

LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



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Water Bottles & Suncream

Please ensure that your children bring a drinks bottle to school each day. The bottle must only contain water (non-flavoured). Children will be able to refill their bottles as needed during the day.

Please also apply suncream before school when necessary.

Nursery Spaces

Spaces for September 2024 are still available if you would like your child to join our Acorns Nursery.

Please call into school for an application form or call us to book an appointment to speak to Mrs Gill, the Nursery Manager.

School Hall Hire

If you know of any groups or clubs looking to hire a hall, our school halls at both sites are available to hire. Please contact Miss Weston at the school office for further information.

Sports Day

Each year group will hold their Sports Afternoon next week (dates and times listed at the end of this newsletter). Any further information will be posted through Class Dojo, by the class teachers.

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Please find attached the July edition of the on-line safety newsletter.

Have you heard of CapCut or Roulette Style video/chat apps? Make sure you are kept up to date to ensure the safety of children online.

There is also features on Being Unkind Online, Summertime Screen Time and Helping your child transition to secondary school

Please click the link below to access:

[online-safety-newsletter-primary-july-2024_pdf_ludlow.pdf \(ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk\)](https://www.ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk/online-safety-newsletter-primary-july-2024_pdf_ludlow.pdf)



Protect our children!

Parents and guardians: Our kids are now most commonly abused online, via their mobile phones and games consoles. Do you know how to keep your kids safe?

Learn more about the dangers of kids being online and how you can keep them safe. Join our free one hour online parent awareness session to give yourself a head start in an ever changing digital world.

Scan the QR code to find out more about our awareness training and to sign up to one of our free sessions or go to www.westmercia.police.uk/exploitworkshops



Drawing Club!

This week in drawing club, children drew a rhinoceros! They used vibrant colours to personalise their animals and create fantastic backgrounds! Well done!



Please be reminded that there will be no drawing club next week (Thursday 4th July) due to the school disco.

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Ludlow 21

This year, we have been involved in several projects with Ludlow 21, a local voluntary group established to promote sustainable living. Ludlow 21 have kindly provided us with planters and plants. They have also sourced compost which Tesco and Ludlow Homecare kindly donated.

Last week, members of the school council tidied the garden and planted up the wooden planters. The garden looks fantastic!

We have also created a willow structure on the field with willow donated by Ludlow 21. Well done to school council for improving our school grounds!



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The SEND Local Offer

A single place for information and services for children and young people with special education needs and/or disabilities, their families and the practitioners who support them.

www.shropshire.gov.uk/the-send-local-offer/

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The Local Offer has lots of information and support for children and young people with SEND and their families including:

- Education
- Health and wellbeing
- Family support
- Social care
- Preparing for adulthood
- Early help
- Things to do
- Education, health and care plan (EHCP)
- Travel and transport
- Financial support

local.offer@shropshire.gov.uk 0345 678 9063
www.shropshire.gov.uk/the-send-local-offer/

If you need help accessing the Local Offer please speak to your school or local library.

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SEN Parent Carer Forums

Meeting Wednesday 3rd July 2pm Clee View site

We are going to be supported to develop a Parent Carer Forum in school for parents and carers of children with SEND. Please see the attached letters about a meeting to introduce this project next Wednesday between 2 and 3pm. This is open to parents of all year groups but specifically for Parent Carers of children with SEND (no diagnosis or EHCP is required). Denise from the Parent Carer Council would like to introduce herself and the project. Please let me know if you are able to attend. You can also turn up on the day. It would be great to see as many parents and carers there as possible.

Jennie Marsden
SENCo



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Dear Parent Carer

I am the Parent Carer Liaison lead for the Parent Carer Council (PACC) Shropshire. PACC will be visiting Ludlow Primary School on Wednesday 3rd July from 2-3pm to meet with Parent Carers as an introduction to developing a Parent Carer Forum within your school. This is part of a national project called the Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools. The aim of the project is to improve the school experience of neurodivergent children and young people and their parent carers, ensuring that their health and wellbeing are effectively supported.

PACC is a local parent carer forum and promotes the participation of parent carers in the planning and delivery of services for children and young people (0-25 years) with disabilities or additional needs in Shropshire. We provide a range of information and support for SEND families in Shropshire.

Before our visit, I would like to introduce myself and my colleagues. My name is Simone Goward. I have two sons, the younger of which is now 18 and has Down Syndrome. He attended a mainstream nursery and primary school in North Shropshire before joining Severndale Specialist Academy in Year 6. He now attends Derwen College, a specialist college for young people with special needs and disabilities.

My colleague Sarah Thomas is also a parent carer of 5 sons, all of whom are neurodivergent and are aged from 12 to 26 years. Her youngest son is diagnosed with ADHD, clinical anxiety and sensory processing disorder. He recently moved to the Keystone Academy after a challenging time in mainstream school.

My other colleague, Denise Glover, has 3 daughters aged 18 to 28 years. Her middle daughter is 24 and has had a diagnosis of Myalgic Encephalomyelitis (ME) since she was 14 when she had to attend part time education. Her youngest daughter has Down Syndrome and attended mainstream primary and secondary school successfully. She now attends Walford college and from September will be attending Derwen Specialist College.

Yours sincerely,

Simone Goward
Parent Carer Liaison Lead
PACC

For further information about PACC and the work that we do, visit our website:
<http://www.paccshropshire.org.uk/>

or follow us on Facebook: Parent Carer Council Shropshire

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Autism West Midlands
<https://www.autismwestmidlands.org.uk/>

A reminder about the fantastic support that is offered by Autism West Midlands. This can all be accessed without a diagnosis of autism.

A helpline for parents:
<https://www.autismwestmidlands.org.uk/what-we-do/autism-information-helpline/>

They also offer lots of free training/information sessions.

A free series of webinars about autism:
<https://www.autismwestmidlands.org.uk/events/rising-to-the-challenge-series-of-6-webinars/>

A free training session for parents in Cleobury Mortimer:
<https://www.autismwestmidlands.org.uk/events/shropshire-autism-and-behaviour-parent-training-cleobury-mortimer-2/>

Celebration Time!

Congratulations to the following children who were celebrated in Assembly on Friday 21st June 2024. Well done all!

Alannah Brookes Bertie Hawes Olivia Bromley Lola Matthews

Sam Brown Martina Pretta Jayden Wall Elsie Morris

Elodie Morris Evie Wilkes Macy Reynolds

Ella McGrath Connie-Mae Morris





End of year outdoor disco Thursday 4th July 2024
5:15pm-6:30pm

This will be held at our Clee View site for all children from reception to year 6. £1.50 per child which must be paid in advance to class teachers by Tuesday 2nd July 2024.

This will include an ice lolly at the disco. Any other snacks or drinks can be bought at the disco, everything will be 50p.

Poetry Competition

A huge well done to several children from year 4 for entering a poetry competition! Their poems will be published in a book called *Once Upon A Dream - Worlds Of Fantasy*. We are so proud of the children and how hard they work on their creative writing!
Well done!



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Term Dates 2023 – 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.

Contacting Teachers and Senior Leaders

If any parent has a concern to raise with a teacher or senior leader, we respectfully ask this is done via the school office or admin email (not Dojo) so the query can be dealt with more effectively and efficiently.

School office: **01584 873 602**
School email address: **admin@ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2023-2024

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

Tuesday 2nd July - Moving up morning, 9:15-11:15 am

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

Friday 5th July - Year 4 Discovery Centre trip.

Monday 8th July - Years 5 & 6 Sports day, 13:30-15:15

Tuesday 9th July - Reception, Yr 1 & 2 Sports day, 13:30-15:00

Wednesday 10th July - Years 3 & 4 Sports day, 13:30-15:15

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

Thursday 18th July - Year 6 Leavers Family Tea Party, 13.30

Thursday 18th July - last day in school

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