



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

17th June 2022

September 2022 Staffing

This year we have been working closely with the other primary schools in our Trust. The Trust are eager to retain good teachers and are mindful of both career and personal development. As a result, there has been a secondment agreed to allow Mr Chris Marsh, our Year 6 teacher to teach in Alveley Primary School for the next academic year. I know that this will come as sad news to many of you. Mr Marsh started at Castlefields as a Newly Qualified Teacher and has given many years of loyal service to our school. Moving to Alveley will allow Mr Marsh to experience another school and to take on new roles and responsibilities. I am sure you will all want to wish him the best of luck in this.

This has left a vacancy within our school. We have interviewed for this vacancy and have appointed Mrs Claire Cooper to fill the role. Mrs Cooper has worked in Castlefields for a number of years. This year she has been busy completing her teacher training in Year 1. Mrs Cooper is really excited about the new challenge ahead and looks forward to becoming a member of the teaching staff in September.

Sports Week

A reminder that next week we are celebrating Sports Week: see Dojo message dated 15th June for full details.

Monday : children may wear sports kit for the day to represent their favourite sports teams or teams they play for themselves. If your child doesn't have sports kit, they can wear their school PE kit.

Wednesday : we are holding a traditional style 'Jubilee Sports Day' for all children in KS1 and KS2. Children should come to school wearing colours to represent their house. Sea Horses are yellow, Turtles are Green, Dolphins are blue and Whales are red. Parents are invited at 1.00 pm. The reserve date is Friday 25 June.

Friday: Both KS1 and KS2 will be competing in an Athletics Meet at school. This will involve fully competitive individual events. All children will compete in a selection of tack and field events. As this is a dress down in exchange for filled jars and cakes, can all children come wear school PE kit.

Sporting Successes

We would love to celebrate any sports success stories from within our school community during our assembly on Wednesday morning. If you do or have previously played sport to a high standard and are free and willing to share your story, photos, memorabilia with us, please let the office know. The assembly is at 10.00 am.

Sporting News

Next week we have children from years 3-6 taking part in a golf tournament at Bridgnorth Golf Club - good luck!

Year 5 Spelling Bee

Next Thursday, some children from Y5 will be competing in a spelling bee at school, as the first round of a competition held by Meole Brace secondary school.

Year 4 Tennis

A reminder that year 4 children will be having tennis lessons on 20th June, 4th July and 12th July.

Scrap Paper

If anybody has a supply of 'scrap' paper that they would like to donate for the children to use during breaktimes / after school clubs etc , this would be very much appreciated. It doesn't have to be in perfect condition and can be of any size or colour! Thank you.

PTA News

Friday 24 June: Dress Down (in sports wear) day in exchange for filled jars.

Raffle: Each family will have been given 2 books of raffle tickets; please return any unused books to the office or ask if you require any more!

School Choir: The School Choir will be performing at the Summer Fayre; all children involved will have been sent home with a permission slip.

Sports Week 2022 / Monday 20th- Friday 24th June

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday – SPORTS DAY!	Thursday	Friday – Reserve Sports Day.
All day	SPORTS KIT DAY: Children and staff may wear sports kits for the day to represent their favourite sports teams or teams they play for themselves.		Children to come to school wearing colours to represent their house: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seahorses (Yellow) - Turtles (Green) - Dolphins (Blue) - Whales (Red) 		
AM	Birmingham2022 research: Each class to research this year's Commonwealth Games, held in Birmingham and produce a poster on one of the competing countries.		Sports Week Assembly @ 10am.		KS1 Athletics Meet (led by Y5/6 Sports Leaders): Fully competitive individual events, all children to compete in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 40m Sprints. - 40m Hurdles. - 200m run. - Standing Long jump. - Javelin Throw. (KS2 Classes welcome to watch).
PM	<i>Lunchtime – Y5 vs Y6 Football match. (Mr A to referee)</i>	<i>Lunchtime – Y3 vs Y4 Football match. (Mr A to referee)</i>	SPORTS DAY AFTERNOON (Whole school). Parents invited to attend – fun carousel of events 1-2:15pm. Followed by track races until 3pm. Further details to follow.		KS2 Athletics Meet: Fully competitive individual events, all children to compete in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - (60/80m) Sprints. - (60/80m) Hurdles. - 400m run. - Standing Long jump. - Javelin Throw. - Team relays. (KS1 Classes welcome to watch). Winners will represent Castlefields at the Shropshire Athletics meet.