



Castlefields Primary School, Castlefields, Bridgnorth, Shropshire WV16 5DQ

16th September 2022

Bank Holiday

We have received guidance from the Department for Education about the State Funeral for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. This will take place on Monday 19th September. This day has been named as a Bank Holiday and settings that are normally closed on a bank holiday should close on this day as a mark of respect. This will include schools. Castlefields Primary School will be closed to staff and children on Monday 19th September.

Condover

As a result of the Bank Holiday on Monday 19th September, we have had to postpone the Condover visit for Year 3 and Year 4 children. This will now take place on Monday 3rd October.

Stepping Out Training

Year 3 completed the first part of their Stepping Out training today. The next session is on Monday 23rd September.

KS2 Cross Country

The first KS2 Cross Country event takes place on next week on Tuesday at Albrighton Primary School. I hope you have received the letter about these forthcoming Cross Country Events and that you are encouraging your child to take part. They are great events and give children a great sense of team and personal satisfaction. The individual children that do well get put through to the Winter Games to represent East Shropshire.



Spelling Bee Year 6

On the morning of Friday 23rd September, the children in Year 6 will be going to Meole Brace School to watch Harriet take part in the Inter-School Year 6 Spelling Bee Competition. This will mean that there will be no swimming for year 6 on this day.

Year 6 Secondary Admissions

All year 6 children should have received a letter regarding the admissions for 2023/24. The closing date for applications is midnight on 31st October. If you are arranging to attend open days within school hours, please contact the office.

Thank you.

Harvest Festivals

Wednesday 5th Oct 2.30 pm Rec, Year 1 and Year 2

Friday 7th Oct 2.30 pm Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6

A maximum of two people will be invited per family due to fire regulations

PTA News

Thank you to all who attended the Friends of Castlefields AGM this week. It was really well attended and we have some fun events planned between now and Christmas. If you couldn't come to the meeting but would like to help out in some way please email us at castlefieldspta@gmail.com.

A date for your diaries:

School Disco with Disco Daddy!

Thursday 20th October (last day of term)

5pm-7pm

More details will follow on the event and the theme.



Sunflower Competition 2022

If you purchased your pack of seeds from us in April, it is now time to send us your photo of it and its measurement (in cm) and/or just a photo of it looking beautiful to castlefieldsPTAcomp@outlook.com by Friday 23rd September.

Include your child's name, class number and clearly state which category each photo relates to. Thank you!

A prize will be won for:

Prettiest sunflower

Tallest sunflower

The winners will be announced the following week

Good luck!

School Photographs

On Monday 3 October and Tuesday 4 October all children in school and Nursery will have individual and sibling photographs taken.

For children with pre-school siblings, photos will be on the Monday or Tuesday morning. Please book an appointment at the office. These photographs will take place between 8.15 a.m and 9.00 am. Also, Nursery children not in school on those days will need to make an appointment if required.