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# MINSTERLEY MONDAY

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## **Clubs this week**

Club	Day	Time	Children	Adult in charge
Swimming	Monday	9.15 – 11.45	Lawley Class	Mrs Pickard
Martial Arts Club	Monday	3.00 – 4.00	Years 3 to 6	MD Panthers coach
Toasty Tuesday	Tuesday	10.30	Whole School	PTA
Football Coach Club	Tuesday	12.00 – 12.30	Year 5 & 6	Mr Boulton
Forest School	Tuesday	9.30 & 1.15	Wrekin & Long Mynd Class	Mrs Ellis
Year 5 and 6 Football Club	Tuesday	3.00 – 4.00	Years 5 and 6	Mr Boulton
Brass Lessons	Wed.	1.00 – 3.00	Year 4, 5 & 6	Mrs Hawke
Percussion Lessons	Friday	9.30 – 11.40	Existing Groups	Mr Maher
Year 3 and 4 Football Club	Friday	3.00 – 4.00	Years 3 and 4	Mr Boulton

**Forest Schools** Forest School this week will be for **Wrekin and Long Mynd class** on Tuesday.

## **Jeans for Genes**

Thank you for supporting 'Jeans for Genes' day last Friday. We managed to raise a total of £75.23

**Year 6 Open Evening** at Mary Webb for Year 6 children and their parents takes place this week on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September from 6.00 p.m. – 8.00 p.m.

## **School Council**

Apologies for the error last week. Secretary of the School Council is Liam Stubbs.

**Book Fair** Please visit our BOOK FAIR in the school hall THIS week on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday (24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> September.) from 3.00 p.m. – 3.30 p.m. This is a good opportunity to buy some early Christmas presents! The school receives commission to buy new books for the school library.

**Pupil Premium Funding** As a school, we receive an amount of funding called 'pupil premium' from the Government which is dependent on whether families are in receipt of certain benefits.

It is important for our school funding that if you are in receipt of any of the following benefits that you speak to Mrs Julie Chesters at the school office. This funding, if you are eligible, will directly benefit your own child.

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400
- Income Support;
- Income Based Job Seekers Allowance;
- Income Related Employment and Support Allowance;
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999
- Guaranteed element of Pension Credit;
- Working Tax Credit run-on ( paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

### **Football Update**

Unfortunately the football competitions that we usually enter have been stopped at Shrewsbury and the nearest place that has been suggested is at Telford. I am keen to ensure that we still provide the children with the opportunity to play football. We are currently in communication with other local schools to hopefully arrange some tournaments closer to home.

**Harvest Festival.** Our Harvest Festival will be held NEXT FRIDAY, 5th October at 9.00 a.m. in the school hall. Can we please request donations of tinned, packet and/or bottled food, which should be taken into the school hall between 8.40 a.m. and 8.50 a.m. on the morning of the Harvest Festival. If you would prefer to bring the donations in before this time please hand them in at the office or your child's class. All donated food will be given to the The Ark. All parents and friends are invited to join us at the Harvest Festival.

At the moment the foodbank would particularly like donations of the following which are in short supply: pasta sauce, washing powder, tinned carrots & peas, packet/cuppa soup, spaghetti – dried packet, hot dogs, tinned fruit, squash, tinned spaghetti, tinned fruit, tinned meals (steak, mince, stews), oats and noodles. Thank you.

### **Uniform Price List**

Unfortunately, as we have renewed our school stock, prices have increased from the supplier. Please find the following prices for school uniform:

Sweatshirts- £9.50

PE shirts- £3.70

PE bags- £3.50

Book bags- £3.70

### **Playground safety**

Can we please remind you not to ride bikes and scooters on the school playground before and after school to ensure that we can keep everyone safe during the rush.