
MINSTERLEY MONDAY

The Weekly School Newspaper.

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Clubs this week

Club	Day	Time	Children	Adult in charge
Martial Arts Club	Monday	3.00 – 4.00	Years 3 to 6	MD Panthers coach
Toasty Tuesday	Tuesday	10.30	Whole School	PTA
Forest School	Tuesday	AM & PM	Caradoc & Lawley Class	Mrs Ellis
Football Coach Club	Tuesday	12.30– 1.00	Year 5 & 6	Mr Boulton
Year 5 and 6 Football Club	Tuesday	3.00 – 4.00	Year 5 & 6	Mr Boulton
Brass Lessons	Wednesday	1.00 – 3.00	Year 4, 5 & 6	Mrs Hawke
Tuba Club	Wednesday	3.00 – 3.30	Year 6	Mrs Hawke
Multi Skills Club	Thursday	3.00 - 4.00	Year 2 & 3	Mrs Hollins
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

Appeal for Christmas Trees and decoration.

We are currently busy decorating the school for Christmas. If you have any unwanted decorations or Christmas trees we would be very grateful for your donations.

KS2 Christmas Performance Costumes

As you will be aware, our Christmas performance will take place on Thursday 20th December 5.30 pm - 6.30 pm at the Parish Hall. The costume arrangements will be flexible. You may choose either of the two following options. Either your child will wear any costume that fits within the Nativity story: Mary, Joseph, Shepherd, Wise Man, Angel, Inn-keeper, Donkey, Camel or Star. Alternatively, your child may wear a Christmas themed jumper with suitable trousers or skirt.

Christmas Performances

WE STILL HAVE TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR ALL PERFORMANCES AT £1 EACH. THESE ARE NOW BEING SOLD ON A FIRST COME BASIS.

Nursery and Clee Class will perform 'Whoops a Daisy Angel' in the School Hall on Wednesday 12th December, there will be 2 performances, one at 10.00am & the other at 1.15pm.

Wrekin and Caradoc Class will perform 'The Wriggly Nativity' in the School Hall on Wednesday 12th December, there will be 2 performances, one at 2.10pm & the other at 5.00pm. **PLEASE COULD CHILDREN ARRIVE BACK AT SCHOOL FOR 4.30pm TO CHANGE INTO THEIR COSTUMES.**

Lawley, Stiperstones and Long Mynd Class (Carol Concert) on Thursday 20th December at 5.30pm in Minsterley Parish Hall. **PLEASE COULD CHILDREN ARRIVE AT THE VILLAGE HALL AT 5.00pm TO ENSURE THAT THE CAROL CONCERT STARTS ON TIME.**

Winter weather

As winter is now upon us we would like to remind you what the process will be should the school have to close due to bad weather. We will notify Shropshire Council closures site as soon as possible, and they will update their website with this information. To see this go to <https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/school-closures/primary-schools>. We will also update the website with a message and post on the school wall on Class Dojo as soon as possible.

Parking outside school Now the mornings and afternoons are dark and gloomy, can we please remind parents who drive to school to use the village hall car park. There has recently been a lot of parking on both sides of the busy main road which means a lot of children and parents are crossing the road making it extremely hazardous for vehicles to get through safely.

Christmas Cards –The school mail box is now open for post in the main school corridor. Please can you restrict the cards to children and families who attend our school and address the envelopes with children's Christian name, surname and class.

Community News

Minsterley Parish Hall

A Christmas fayre event organised by Holy Trinity Minsterley and St. Luke's Snailbeach Churches will be taking place on Saturday 8th December from 12-3pm. Father Christmas will arrive at 12.30 and there is an opportunity to visit him and have a photo taken!

Pontesbury Library

Santa Fun Run/Walk 2018 is to be held on Sunday 9th December starting at Pontesbury Library. Please meet at the library at 1.30pm to set off for 2.00pm event closes at 4.00pm (but entrants should be back before then) Entry fee Adults £5 children £3 – Santa suits/hats available to buy on the day or wear your own costume.

The routes will be explained before the start and clearly signposted & there will be marshalls. There are prizes for the first runners & walkers back taking into account different age groups and certificates for all those completing the course. Refreshments available at the finish, Santa & his sleigh will also be at the library when you return.

Further information available from Yvonne@pontesburylibrary.co.uk
Robin Trimby 01743 790276 , or call into the library

Holy Trinity Church

Experience Christmas. What's it all about? Come along to Church between December 15th – 19th , the church will be open from 10.00 – 5.00pm.

Monday 17th December – Carols in the church with the Stiperstones Brass Band 7.00pm. Mulled wine & mince pies will be served afterwards.