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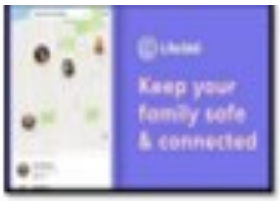
Friday 19th July (No. 38)

Message from Mr Marshall

It is hard to believe that this week is the last full week of school this year. It has been a fantastic year with many, many highlights and was capped this week by a wonderful performance from Oak Class. Oak Class have had an amazing year and have shown time and again that they are, and will continue to be, excellent role models. They have developed as great leaders for the younger children, living our ethos of kindness and respect and showing the ambition and drive needed to succeed. Over the last few weeks these amazing Year 6's have been preparing to move on to their next stage in education, when they start secondary school in September. I have known almost all these children since they were five years old, some of them when they were even younger! They have become confident, caring and independent young people, who we can all be extremely proud of. In September they will move on to their new secondary schools where I know they will continue to flourish. We will miss them, but I know you will join me in wishing them huge success as they move on to the next stage in their educational journey. We will look forward to hearing about all of their achievements over the coming years.



Safeguarding



With the summer holidays fast approaching we want to wish all our families a wonderful and safe break.

During the summer it is inevitable that your children will be out and about more than usual. It is so important that we keep track of our children as they become more independent and know how to keep them safe.

Knowing where they are going, with who and what time they are expected to come home is key to making sure everyone is safe.

Life 360 is a FREE app that can be used to stay connected to your family. It is useful to have on your child's phone as it can let you know their live location and can let you know when they arrive at a destination. There are many other handy features too. For free you can access:

Make daily coordination a breeze

- ✓ Location Sharing
- ✓ 2 Place Alerts
- ✓ Location ETA
- ✓ Family Driving Report
- ✓ Help Alert
- ✓ 2 days of Location History
- ✓ Battery Monitoring

Knowing where your child is if they have gone out alone or with friends can help to put your mind at rest that they are safe and where you would expect them to be.

Attendance

158 children had 100% attendance in the last week, you are awesome!

Sycamore Class were the best at being in & on time every day last week.

Well done Sycamore Class!

6 Penalty Notice Applications have been made so far this academic year.

01225 752678

option 1

Superstars!



Aaron,Maks,
Winnie,
Robert,
Devlin,
Esme &
Harry

Wraparound Care

From September, we are offering the following wraparound childcare:

- 7.45am to 8.30am
- 3.15pm to 5.15pm

To book sessions for Term 1 please use the electronic link below or email admin at admin@newtown.wilts.sch.uk

Breakfast Club and Wraparound Care booking form



Dates for Diary

23rd July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (9.15am to 10.45am)
24th July	Last day of term
2nd September	INSET day - school closed to children
3rd September	First day of term

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PUPIL LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN TERM TIME AND UNAUTHORISED ABSENCE

Important notice to all parents and carers

With effect from 19 August 2024 Wiltshire Council may issue penalty notices for unauthorised absence from school. This includes unauthorised absence as a result of a holiday taken in term-time. If a pupil accumulates 10 or more sessions of unauthorised absence within a 10 week period the school may issue you with a Notice to Improve School Attendance*. If your child's attendance does not improve the school must notify the local authority and a penalty notice will be issued to each parent for each child where that applies.

A penalty notice of £160 will apply to be paid within 28 days. This will be reduced to £80 if paid within 21 days. *(a parent will receive a penalty notice for each of their children)*

If a further penalty notice should be issued in relation to the same child within 3 years of the first penalty notice this will be in the sum of £160 to be paid within 28 days. *(a parent will receive a penalty notice for each of their children)*

If after 28 days the penalty has not been paid, legal proceedings will be taken through the magistrates' court for the unauthorised absence.

***NB: A Notice to Improve School Attendance will <u>not</u> be issued where the unauthorised absence is due to a holiday in term-time**

DEVIZES Music ACADEMY

SUMMER HOLIDAY PERCUSSION WORKSHOPS!

LEAD BY ROYAL WELSH GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL PERCUSSIONIST WITH THE FULLTONE ORCHESTRA, DANIEL LAURO

5 and 6 AUGUST - Beginners - 10am - 5pm
7, 8 and 9 AUGUST - Intermediates - 10am - 5pm

YOU CAN DO ONE OR BOTH!
LEARN A NEW SKILL AND HAVE TONNES OF FUN!

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO BOOK EMAIL JEMMA@FTO.ORG.UK

SPACES ARE LIMITED TO 15 PER SESSION

TROWBRIDGE TOWN YOUTH FC



We are looking for players !

Our U9s are currently recruiting more players to play in the Mid Wilts Youth League for the 2024/25 season.

If you know someone starting year 4 in September and who likes to play competitve football please contact Jack on 07572 319930 for more information.

Family Hub Wiltshire Council | All Together Supporting families in Wiltshire

Being a Parent

For parents of children aged 2-11



A 9-week course for parents

Full of practical ideas and support for you as a parent

For more information call us on:
0800 970 4669
Or visit our website:
Wiltshiretogether.org.uk/AllTogether

Join us :

Online
11th September -13th November 2024
6pm-7:30pm

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What's on in Trowbridge Library

Summer 2024



Summer Events		
Date	**Event**	**Time**
Wed 24 July	Libraries Change Lives (Atrium event)	All Day
Wed 31 July	**Healthy Movers for 2-5 year olds** **Book your free space at: health.coaches@wiltshire.gov.uk**	**14:00-15:00**
Sat 3 August	Story Time and Creative Session with Trowbridge Museum	11:00-11:30
	Drop-in Creative Session for all ages with Trowbridge Museum	11:30-13:00
Tue 20 August	Story Time and Creative Session with Trowbridge Museum	14:00-14:30
	Drop-in Creative Session for all ages with Trowbridge Museum	14:30-15:30
Thu 22 August	**Read to a Dog for all ages with Dogs for Health** **Book your free space by contacting the library**	**15:30-17:00**
Thu 29 August	Story Time and Creative Session with Trowbridge Museum	14:00-14:30
	Drop-in Creative Session for all ages with Trowbridge Museum	14:30-15:30

Plus, our regular Rhyme Times, Story Times and Lego Club will all be taking place as normal.

Don't forget to sign up and take part in the:

- **Summer Reading Challenge "Marvellous Makers"** (for children aged 4-11)
- **Marvellous Makers Character Trail**



Please also ask staff about our additional Reading Challenges:

- **Story Sharers** (for pre-schoolers)
- **Story Adventurers Club** (for children aged 4-16).

For more information, please contact Trowbridge Library on
Tel: 01225 716700
Facebook: @TrowbridgeLibrary

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