

Summer Term (2) 2022 - Weeks 1 - 4

'Great oaks from little acorns grow'



"A tree is known by the kind of fruit it bears."

– Matthew 12 v33

"Keep your roots deep in Him and your lives built on Him."

– Colossians 2:7

Our Value of the Half Term is: Hope



Superstars of the Week

	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk3	Wk 4
Acorn:	Fionnlagh	Jack	Dylan	Bryn
Beech:	Amelia	Tommy	Lily	Wilfie
Oak:	Cleo	Lottie	Adam	Rosie



Sports Stars

	Wk 2	Wk3	Wk 4
Acorn:	Flynn	All the children for embracing new sports and experiences during Sports Week	All the children for developing their Athletic skills & achievements
Beech:	Pippa		
Oak:	Cleo		



June Birthdays...

Amelia
Jack
Nia
Penny
Lorna
Freddie
Cleo



Ladder Club Legends

Beech Class:

Annabell, Jacob, Lottie, Tommy, Anthony, Amelia, Beth, Rebecca, Arthur G, Lily, Flynn, Thea, Savannah, Finlay, Pippa & Penny

Oak Class:

Rafael, Henry, Cleo and Phoebe



Class Mascots

	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk3	Wk 4
Acorn	Walter	Rocco	Hero	Jazmine
Beech	Savannah	Connor	Alfie	Lily
Oak	Cleo	Sam	Lukii	Rosie

Table of the Week

Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4



Gold Awards



Lily W: Flipz Gymnastic award for always smiling and trying her best and Grade 6

Lottie V & Penny: Jubilee badge at Rainbows

Jacob M: achieved Wave 1 and 5m badge in swimming

Thea: Flipz Gymnastics Level 5 proficiency award

Dylan: Wave 3 swimming badge

Ella: Gymnastics badges Grade 2 & Grade 1

Finlay: 25m Swimming

Annie: Thai boxing student of the month

Tommy: First Aid & Geography badges in Beavers



Good To Be Green

Well done to all the children who have been 'green' every day during these last 4 weeks.

Congratulations to pupils who completed their Bronze cards and are now on to Silver level.



What a fantastic day at Hereford Leisure Centre. Pupils from Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 achieved a fantastic 3rd place overall in the HMFA track athletics competition.

Mrs Townson and all the staff couldn't be more proud of our athletes. With a total of 43 medals (including 6 golds) what a day!



The children enjoyed an array of sporting activities last week. A huge thank you to all the enthusiastic visitors who inspired our pupils. They participated in Taekwondo, Swimming, Multi-skills, Modern Pentathlon, Ballet, Swimming, the Daily Mile, Cricket and an assault course! The week culminated with a visit from an ex Grenadier soldier who introduced our children to Tug of War. This brought out the competitive streak in our children – and staff! Additionally, a special thank you to our Year 6's who led a multi-skills event for us all to enjoy.

See below for the out of school clubs offered by the ballet and Taekwondo coaches.

Taekwondo – Monmouth Comprehensive School sports hall – Wednesdays 5.30-6.30pm Ballet – Tudorville Community Centre Ross on Wye – Saturdays 9am with Yee Yee Hall yeehall91@gmail.com

"My favourite was the floor is lava in bootcamp" Ed

"I loved the ballet and I showed my mum some of what we did" Penny

"I really enjoyed the kicking in Taekwondo" Flynn

"I enjoyed making the boys do sit ups when they lost in Tug of War!" Sophia

"I liked our good and naughty toes in ballet" Lorna

"I never knew I could hit the ball so far in cricket!" Jacob M

"I loved using my strong muscles in Tug of War" Rocco



On Tuesday Acorn class had a very exciting trip to Pizza Express as part of our topic 'Me and my world'. We started our morning by making sure our hands were washed and aprons were on. We discussed the ingredients we needed and had a go at reading the recipe card. The children loved spreading on the sauce, adding the cheese and sprinkling on some herbs. After that we let the chef put them in the oven and we had fun with an ingredients quiz, learning where our food comes from. We also shared our knowledge about Italy that we had been learning in school. We were very excited to take our pizza home and even got a certificate! What a fun trip!

Acorn Class



In our 'Near and Far' topic the children have been developing their map reading skills whilst finding Commonwealth countries – marking them on the World Map with the countries' flags.

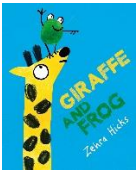
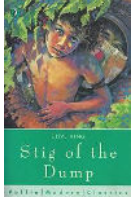

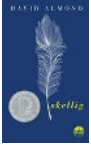
Beech Class



Oak Class



Oak class have been learning how to ask for different fruits in French. They wrote a list and recipe for a fruit smoothie – writing the amounts in french too. They then had a 'sensationnel' time making smoothies.

	Class Story	English & SPaG	Maths
Acorn Class		Year 1s have been writing instructional writing – focusing on imperative verbs and 'you will need lists'. Reception have been looking at capital letters and full stops when writing a recount, including a recount of our Pizza Express trip.	We have been having fun in maths learning to tell the time to o'clock and half past. We have been counting in 2s, 5s and 10s whilst also learning the value of coins.
Beech Class		The children have been using facts learned in Science to write an alternative poem based on <i>The Guppy</i> by Ogden Nash. They have also written a poem inspired by Queen Elizabeth's Platinum Jubilee meeting with Paddington Bear called '10 things in the Queen's Handbag'. Carrying on the jubilee theme – the children have been learning how to write informal letters – writing a 'recount' about the jubilee events.	The children have been focusing on making amounts of money – with the fewest number of coins. They have been developing their clock reading skills too – including using the x5 to help learn the time to the nearest 5 mins. Year 3 have started to read the time in the 24 hour clock 
Oak Class		Writing has focussed on creating atmosphere by placing vulnerable characters in specific settings.	The children have been estimating totals of money before using formal methods to add or subtract.



HELP NATURE

TEA PARTY

SAT 2ND JULY 2022

2.00-4.30PM

Christ Church, Llangrove



Come to see the exciting projects we are launching. Hedgehog Lanes, Trees from Seeds, and boxes for bats, swifts and other birds



Archenfield Community Environment Group

The Toys & Childhood Exhibition – Whitchurch Memorial Hall

Inteactive exhibition Victorians to 1980's

Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd – 10am – 4pm

- Prices: adults £2.00 each (cash only) children free when accompanied by adult
- Displays of more than 100 actual toys from late 1800's to 1980's will include model trains (courtesy forest of dean model railway club), star wars, robots, construction toys, puppets, dolls houses, and many more
- Refreshments and retro toys on sale (cash only)
- This exhibition is put on by whitchurch and ganarew local history society and follows their very successful 2021 exhibition "everything1960's"

Monday 4th & Tuesday 5th

Y6 Monmouth Comprehensive Taster Days

Monday 4th







Oak Class

Wednesday 6th



Swimming lesson (Oak Class) session 5 of 5 (am)

Summer Herefordshire School Games – Year 3 & 4 pupils @ Hereford Leisure Centre (please see Mrs Townson's letter for details)

Thursday 7 th	Y6 John Kyrle High School Taster Day
Monday 11 th	 Oak Class – last session of the term
Wednesday 13 th	New Reception pupils – Parents/carers meeting @ 5pm in Acorn Class
Thursday 14 th	Transition day/morning – New Reception pupils in Acorn Class, Year 1 in Beech Class and Year 3 in Oak Class Year 6 leavers' Herefordshire Diocese service @ Hereford Cathedral (pm)
Friday 15 th	 School Sports Day – afternoon Gates open to parents & carers at 1:15pm / Sports Day races begin at 1:30pm
Monday 18 th	Whole School Trip – details to follow
Tuesday 19 th	 Teddy Bears' Picnic – whole school outdoor lunch (weather permitting) all pupils to bring their favourite teddy pm – New Reception children transition (afternoon)
Thursday 21 st	 Year 6 Celebration Leavers Service – all Year 6 parents/carers welcome (please see Mr Fox's letter) Last day of term - 2 pm finish



'Here for Herefordshire Holidays' FREE summer holiday activities are now available to book!

If you are a parent or carer of a school aged child 5 to 16 years old (Reception to year 11) who is eligible for benefits-related free school meals, You can now book up to **64 hours** of free activities throughout the summer holidays.

This summer we have a huge range of activities to take part in; drama workshops, outdoor activities, forest school, football, clay pottery, rugby, music workshops, cooking, day trips, animal care, swimming, biking, circus skills, climbing, inflatables, racket games, gym, dance, martial arts, SUP and so much more. Your child will also receive a free nutritious meal during each session. Some providers are able to offer provision for children with SEND or additional needs.

Book now by visiting our Talk Community holiday activities webpage:
www.talkcommunity.org/holidayactivities.

Places are limited and will be allocated on a 'first come first served' basis. We understand children aren't always able to attend booked activities, however, We would kindly request that children are cancelled off the session via the booking system to enable others to attend.

The activities are only available to children who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals and checks will be made to ensure that children meet this criteria.

If you have a question about the 'Here for Herefordshire Holidays' Programme, please contact the team:
HAF@herefordshire.gov.uk

The Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme has been funded nationally by the Department for Education.

You can find out more by visiting the HAF2021 website: www.HAF2021.org.



BALLET CLASSES
ENROLLING NOW FOR
SEPTEMBER 2022!

STARTING NOW AT TURDOVILLE COMMUNITY
CENTRE, ROSS -ON-WYE

TUESDAY

NEW Pre-school ballet (ages 3-4) 4.00-4.30pm

NEW RAD Grade 3 ballet 4.30-5.30pm

SATURDAY

RAD Grade 1 ballet (ages 6-8) 10.00-10.30am

Pre-school ballet (ages 3-4) 10.30-11.00am

Jazz & ballet (ages 7 and above) 11.00-12.00pm

LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE PER CLASS!

FOR MORE INFO OR BOOK A PLACE,

ROYAL ACADEMY OF
DANCE
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Dance Venture



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