

LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



11th June 2021

Sandpits Road – 01584 872765

Clee View – 01584 873602

Covid Testing

If your child displays **ANY ONE** of the 3 symptoms (a high temperature; a new, continuous cough, or a loss or change of smell/taste) then **the whole household** needs to isolate. A PCR test should be booked either online or by phoning **111**. A **Rapid Lateral Flow test** should **not** be used.

More information can be found here:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/testing/get-tested-for-coronavirus/>

Taster Days - Ludlow CE School

Year 6 children will visit on **Tuesday 6th July**. Please refer to your letter sent direct from Ludlow School for further information.

Year 5 children will visit on **Thursday 8th July**. Letters have been sent home with the children. Please return the reply slip to your class teacher by **Monday 21st June** so we can confirm final numbers.

On both days, lunch will be provided free of charge, or your child may take a packed lunch. They should also take some money if requiring a soft drink of milk (water is available in the dining room).

All pupils should attend wearing their Ludlow Primary School uniform and have with them a pair of trainers. They should also take a pencil case containing a pen, pencil and ruler.

Please note transport is not provided by Ludlow Primary School. Children should make their own arrangements or contact Ludlow School on 01584 872691 to discuss transport via the school bus service.



These are the beautiful aboriginal art inspired pictures created by 2 Oak on the last day of term. Aren't they amazing!



#YourGlasto21

Some of you may remember the excitement of the STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Maths) days held several years ago. The children were delighted to be firing rockets into the sky, driving a battery powered car and building titanium strength towers out of newspaper (amongst lots of other things!)

We are delighted that on **Friday 25th June 2021**, we will be hosting a **#YourGlasto21 Day**. The plans are being formulated as this goes to press but there are thoughts that there will be a half size Glastonbury Pyramid stage in our playing field (a virtual one in computer graphics) with an amazing day of creative activities (social distancing permitting). We will keep you posted as the plans become more concrete but make sure you save the day - not one to be missed!

SCHOOL UNIFORM EXCHANGE

For Ludlow



What happens to your school uniform that is out-grown or no longer needed?

Why not donate them to us at the School Uniform Exchange for Ludlow?

We are looking for clean items of uniform (including PE kit) for the following schools:

Ludlow Primary School
St. Laurences School
Ludlow School

School Uniform Exchange for Ludlow is a new project seeking to provide preloved uniform to families that need it across Ludlow and it can only work if preloved uniform is donated. The Ludlow Furniture Scheme warehouse has kindly offered to be the collection point for all your school uniform donations and will accept them from now onwards!

We are aiming to be able to offer **free** school uniform to anyone who needs it. Collection on August 16th and 19th. No awkward questions asked. Get in touch with Fiona on 0775475408



Acorns Nursery



**We are currently full
but *places will
be available for
September.***

Please contact the school office on 01584 872765 if you would like to come and see us.

Acorns Nursery forms part of the exciting Early Years Foundation Stage department at Ludlow Primary School. We are a setting taking children from the age of 2 years. We have our own self-contained, spacious facilities together with a large natural outdoor area. We have full access to all school facilities. We have a nurturing, supportive and experienced team of staff who value each child as unique and independent learners. Our provision is child-led which means that staff continually observe, assess and interact with children to get a comprehensive grasp of their stage of development, unique styles of learning and areas of interest. It is important to us that all parents are actively encouraged to be involved in their child's education and we place great importance on communication between the setting and home.

We understand that choosing the right setting for your child is an extremely important decision.

We are open term time – Monday to Friday – 9.00am to 3.00 pm. We offer morning (9.00am-11.30am), afternoon (12.30pm-3.00pm) or full day sessions.

We offer 24U funded places for 2 year olds and also 15 and 30 hour funded places.

Every month, BookTrust review dozens of new books for children and teenagers. For the full list have a look at their website

www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/our-recommendations/best-new-books/



Congratulations!

Today in Key Stage 1, we held our Prize Draw for the first half of the Summer Term, which was delayed from before the holiday, due to holding our fantastic Steam Day Assembly. A Key Stage 2 Prize Draw will be held next week.

Reception Wrens

Paul Cracknell

Reception Robins

Arthur Crump

1 Ash

Morgan McGrail

1Oak

Emily Cornes

2 Ash

Josie Irving

2 Oak

Evie Gordon

Parent Questionnaire

Earlier in the year, you kindly shared your thoughts via Microsoft Forms in regards to the schools response to Home Learning.

A questionnaire has now been created to gather the thoughts of parents and carers, and to gauge current opinion about the whole school experience.

We would be grateful if you could give 5 minutes or so to complete it via the link below.

<https://forms.office.com/r/Jiv6x0q2cC>

As always, your continued support is very much appreciated.

Kindest regards

News from Reception Unit – Sandpits Road

Our RE theme for this term is about special stories. To start our topic, we have been thinking about our favourite stories. We would love to share some stories so if your child has a favourite story they would like to bring in then please do so.

As it is now getting hotter, please remember a sun hat and to put sun cream on your child before they come to school in the morning. You can send this in with them for them to re-apply (if needed) in the afternoon.

Car Parking

Unfortunately, we are experiencing some car issues on both school sites which are being relayed to us by concerned parents and carers.

A lady dropping her grandchild off at Sandpits Road site this week, reported seeing a car parked on the zigzags outside school, with the engine left running.

We have lots of parents using the car park at Clee View to drop off their children in the morning. Please do not do this as it then means your child must navigate themselves through a busy car park with staff arriving for work, so they can join their year group lining up on the pathway. The car park is out of bounds for dropping off and also picking up at the end of the school day.

Finally, please drive, and park, carefully and considerately in the surrounding area of both schools. We are aware of a small number of parents who are driving in an unsavoury manner which has been brought to the local PCSO's attention.

Reporting your child's absence

Please make sure you either make a phone call, or send an email to admin@ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk, if your child is too unwell to attend school. This contact needs to be made regularly during your child's absence. Also, please notify us of any changes of details, particularly mobile phone numbers and emails. In some circumstances, it is extremely important that we are able to make contact with you swiftly and so it is essential that the details we hold for you are up to date.

If your child is sent home from school with a tummy bug (sickness and/or diarrhoea), please ensure that they **do not** return to school until 48 hours have passed from their last episode.

Dates for your Diary -

From Tues 15th June - Chance to Shine Cricket session for KS2

Friday 25th June - STEAM day

Thursday 8th July - Year 5 to Ludlow School (9am-3:15pm)

Wednesday 21st July - last day of term