will join you for the second part of the session to work on a range of fun activities together!

*Please note spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first come first serve basis. Unfortunately, we are unable to accommodate younger siblings as our courses are for school age children only.*

### **Interested?**

To book your place on this **free** course please contact the school office on **01584 873602** and leave your name and contact number.

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## Online Safety

### Online Safety Newsletter November 2023

Please click on the link below for the November edition of the on-line safety newsletter:

[online-safety-newsletter-primary-november-2023\\_pdf\\_ludlow.pdf \(ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk\)](https://www.ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk/online-safety-newsletter-primary-november-2023_pdf_ludlow.pdf)

There are great features on Roblox, TikTok and WhatsApp as well as how to stay safe on a PlayStation. Internet Matters have teamed up with Sony Interactive Entertainment to create a quiz that you can play with your child to see who knows more about the safety options available on a PlayStation. You can find the links to the quiz in the newsletter.

The online safety area of the school website has recently been updated. Please take a look, as it contains lots of new, useful information.

<https://www.ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk/curriculum/subjects/computing/online-safety>



### Football

**Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed a trip to Edgar Street watch Hereford v Brackley Town. They were delighted to see Hereford score within the first 8 minutes and go on to win 1-0 !**

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## Late Arrivals

We will shortly be introducing a form for late arrivals at school.

At Sandpits Road you will be asked to complete and sign the form with a reason for your child being late. At Clee View, if your child walks to school without you, they will be asked for a reason and the form completed by a member of staff and sent home for a parent's signature. This form must be returned to school the next day.

Unfortunately, late marks contribute to our attendance figures, so we ask for all children to arrive in time for registration each day. Please see our website for the importance of school attendance:

[Attendance | Ludlow Primary School](#)

## Attendance Rewards!

Classes who achieve **97%** attendance or higher will gain a gold certificate each week!

The classes with the overall highest attendance get to take our attendance bear back to class with them for the week!



## Harvest Festival Performance at Hagley Place

Our Year 3 children went to Hagley Place Care Home at the end of last term. They performed their harvest festival production which brought great joy to the residents.

Our visits to Hagley Place give immense pleasure to the residents and they are already looking forward to us visiting again for carols as Christmas is approaching.



### Term Dates 2023 – 2024

#### **2023**

Autumn Term ends: Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023

#### **2024**

PD Day: **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2024**

Spring Term starts: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Half Term: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2024 – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Spring Term ends: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

Summer Term starts: Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Bank Holiday: **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

Half Term: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024– Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024

Summer Term ends: Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2024

PD Day: **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

As you will be aware, we are not able to authorise holidays in term time due to government legislation introduced in 2013. Please note that other schools in the area may be different as schools have the flexibility to plan their own PD days. This information will also be on our website.

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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2023-2024

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November - Year 3, walk to Whitcliffe

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November - P.G. Bell (author) at both sites

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November - Children in Need

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November - Bedtime stories & Usborne Book Fair at Sandpits Road

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November - Year 5 trip to Hereford Cathedral

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November - Reception to Croft Wood

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November - Yr 5/6 choir Christmas carol service @ Hereford Cath.

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November - Friends of School Christmas Fayre & Usborne Book Fair at Clee View

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December - Years 2&5 Christmas Performance rehearsal

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December - Years 2&5 Christmas Performance at St Laurence's Church (afternoon)

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch (TBC)

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December - Reception Classes Christmas Performance (afternoon and evening)

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December - Year 1 Christmas Performance (afternoon and evening)

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December - Pantomime Trip for Robins and Ash Classes

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December - Pantomime Trip for Wrens and Oak Classes

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December - Break for Christmas**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2024 - PD Day**

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January - Children return to school

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Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March - Parents' evening

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March - Parents' evening

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May - KS2 SATS (all week)

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July - Year 6 induction day at Ludlow CE

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Year 5 taster day at Ludlow CE

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July - Yr 6 Manchester residential