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
Football Coach Club	Tuesday	12.00-12.30	Year 5 & 6	Mr Boulton
Mindfulness Club	Tuesday	12.00-12.30	Year 5 & 6	Miss Pugh
Year 5 and 6 Sports Club (football)	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
Dance Club	Thursday	10.30-10.50	Whole School	Mrs Hollins
Mindfulness Club	Tuesday	12.00-12.30	Year 5 & 6	Miss Pugh
Year 2 and 3 Sports 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 Sports Club	Friday	3.00 - 4.00	Years 3 and 4	Mr Boulton

Egg Rolling – Thursday 11th April from 2:00 p.m.

All children will need to bring a hard-boiled egg on the last day of term to take part in the egg rolling competition. Eggs can be painted or crayoned but **not** varnished or coated in plastic. The eggs are rolled one at a time down a ramp on the playground to see which one will go the furthest. There will be prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd for each class. Parents and friends are invited along to join in the fun.

Clee, Wrekin and Caradoc classes will roll their eggs between 2.00 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. Lawley, Stiperstones and Long Mynd will roll their eggs between 2.30 p.m. and 3.00 p.m.

Easter Egg Hunt

The PTA are having a Easter Egg hunt after school on Thursday 11th April at 3.00pm. The cost is £2 per ticket and needs to be paid for by Friday 5th April to ensure that we have enough prizes. To pay for this event please send your child with the correct money into class. Each class will keep a record of the tickets purchased. The tickets will then be handed out on the day of the Easter Egg Hunt. Your family can then find the missing letters to spell out the name of our special Easter Bunny and return to the front of school to collect their prize. A guaranteed Easter Egg for every ticket purchased!

Key Stage 2 Brass Concert

On Wednesday 3rd April the children in Year 4,5 & 6 will be performing a brass assembly for parents at 2.30pm. It will be a fantastic opportunity for the children to show case their amazing achievements in learning to play their instruments.

Battle of the Bands

Last week Stiperstones battled against Long Mynd Class on TT-Rock Stars. Stiperstones won the first game in the tournament with an amazing 86872 coins earnt. Certificates will also be given out in assembly for the most 3 valued players in each class who earnt the most coins. The next battle (Lawley Class against Long Mynd Class) began today at 9am and will continue until Thursday at 3pm.

We are currently focusing on the leadership board, which measures the average speed of the children at the school on TT Rock Stars. Minsterley Primary School currently sits at second place and we have high aims to take the top of the leadership board within the next few weeks.

Swimming

Caradoc class will be swimming on a Tuesday. **This will be the last session for this class.** Can we please request £1.50 donation towards costs. Thank you.

Online cashless system

We are currently setting up an online cashless system for school that links up to a text messaging service. Our aim is to be a cashless school from after the Easter holidays. This means that you will be able to pay for visits, lunch, uniform and sign up to breakfast club by making the payments from online. The system will be live from April 1st and will be in full use from 29th April, please can you ensure that school have up to date mobile phone numbers to enable our text messaging system to be set up correctly.

School Dinners

We have held our price for school meals at Minsterley School very successfully for a few years now at £2.10 per lunch. However, despite our best efforts the price of £2.10 does not enable us to cover the total cost of the school meals at the School. This means that we must raise the cost. As a result, we have taken the decision that the price of a school meal will increase to £2.20 per meal from 29th March. This is in line with other local schools some of whom already charge £2.20.

Date	Event	Time
Wednesday 3 rd April 2019	Key Stage 2 Brass Concert- in school (Parents invited)	2.30pm-3.00pm
Thursday 11 th April	Egg Rolling	2.00pm-3.00pm
Thursday 11 th April	PTA Easter Egg Hunt	3.00pm-4.00pm
Monday 15 th -26 th April	Easter Holidays	
Throughout May 2019	Key Stage One SATS	8.40am-3.00pm
Monday 13 th – Thursday 16 th May 2019	Key Stage Two SATS	8.40am-3.00pm
Monday 10 th June- Friday 15 th June 2019	Phonic Screen Check	8.40am-3.00pm

Dates for Your Diary

Community News

Minsterley Methodist Church are holding a KraftyKidz session at Minsterley Methodist Church on Tuesday 9th April from 3.15pm-5.15pm. This activity is free of charge. Booking is essential so please email <u>beckykatie@btinternet.com</u> or <u>holders7@hotmail.co.uk</u> Or telephone 01743 791045 or 01743 891861.

Holy Trinity Church are holding a Messy Easter craft session on Good Friday, 19th April from 10.00 -12.00, this will take place in Minsterley Parish Hall. This activity is free of charge. Parents are welcome to stay with their children, however pre-school children must be accompanied by an adult.