



# Wrockwardine Wood Infant School and Nursery Newsletter

'Love, Laugh, Learn'

28 June 2025. Summer Term.

## A Message from the Headteacher

### What a Wonderful National Sports Week!



Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had an action-packed and joyful week here at school as we celebrated National Sports Week with a fantastic range of activities that the children absolutely loved! A particular highlight was the brilliant Cross Bar workshops, where the children got stuck into sessions of cricket and athletics out on the school field.

On Tuesday, we held our Race for Life event in support of Cancer Research – and what a success it was! The children had an amazing time running together and proudly comparing their collections of silver coins. Thanks to your generosity, we raised a fantastic £260 for this important cause. Thank you all so much!

**A huge thank you to Mrs Johnson for her tireless organisation and passion – these events wouldn't be possible without her!**

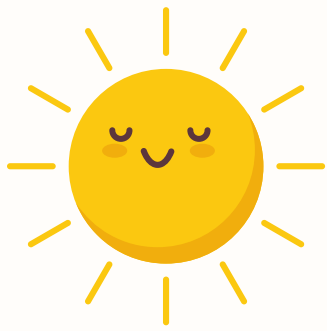
The children were absolutely amazing coping with the hot temperatures this week. Unfortunately, the weather meant we had to postpone Sports Day, but we're already looking forward to welcoming you all on the new date – **Friday 27 June**.

Finally, a reminder that our School Fair is taking place next **Saturday 28 June** – we'd love to see as many families there as possible. If you're able to help out in any way, please do let us know – every bit of support is appreciated.

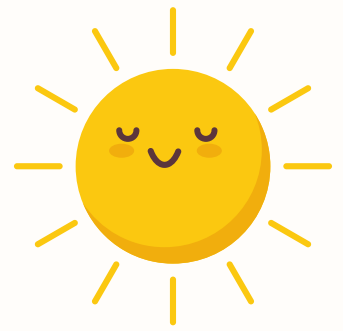
Have a lovely weekend.

*Mrs Jenny Gascoigne*  
Executive Headteacher





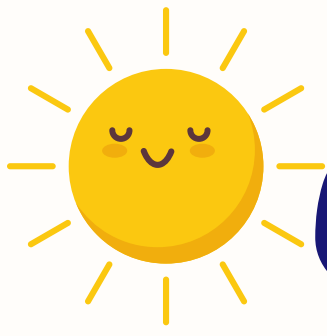
# Key Dates



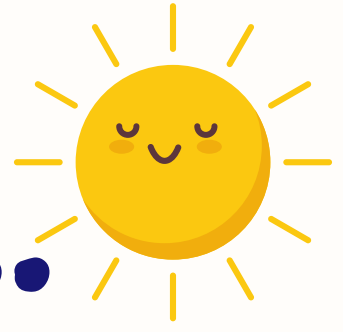
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Event	Date
<b>Thurs 26 June</b>	<b>September Classes Announced (email)</b>
<b>Fri 27 June. 10am-11:30am</b> Gates open at 9:45am	<b>EYFS Fun Sports Morning</b> (Including all Nursery am/ pm children and all reception classes)
<b>Fri 27 June. 1:30pm-3:00pm</b> Gates open at 1:15pm	<b>KS1 Fun Sports Afternoon</b> (Including all Year 1 and Year 2 classes)
<b>Sat 28 June</b> <b>2-4pm</b>	<b>PTFA Summer Fair</b>
<b>Thursday 3 July and Fri 4 July</b>	<b>Transition visit to new classrooms</b>
<b>Thursday 3 July and Fri 4 July</b>	<b>New Reception children inductions</b>
<b>Mon 7 July</b> <b>1:30pm-3:10pm</b>	<b>Yr 2 afternoon Visit to Junior School.</b> Children to be collected from Juniors at 3:10pm
<b>Tues 8 July</b> <b>Full day visit-3:10pm</b>	<b>Year 2 Full Day Visit to Junior School.</b> Children to be dropped off at infant school and collected from Juniors at 3:10pm
<b>Thurs 10 July</b>	<b>End of Year reports sent out to Parents and carers</b>





# Key Dates Continued...



Event	Date
Wed 16 July	Year 2 Prom (More info to follow)
Thurs 17 July 2pm	Year 2 Leavers Assembly (More info to follow)
Thurs 18 July	School Breaks up for Summer Holiday
Mon 21 July	PD Day
Mon 1 September	PD Day
Tues 2 September	Children Return to School for Autumn Term







# WROCKWARDINE WOOD INFANT SCHOOL AND NURSERY



# SUMMER FAIR SATURDAY

**28th June  
2:00pm-4:00pm**

SWEETS IN A JAR. LUCKY LOLLIES. WHITE  
ELEPHANT. POCKET MONEY STALL.  
CRAFT TABLE. BEAT THE GOALIE. HOOK A DUCK.  
RAFFLE. BOTTLE TOMBOLA. TEDDY TOMBOLA.  
CAKE STALL. PLAY YOUR CARDS RIGHT.  
REFRESHMENT STAND.

**Volunteers needed!**

**Please let Mrs Johnson know if you can help  
out by completing the short form:**

**<https://forms.office.com/e/2s7DsEvBMG>**







# Summer Fair Cake Stall



**Calling All Star Bakers!**

## **Cake Donations Needed for Our Summer Fair Cake Stall!**

We're looking for kind donations of cakes, cupcakes, traybakes, and sweet treats to help make our cake stall a big success at the Summer Fair!



### **Cake Collection:**

Friday 27 June at morning at drop-off, we'll be collecting cakes in the playground.

### **Important:**

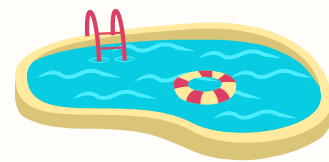
If you're baking your own cakes, please include a list of ingredients so we can clearly label them – this is really important for those with allergies and intolerances.

Thank you so much for your support!  
Let's make it a sweet success!





# Summer Water Safety



## Important Information for Parents

With the warmer weather upon us, it's only natural that children—especially older ones—may be drawn to swim in rivers, lakes, or other open water to cool off and have fun. However, this can be extremely dangerous.

Telford & Wrekin Council's Health Protection Hub has asked us to share important guidance on summer water safety. Open water swimming poses serious risks, including:

- Cold water shock
- Strong currents
- Hidden underwater hazards
- Waterborne illnesses, such as Weil's disease

Tragically, 46% of drownings happen during the summer, and this figure rises to 75% for young people aged 13–17. Helping children understand the dangers of swimming in open water is one of the best ways we can keep them safe.

We encourage you to talk with your children about water safety. The Royal Life Saving Society and the Canal & River Trust offer excellent age-appropriate resources to support these conversations:

- General Water Safety Advice (all ages): [RLSS Water Safety Information](#)
- Early Years & Primary-aged Children: [Canal & River Trust Safety Tips](#)

**Let's work together to keep our children safe this summer.**



# Fun Sports Day



Apologies for any disappointment caused by the need to postpone Sports Day on 20 June due to high temperatures.

We are pleased to inform you that we are now planning to go ahead with Sports Day this Friday 27 June, as the forecast predicts cooler weather.

**Access to the field is via the gate on the path between the school and the leisure centre.**

**Mr Rawlings will be there to let you in from 9:45am for the morning session and 1:00pm for the afternoon session.**

We look forward to seeing you there and thank you for your understanding. Please see the race times below.

Friday 27 June 2020	
Order of the day	
<b>AM</b>  <b>10:00-11:30am</b>  Nest PM will be invited in morning.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Teddy Bear rescue- Nest</b></li> <li>• <b>Giddy-Up Gallop- Nest</b></li> <li>• <b>Mini Movers Sprint- Nest</b></li> <li>• <b>Teddy Bear rescue- Chicks 1</b></li> <li>• <b>Teddy Bear rescue- Chicks 2</b></li> <li>• <b>Giddy-Up Gallop- Chicks 1</b></li> <li>• <b>Giddy-Up Gallop- Chicks 2</b></li> <li>• <b>Mini Movers Sprint-Chicks 1</b></li> <li>• <b>Mini Movers Sprint- Chicks 2</b></li> </ul>
<b>PM</b>  <b>1:30-3:00pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bean Bag Balance Challenge- Robins</b></li> <li>• <b>Bean Bag Balance Challenge- Wrens</b></li> <li>• <b>Eggventure Race- Swifts</b></li> <li>• <b>Eggventure Race- Swallows</b></li> <li>• <b>Giddy-Up gallop obstacle- Robins</b></li> <li>• <b>Giddy-Up gallop obstacle- Wrens</b></li> <li>• <b>Obstacle Dash - Swifts</b></li> <li>• <b>Obstacle Dash - Swallows</b></li> <li>• <b>Speedy Sprinters- Robins</b></li> <li>• <b>Speedy Sprinters- Wrens</b></li> <li>• <b>Speedy Sprinters- Swifts</b></li> <li>• <b>Speedy Sprinters- Swallows</b></li> </ul>







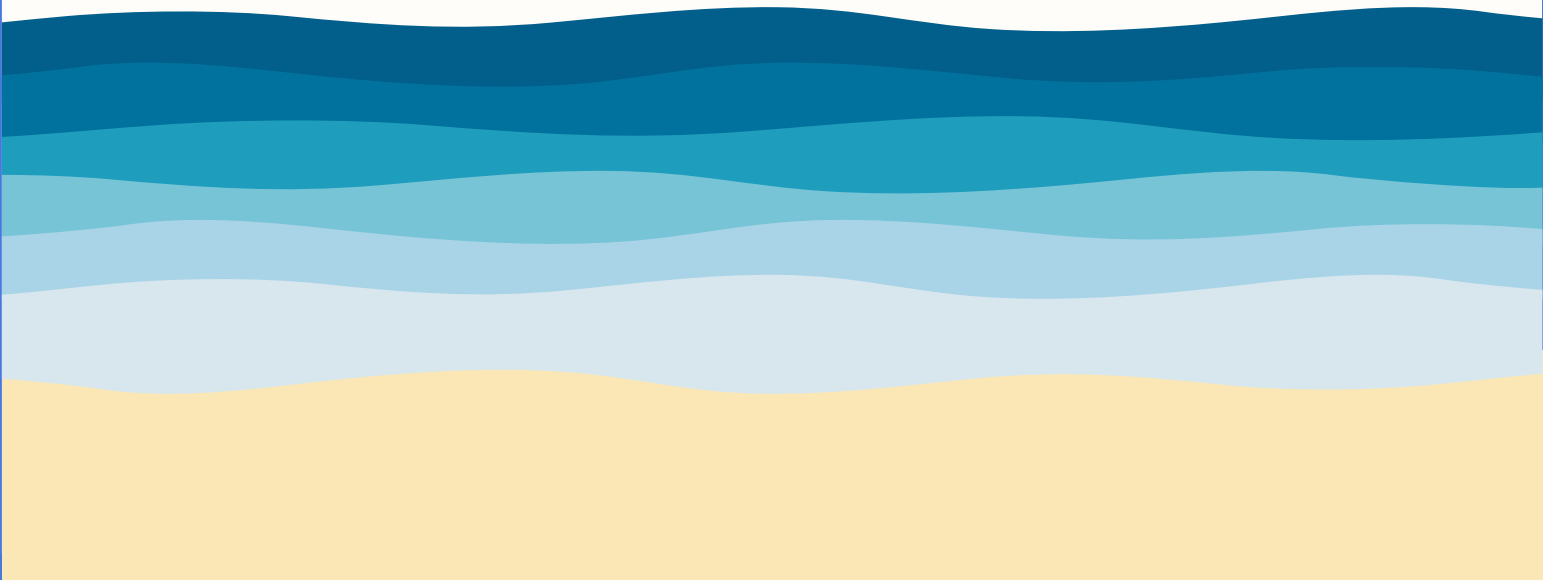
# Fairbourne Refund

Unfortunately, we have been unable to reschedule the Year 2 visit to Fairbourne due to the proximity to the end of term, as well as the unavailability of both the coach and Arthog.

As a result, we will be issuing a refund for the visit, which will be available for collection from Mrs. Griffiths on the playground during pick-up on Monday.

If this time is not suitable for you, please contact the admin office, and we will arrange an alternative.

Thank you for your understanding, and we apologise for any inconvenience caused.



# Transition



## Preparing for Change – Supporting Transitions This Half Term

This half term is all about preparing for change as the children get ready to take their next step on their educational journey. We are busy making plans to support all children with a smooth and positive transition.

### Year 2 Transition to Wrockwardine Wood Junior School

Year 2 parents will shortly receive direct communication from the junior school. In the meantime, we can confirm the following arrangements:

#### Monday 7 July

🕒 1:30pm – 3:10pm – Year 2 Afternoon Visit to WWJS

✓ Parents to collect children from Wrockwardine Wood Junior School at 3:10pm.

#### Tuesday 8 July

🕒 9:15am – 3:10pm – Year 2 Full Day Visit to WWJS

✓ Children to be dropped off at Wrockwardine Wood Infant School for registration.

✓ Parents to collect from Wrockwardine Wood Junior School at 3:10pm.

**We are also working closely with the junior school to offer additional settling-in sessions for children who may benefit from further support.**

### In-School Transition Days

On Thursday 3 July and Friday 4 July, we will be welcoming our new Reception children into school.

**These days also provide a fantastic opportunity for:**

- Our current Reception children to move up and spend time in their new Year 1 classrooms, meeting their new teacher and teaching assistant
- Our current Year 1 children to move up to Year 2 and enjoy learning in their new classrooms
- Our current Year 2 children to take part in exciting activities including sports and OWL (Outdoor Wonder and Learning) sessions as part of their transition programme

**We're looking forward to a positive and memorable half term as we help the children prepare for their next stage with confidence and excitement.**

**We will be in touch with information regarding your child's new class and teacher very soon!**





# Ice Lolly Sale



## Friends of WWI – Friday Ice Lolly Sales!

We're pleased to let you know that the Friends of Wrockwardine Wood Infant School will be selling ice lollies every Friday on the playground until the end of term. **Each lolly costs £1.**

All money raised will go directly towards enhancing our outdoor learning provision with new resources for the children to enjoy.

Thank you for your continued support!



# Year 2 Leavers Celebrations



## Dates for Your Diary – Year 2 Events

Please watch this space for more information, but in the meantime, here are two important dates for your diary:

- **Wednesday 16 July – Year 2 Prom**
- **Thursday 17 July at 2:00pm – Year 2 Leavers' Assembly**







# Online Safety Information



Want to help your child stay safe while gaming or using social platforms? Check out the "What Parents and Carers Need to Know" posters! 🎮📱

They are packed with quick, essential info about a range of popular online games and platforms, perfect for staying informed and starting important conversations at home.



 YouTube Kids

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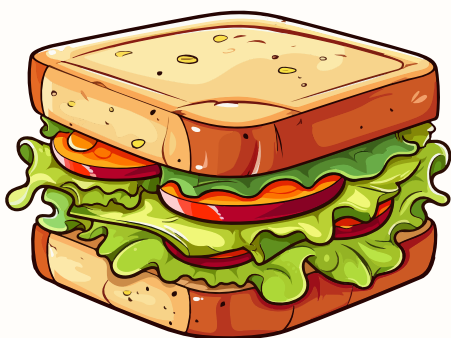
  
TikTok

**Click on the images to access information and advice you will find more on our online safety webpage**

# Sandwich Order Form

The link to the sandwich order form is now on our school website.

<https://www.wrockwardinewoodinfant.org.uk/parents-area/useful-information/school-meals-menu>



# 30 Hour Code Reminder



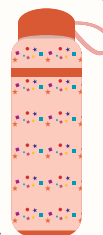
To keep your 30 hours free childcare place **you** need to check your details are up to date every 3 months. Go to [gov.uk/childcareaccount](https://gov.uk/childcareaccount)

Childcare  
**Choices**

 HM Government



## Water Bottles



We are encouraging all children from Reception to Year 2 to bring a water bottle into school each day.

While this has always been the case for our older children, we are now **extending this to include Reception children too.**

We will continue to keep cups in the classrooms if a water bottle is forgotten, we feel it's a great habit to establish early on and helps promote independence and healthy hydration throughout the day.

**Nursery children will continue to access drinks through the snack table, where they pour their own fresh water or milk throughout the session.**

# Useful Signposting

Please click on the images to access the websites.

Telford Public Health Nursing Service



Healthy you, Healthy Future

Telephone Number 0333 358 3328

Text 07520 619 053 School nurse 07520 619 051

Follow on twitter @ShropPHNurse Open 9am-4.30pm  
excluding bank holidays

School Nurse

Healthy Child Programme 0-19



Public Health Nursing Service



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to create a better borough



## SOUTHWATER DROP IN



Every Wednesday 9.30am - 12:30pm  
Southwater Library – children's section

- Advice and signposting
- Information on parenting/ courses
- Support and guidance around accessing local community activities
- Family hubs information



## ERIC's Guide to Potty Training







Right help at the right time

Family Hub services aim to make a positive difference to children, young people and their families by providing the right help at the right time. Family Hub Services are delivered through local centres where families can get free information, guidance and support on infant feeding, mental health, healthy lifestyles, parenting and many other services.

**Click on the image to access the website.**



**Oak Family Hub**

Location : Theatre Square, TF2 6EP



**Silver Birch Family Hub**

Location : 103 Southgate, TF7 4HG



**Walnut Family Hub**

Location : Ironbridge Road, TF7 5HX



**Cherry Blossom Family Hub**

Location : Cherry Hawkeworth Rd, TF2 9TU



**Hazel Family Hub**

Location : Waterloo Road, TF1 5NU



**Evergreen Family Hub**

Location : 35 High Street, Dawley, TF4 2EX





# Other Information

## Your Child's Learning

Click on the image below to access the class pages



Click on the image to access our Facebook page

## Term Dates

Click on the image to access our website

