LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



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CHRISTMAS CATERING & JUMPER DAY





Festive puddings will be served from Monday 4th December and Christmas lunch will be on Wednesday 13th December (meals can be booked as normal via School Money).

Also on 13th December, children are able to come to school in their Christmas jumpers (over their uniform)!

BREAKFAST CLUB

If anyone would like their child to attend Breakfast Club at either site, please contact the school office. Breakfast Club starts at 8:15am each day.



Advent Carol Service

A group of 28 children from Years 5 & 6 attended an Advent Carol Service at Hereford Cathedral this week.

The event was organised by the Diocese of Hereford Multi-Academy Trust, with schools from across the Trust taking part.

The children sang and read beautifully, and we are very proud of them all.



The School Council had lots of fun decorating the Christmas tree at Sandpits Road this week.

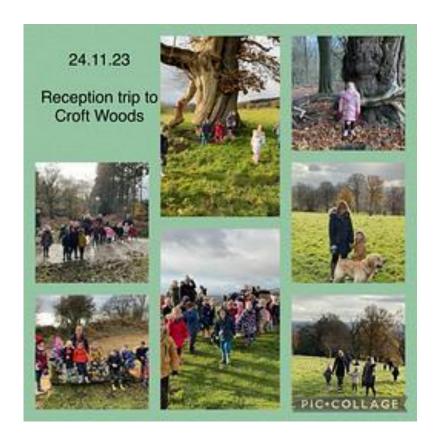
They did such a good job, and it looks beautiful.

Well done everyone.



Reception Trip

On Friday morning, last week, our Reception children had a lovely long walk at Croft Castle Woods.





Woody and Ted also enjoyed the walk, along with Mrs Mather.

Thank you to our parent helpers too.

Even though everyone got a bit wet, they had lots of fun!

Late Arrivals

We have now introduced 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

Online Safety

Online Safety Newsletter December 2023

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

<u>online-safety-newsletter-primary-december-2023_pdf_ludlow.pdf</u> (ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk)

The theme this month is: Get to know Age Ratings. Age ratings are in place to help protect your child, so we thought we'd provide you with a little reminder of how important it is to check the age ratings of what your child is accessing online. There is also an interesting section on Fake Profiles and Cyberbullying.

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

Poppy Appeal

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal this year.

Within school, we were able to raise the grand total of

£431.95

Celebration Time!

Congratulations to the following children who were celebrated in Assembly on Friday 24th November 2023. Well done all!

Alivia Caswell Yasmin Powell Lola Matthews Harry Wall

Lyla Holt Dolphus-John Thomas Lily Smith Bea Harkin

Liam Allen Paige Kisiel George Paddock David Enobakhare

Leon Lijo



Private Tutors

Please be aware that if you intend to hire a private tutor for your child, it is important you ensure that person is suitably qualified and that they have had all the appropriate safer recruitment checks completed.

Thank you

Yrs 2 & 5 Christmas Concert

This year's 'Christmas around the world' concert will be held at St. Laurence's Church in Ludlow (2 College Street, SY8 1AN), on Tuesday 12th December.



We would like to invite parents to watch the children's performance from which is 1:30-2:50pm.

Children will be able to be collected from the church at 2:50pm

Term Dates 2023 - 2024

2023

Autumn Term ends: Wednesday 20th December 2023

2024

PD Day: Wednesday 3rd January 2024 Spring Term starts: Thursday 4th January 2024

Half Term: Monday 12th February 2024 – Friday 16th February 2024

Spring Term ends: Friday 22nd March 2024

Summer Term starts: Monday 8th April 2024

Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May 2024

Half Term: Monday 27th May 2024– Friday 31st May 2024

Summer Term ends: Thursday 18th July 2024
PD Day: Friday 19th 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.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2023-2024

Monday 11th December - Years 2&5 Christmas Performance rehearsal

Tuesday 12th December - Years 2&5 Christmas Performance @ St Laurence's Church (1:30-2:50pm)

Wednesday 13th December - Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch

Thursday 14th December - Reception Classes Christmas Performance (afternoon and evening)

Monday 18th December - Year 1 Christmas Performance (afternoon and evening)

Tuesday 19th December - Pantomime Trip for Robins and Ash Classes

Wednesday 20th December - Pantomime Trip for Wrens and Oak Classes

Wednesday 20th December - Break for Christmas

Wednesday 3rd January 2024 - PD Day

Thursday 4th January - Children return to school

Wednesday 13th March - GB athlete visit

Wednesday 20th March - Parents' evening

Thursday 21st March - Parents' evening

Monday 13th May - KS2 SATS (all week)

Tuesday 2nd July - Year 6 induction day at Ludlow CE

Wednesday 3rd July - Year 5 taster day at Ludlow CE

Wednesday 10th July - Friday 12th July - Yr 6 Manchester residential