



St Peter's
CE Primary School
Bratton

NEWSLETTER

Friday 24th May 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

May half-term has swiftly arrived upon us! It has been a busy half-term, especially as it has been crammed into 4 weeks! Year 2 finished their SATs tests this week, these have taken place throughout May.

It was super to see so many parents come along to the Bratton walk yesterday. A super community event. You'll see more about this further down the newsletter.

Just as a reminder, parents have had information about sports day this week. If you are missing information, please check your Parentmail.

I hope you all have a great half-term.

Best wishes,

Mark Davis

Head Teacher

Bratton Walk

Yesterday saw our annual Bratton Walk, organised by the PTA. It was a super event, walking around our beautiful local community. School would like to thank all those who contributed to organising the event. Volunteers check the route the night before, cut back grass, clear class and make sure the route is suitable for the following day – we appreciate all their efforts. From the photos, it does look like they've had some fun involved as well! There were also lots of marshals involved on the day – thank you to all of you as well. It was super to see so many parents and grandparents there, thank you for coming along to support us.

All sponsorship is being used to buy books for children to read, stocking up our reading areas across school.





UPDATES AND INFORMATION

Staffing update:

Year 1:

As parents of children in Year 1 will know, Mrs Woodcock is expecting a baby in July. Mrs Woodcock is planning to begin her maternity leave Friday 14th June (the end of phonics check week!). With the exception of a morning and the final 2 days of term, Mrs Fletcher will be teaching Year 1 full time through to the end of the school year.

Year 5

This week Year 5 have been exploring plant reproductive cycles. We dissected lilies to explore the different parts that make up a flower, and used this information to help us learn about the flower reproductive cycle. After we developed our understanding of how seeds form, we planted our own sunflower seeds so we can begin a new cycle of plant reproduction.

Year 5 will be taking their sunflowers home to look after and there will be a competition to see whose has grown the tallest.

Y6 children and parents

Attached to this newsletter is a flyer from Kooth. Kooth is an online counselling and emotional well-being service for children and young people, recommended by Telford and Wrekin SEND team. It supports children **from the age of 11 (Y6)** using a confidential, secure, moderated website. Children, once registered with Kooth, can join in forums to discuss issues which are important to them, ask for advice from counsellors and even play games. If you are interested but would like further information, then please ask Mrs Boughey who is our school SENCO.

SPORTS UPDATES

Football Success

3 of our Y5 boys have played for Telford Utd U10s this season in the Midlands Junior Premier league. They recently played in the Cup Final and have shared their success and experience with their class. This is a report from one of the players.

Telford Utd U10 MJPL Cup Final.

“Today was the day... it was our Midlands Junior Premier League (MJPL) cup final for Telford Utd U10s. We had to travel to Coleshill Town FC where the final was being played (The journey felt so long). It was a really big match and I was feeling nervous, not wanting to let my team down and thinking about how the match would go. When we finally arrived we were all very excited but focussed. Warming up, team talks by our Manager and Coaches was part of the nervous build up. When the whistle blew to start the team knew we had to work hard. We had lots of attacking play and attempts on goal but couldn't hit the target but then came the penalty. We all stood fingers crossed hoping it was going in...one of the team took a cracking penalty taking us 1-0 in the lead. Then, in the second half West Hagley scored to equalise. Our team had to work even harder now to try and win the match. With only about five or ten minutes to go our striker went around their keeper and knocked the ball into the back of the net taking us 2-1 up. This score was the final result and meant we won the cup and were MJPL Cup Winners. We were all so excited that we all ran up to each when the final whistle blew. We all got given an individual trophy and a massive team trophy.... what a great last match of the season.

By Rhys 5W2 (Picture Ryan, Rhys and Jacey)



More Football Success!

3 of our pupils play for Admaston Juniors U10's football team and last Sunday the team won the Telford Junior League Cup Final at Shifnal Towns Acoustafoam stadium.

Well done to Alex, Harry and Bradley in 5W1

DATES FOR THE DIARY

| Date | Event |
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| w/c 3 rd June | Value Day |
| Tuesday 4 th June | KS1 Sports Day |
| Wednesday 5 th June | KS2 Sports Day |
| Thursday 6 th June | Pentecost Experience Year 4 |
| Friday 7 th June | Year 3 visit to Chester |
| Friday 7 th June | Open day for prospective parents |
| Tuesday 11 th June | Prayer for School 10:00-11:30am |
| Tuesday 18 th June | Year 1 visit to Blists Hill |
| Wednesday 19 th June | Reception visit to Weston Park |
| Thursday 20 th June | Year 4 visit to Shrewsbury Museum |
| Thursday 20 th June | Years 5 and 6 Hobgoblin Theatre Company Workshop in school |
| Monday 24 th June | Reception September 2019 Induction morning |
| Tuesday 25 th June | Reception September 2019 Induction morning |
| Friday 28 th June | St Peter's Day celebrations |
| Friday 12 th July | School Fete – details to follow |
| Tuesday 16 th July | Hopes and Fears Workshop Year 6 – details to follow |
| Wednesday 17 th July | Leavers Service in school Year 6 pupils and parents only – details to follow |
| Thursday 18 th July | Year 6 Leavers Service 10am St Peter's Church, Wrockwardine |