

'Great oaks from little acorns grow'



Summer Term (2) 2025

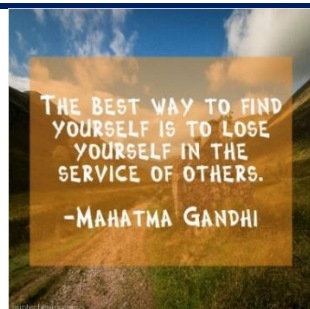


Week 3 & 4

Llangrove CE Academy Vision & Ethos

"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 for this Summer half term is Service



May...
God the Father
watch over us
God the Son walk
with us
God the Spirit work
through us
Until we meet again
Amen

~ The Holy Trinity ~ a Prayer
from the Hereford diocese



Superstars

Service	Wk 3	Wk 4
Acorn Class:	Sports Week	Reenie
Beech Class:		Luna
Maple Class:		Anthony
Oak Class:		Betsy

**Lunchtime Table
of the Week:**

Wk 3	Wk 4



Team of the Week

Wk 3	Wk 4
GARRON	

Sports Stars



	Wk 3	Wk 4
Acorn Class:	Sports Week	Alis and Reenie
Beech Class:		Jack
Maple Class:		Penny
Oak Class:		Sophia



Ladder Club Legends

Beech Class:	Ari, Issy & Luna
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June Birthdays...

Jack, Asawin, Eska, Finnegan, Penny,
Nia, Lorna & Gwen

National School
**SPORT
WEEK**

Celebrating National Sports Week 2025

We had a fantastic Sports Week at school! The weather was warm and sunny, making it perfect (at times maybe too hot!) for all the outdoor and indoor activities. The pupils enjoyed a variety of fun sports, team challenges and races, showing great energy and sports-person-ship throughout the week. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces and children supporting each other. A huge thank you from Mrs. Townson to everybody involved in making our annual Sports Week another great success.

Tennis with Mike Buck (Monday 16th)

A big thank you to Mike for his tennis expertise and skill. We focused on developing key skills such as grip, swing and movement, not forgetting our "ready positions" with the racket.



Ball Games skills with Year 6 (Tuesday 17th)

As part of their final few weeks at Llangrove Academy, Year 6 took the lead in organising and running team games for all our younger pupils. They showed fantastic leadership, responsibility, and encouragement.



Forces Fitness (Wednesday 18th)

The Forces Fitness activities were a huge hit and a big thank you to Kieram, a Welsh ex-soldier, for leading such a fantastic, fun packed morning! Our pupils enjoyed a range of physical challenges designed to build strength, endurance and team work. It was great to see everyone encouraging each other - especially during the Tug of War!



Multi-skills (Wednesday 18th)

Well done to our fantastic Year 2 and 3 leaders who devised and led an array of multi-skills activities for our younger pupils. Their fun and engaging stations helped develop balance, co-ordination and teamwork.



Inter-House Bench Ball (Wednesday 18th)

It was a tournament that brought much energy and teamwork! Each house showed great spirit as they played fast-paced games, passing and dodging to score points. Congratulations to Monnow for their excellent win!



Taekwondo with Master Farr (Thursday 19th)

We were delighted to invite Master Farr and Hefina to our school for a masterclass in Tae Kwon Do. The pupils were introduced to the basics of this martial art, including important moves, discipline and respect.



Tag Rugby with Mr. Wargen (Thursday 19th)

A huge thank you to Mr. Wargen, our rugby expert, for leading a Tag rugby session. The session encouraged cooperation, communication and strategic thinking.



Dance with Mrs. Hew (Thursday 19th)

Thank you so much to Mrs. Hew for leading a fantastic dance session with our pupils. It was a lot of fun learning the jive and twist!



Sports Day Morning (Friday 20th)

Congratulations to MONNOW house winning the Sports shield for a 2nd consecutive year! Additionally, a huge congratulations to all our Sports Values medal winners too – very well deserved. It was also brilliant to see so many of our family members keen to participate in our Egg and Spoon races! Well done to everyone involved in the smooth running of the morning, including our ever-fantastic PTFA led by Mrs. Gilmour.



Acorn Class' trip to Flipz Gym (Tuesday 24th)

Acorn Class had a lovely trip to Flipz Gymnastics on Tuesday. We loved making different gymnastic shapes, practicing our rolls, jumps and ensuring we always used our safe landing position. The equipment was brilliant, and we had so much fun! Super gymnasts Acorn Class!



Mappa Mundi & Chained Library Workshop & Year 6 Leavers' Service, Hereford Cathedral (Thursday 26th)



Oak Class spent Thursday morning celebrating with hundreds of their fellow Year 6 pupils from across the Herefordshire Diocese. The Bishop of Hereford led a service of reflection about their times at primary school and the support they have alongside them all as they transition to secondary school. A big well done to Betsy, whose artistic interpretation of this years' Biblical reading (Philippians 4:8-9) was chosen as the central artwork for the service. Every attendee took home a copy of her artwork 😊



Outdoor learning timetable

Pupils to wear outdoor clothing to school, with wellingtons/outdoor boots/shoes in a bag, plus sunhat.

SUMMER 2	Day & Date	Location	Class/es
Wk 5	Tuesday 1 st July	School	Beech
Wk 6	Monday 7 th July	Nature Reserve	Oak
Wk 7	No Outdoor Learning		

LLANGROVE ALUMNI Class of 2022



Since leaving Llangrove in 2022, I have enjoyed John Kyrle and have just selected my GCSE's. I have chosen Geography, Business Studies, food technology and Spanish as my options.

I have heard that nobody has beaten my Llangrove ladder Club score! Maths is still one of my favourite subjects.

My favourite subject is geography because I like to know what is going on in the world and how the world works.

All the teachers at Llangrove really helped me to have a smooth transfer from Llangrove to John Kyrle. Everything that I have done at John Kyrle I had already been introduced to at Llangrove by Mr Fox. I really enjoy and appreciate the time I had at Llangrove and the effort the teachers put in for me and my classmates.

In my spare time I like drawing anime especially Dragon Ball. I also like to play football. I played for the school football team. My favourite football team is Benfica in the Portuguese league.

Kind regards,

Sam Gilbert.



Mental Health & Wellbeing and Online Safety Guidance

Mental health and well-being, along with using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote in Llangrove CE Academy throughout the year.



This guide examines YouTube Kids, a child-friendly version of the video-sharing giant, and explores the risks that may still persist despite the platform's safety-focused design.

YouTube Kids promises a safe, child-centric experience with colourful visuals, age-filtered content, and robust parental controls. Designed to appeal to younger viewers, the app has grown rapidly, being used by tens of millions of children worldwide. But is it as safe as it seems?

Despite YouTube Kids' safeguards, reports have highlighted worrying issues, such as inappropriate content slipping through filters, subtle advertising, and the use of manipulative design to keep children engaged. Our guide explores how to navigate these pitfalls, offering practical advice for making sure children get the most from the platform – without the risks.

News & upcoming Events



Ice-pops on sale on Fridays



Our Community...



The Monmouth Medieval Festival, is now in its third year. This is a family-friendly event, aimed at connecting the local community with the town and region's past, as well as providing entertainment and a fun day out.

This year's event will be held during school term time for the first time, on Saturday 5th July.

Further details can be found at <https://www.facebook.com/MonmouthMedievalFestival>



Dates for Your Diary – Summer (2) 2025



	Cookery Club (YR-2) ~ Mrs Rowson Athletics (Y3-6) ~ Mr. Fox	Rounders ~ YR – Y6 Mrs Townson & Miss Harry
Wk 5	Monday 30th June	Wednesday 2nd July
Wk 6	No Clubs	
Wk 7		

SWIMMING LESSONS – Oak Class



	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5
Tuesdays	3rd June	10th June	17th June	24th June	1st July



Wk 5	Monday 30th	Cookery Club (YR-2) ~ Mrs Rowson Athletics (Y3-6) ~ Mr. Fox (5 of 5)
	Tuesday 1st	Outdoor learning ~ Beech Class
		Year 4 visiting Flipz Gymnastics (pm)
		Oak Class last swimming lesson
	Wednesday 2nd	Hereford Summer Games ~ Year 2
		Rounders (Reception – Y6) ~ Mrs Townson & Miss Harry (5 of 5) New Reception pupils' transition meeting @ 4:30pm
	Thursday 3rd	Transition / 'Moving Up' Morning (1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Reception pupils' transition morning (9:30 – 11:30) in Acorn Class with current Reception Transition morning for Year 1 to Beech Class, to join Year 2s Year 3 to Maple Class, to join Year 4s Year 5 to Oak Class Year 6 Transition Day at John Kyrle High School or Monmouth Comprehensive
	Friday 4th	HMFA Athletics ~ Hereford Leisure Centre ~ Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Wk6	Thursday 10th	Transition / 'Moving Up' Morning (2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Reception pupils' transition morning (10:30 – 12:30) in Acorn Class with current Reception Transition morning for Year 1 to Beech Class, to join Year 2s Year 3 to Maple Class, to join Year 4s Year 5 to Oak Class Year 6 in hall
		Teddy Bears Picnic Lunch – all children to bring teddy/cuddly toy – all children will be eating 'al fresco' on the school field (weather permitting)
	Friday 11th *NEW*	Talent Show afternoon ~ details to follow from School Council
Wk 7	Wednesday 16th	Year 6 End of Year Show ~ 'Peter Pan...ish' 5:30pm in school hall
	Thursday 17th	Children non-uniform day
		PTFA Disco & Year 6 'Prom' 3:30 – 5pm
	Friday 18th	Year 6 Leavers service ~ 1pm
		Last day of term (2pm finish)
	Monday 21st	STAFF INSET Day
SUMMER HOLIDAYS		