

Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

This Half Terms Value—Thankfulness

Friday 22nd October 2021

This has certainly been a busy and long half term but very rewarding in so many positive ways. We have been able to welcome visitors back into our school and send our children out on interschool sporting competitions and activities. The last couple of weeks in particular have been very challenging as we have unfortunately seen a rise in the number of COVID cases in our school. I would like to thank all parents, pupils and staff for their patience, understanding and support during this time enabling us to keep everyone safe and hopefully stop the spread of the virus.

It has been an absolute pleasure to see the homework projects coming into school. Some of the models and research completed by the children is phenomenal. They have been so proud of their work and have really enjoyed sharing how their mums, dads and carers have helped them to complete it. (I'm not sure in some cases who has enjoyed it the most)! I look forward to seeing more creations next half term as we move into a whole school focus on design and technology. There are some pictures of the wonderful creations on the back page.

Once again thank you for your continued support and all of the hard work that is put in at home to enhance the children learning. I hope you have a lovely half term and a well deserved break with your children.

Mr Urey's Kindness Award

This half term the well-deserved winner of Mr Urey's kindness award is Tayla.

Tayla has twice grown her hair very long and then had it cut short and donated it to the Little Princess Trust https://www.littleprincesses.org.uk/ to be made into wigs. These wigs are given to children who are receiving cancer treatment and have lost some or all of their hair due to the medications. This is truly a selfless act and we are so proud of you Tayla. Well done for following in Mr Urey's footsteps with your kindness. Tayla will take home the trophy and keep it until Christmas when our next winner is celebrated. She also receives a food voucher for a free child's meal at Urey's Street Food. Thank you once again Norma Urey for your kindness too.



We were delighted that Mrs Urey could visit school recently and she has very generously given us an extremely kind donation in Mr Urey's memory. This will be used towards another initiative in school to honour Mr Urey.

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Raya H

Ethan L

Headteacher's Award: Alexander G and his Mum!

Also, every member of our staff for their hard work, commitment and resilience. Thank you.

Reminder that Blkeability for Year 5/6 will start on the 8th November. You will have received a text message if your child has secured a place. Thank you

3G	Summer J	4W	Lucas C
3H	Vinnie L	5C	Freya-Mai
3/4L	Ibrahim B	5H	Edward H
4B	Rhian, Amelia, Alfie, Ayva, Jacob	5/6BD	Chase F

Stars of the week

Well done everyone, you are all amazing!

Dates for your Diary

Half Term

25th Oct to

29th Oct

Mon 1st Nov

PD Day

Staff only in school

Tues 2nd Nov

Children return to school

Whole school flu immunisation spray Wed 10th Nov

Remembrance

Thur 11th Nov

School Photos (during the school day)

Thur 11th Nov





Uniform

Just a reminder that children should not be wearing large bows or other large items in their hair. As lovely as they look, they are not appropriate for school and therefore will not become an issue when children are playing with them or they are doing PE. Thank you.





Remembrance Day

We will be selling poppies in school to help raise money for the Royal British Legion and commemorate Remembrance Day on November 11th. Poppies will be on sale from Tuesday 2nd November when we return to school. As well as the paper poppies there are also rulers, snap bands and other items that the children will be able to buy. If your child would like to purchase any items please send them in with money in the first week back and the items will be brought around the classes for the children to purchase. Suggested donation amounts are: poppy 50p, zip pull 50p, reflector 50p, wristband £1 and snap band £1.50. Thank you.



Amazing Athletes!

On Tuesday 19th and Wednesday 20th October, we went to Telford College in a minibus to take part in an athletics competition against 6 other schools. We did long jump, chest throw, javelin, speed bounce and lots of running races. We really enjoyed ourselves and when the results were announced, we found out that we had come in first place! We were so excited!

By Frankie, Tristan, Eliza, Cameron, Layan, Chase, Amelia and Mizanu (Year 6)



After school Clubs

Family Fun Club will unfortunately not run for the first few weeks due to the covid risk of having extra adults in school at the present time. We will advise you as soon as we are able to start.

There are still spaces available at Minecraft, Street Dance, Warhammer, First Aid, Sign Language and Football. Please see the clubs timetable for details

Nala News

This week Nala has been busy visiting classrooms and meeting the children on the playground. The children have loved seeing her out and about. She is learning to sit and lie without being distracted and dropping the ball when playing catch.





Homework





Here are some examples of the fantastic homework produced recently. Well done everyone, this is amazingly creative work!





























Autism strategy and consultation launch

Telford & Wrekin Council and Autism West Midlands are launching a consultation to get the views of people with autism, their families and carers, as well as professionals across the borough. The consultation will be on the services and support that is available to them.

Telford & Wrekin are working in partnership with Autism West Midlands to engage with people and develop a new strategy that will help shape future services.

The autism strategy consultation will kick off with a virtual launch event on Thursday 21 October 2021. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Details on the consultation and full details for how to take part are on the Telford.gov.uk website.

You can read the full news release on the Telford & Wrekin Newsroom.

NSPCC DRESS DOWN DAY—Friday 22nd October

A big thank you to everyone who sent in their donation to the NSPCC. We raised a fantastic £180.40



Arthog Outreach



Ten adventurous children attended Arthog Outreach in Wellington this morning. They conquered their fears and tackled the climbing wall, cheered on their team mates and worked in pairs to attack the obstacle course. They were a credit to the school







Well done team, you are all fantastic!