

Newsletter

July 2021

End of the year.

What a year it has been! Thank you for your continued support and understanding of the different arrangements which have been in place this year. It is looking like things should be back to 'normal' in September but further full details will be release before you return on Monday 6th September.

End of year attendance.

This year, the class with the best attendance is Mr Palin's class with 96.63%

Next week, they will have an extra treat and the children will be deciding what they would like to celebrate with.

We also have one year 6 child who has had 100% attendance across the whole of the time he has been in school. Not a single day off since 2014. What an achievement for Matthew Plant!

Matthew will receive a certificate and a £50 award for his amazing attendance.



SUMMER HOLIDAY FUN

Every weekday of the Summer Holidays 1pm - 2.30pm

The Carboniferous When Minibeasts Ruled the World

Go back in time, feeling the heat, seeing the ferns, hearing the water and smelling the rotting vegetation to a time when minibeast ruled the world. Look at some fossils from this period, make an instant fossil and go on a hunt for their modern cousins.



Monday 26th - Friday 30th July
Monday 16th - Friday 20th August

Bubbles and Balloons

Make balloon animals, experiment with static electricity and a hovercraft. Make small and big bubbles with things you can find around your home and try to make a double bubble!

Monday 2nd - Friday 6th August
Monday 23rd - Friday 27th August

Native Americans

Make a dreamcatcher to hang above your bed. Make some twine and see if you can make a fire bow warm, try a spear thrower and track and creep up on prey.



Monday 9th - Friday 13th August

£4 per accompanied 4 - 11 year old. Members price £3.60.
Book at Reception or call 01588 676060.
Spaces are limited so BOOK NOW to avoid disappointment!

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Parent & Carer Kooth Session

An information session for parents and carers introducing Kooth, the support offered and how parents and carers can support their children to access the service.

This session will be running on two dates, Thursday 5th August and Tuesday 31st August and will be delivered by Donna Woodward - West Midlands Engagement Team.

Booking Link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/parents-carers-introduction-to-kooth-west-midlands-tickets-163013679303>

The session is an excellent opportunity for parents and carers to learn more about the Kooth service, and how their children can access support over the summer around primary to secondary transition and many other topics.

School Achievements

Although a very different and restricted year, we are lucky that we have still managed to do and achieve so much. Here are a few highlights from across the year.



THE GREAT BRITISH STAYCATION

July and August



Sunshine, the taste of ice cream, the feel of sand between your toes. The sounds of Punch and Judy, donkeys trotting on the beach and steam train adventures – the Great British Staycation returns to the Severn Valley Railway.

If you're looking for the perfect day trip this summer, look no further than the Severn Valley Railway.

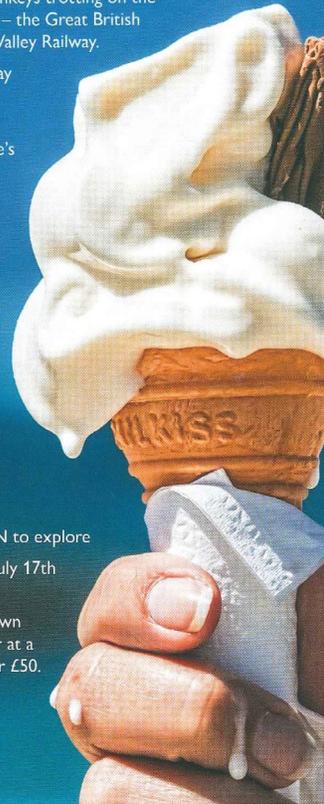
Throughout July and August, there's so much to do for children of all ages, harking back to summer holidays from years gone by. Start your journey at Kidderminster or Bridgnorth and step back in time for a full day of family fun and discovery. Smiles guaranteed all round!

- A HUGE indoor beach
- Donkey rides (selected dates)
- Crazy Golf (selected dates)
- Interactive summer show (selected dates)
- Our GIANT deckchair
- The Engine House will be OPEN to explore

Steam trains run every day from July 17th to September 5th.

A full day on the railway in your own family compartment from £100 or at a socially distanced table for two for £50.

Book now at
SVR.CO.UK



Final goodbyes

As we say goodbye to Mrs Wheatley who is retiring and Miss Crossley who has a different job not in education any longer, we also say goodbye to Mrs Kirby who is also leaving education behind. We wish her luck in her new venture, thank her for her years of dedication to the school and our pupils and will miss her greatly.

Reminders

We are in school next Monday and Tuesday and the children will be having their end of term treat morning on the Tuesday. They have all chosen what they want and they will also all receive a nice refreshing ice cream. Let's cross our fingers for more sunshine.

Anyone wishing to collect the children's books or drop off a laptop they have borrowed, please do so next week. We will be available on the Tuesday to collect any for families who are isolating, please contact the office to arrange.

We return to school on Monday 6th September. Staff will be in school on the Thursday and Friday before. Should you need to contact us in an emergency please use the contact form on the website or e-mail us using the address A2175@telford.gov.uk

Happy Summer Holidays.

Enjoy the summer with your close ones.

