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Our school values:

Curiosity, Friendship, Perseverance, Respect.

Value of the month for March:

ENDURANCE



Dear parents/carers,

We held a very successful, first 'Creativity Club' yesterday. The children in attendance understood that this is a child-led club and I am sure they will become even better at this aspect given more time. We used the first ten minutes to gather in the hall to explain the nature of the club. Forty pupils attended in total, a very impressive figure. We are confident we can supervise this number moving forward as we have three or four staff available every Thursday.

There are two other events, worthy of note this week. Firstly, well done to Stanway Class who took part in a Tag Rugby event at Church Stretton Secondary. We entered two teams and both teams came third in their respective groups. The children took on board and enjoyed a pep talk on the morning of the event from Mr Norton – a rugbying aficionado! Then on Wednesday afternoon, Miss Reeves and Mrs Oxley accompanied a dozen KS2 children to Ludlow Library. There are photographs of these events further on in the newsletter.

I have an exciting update for you, one which has been shared with the pupils in assembly today. As was the case with the wooden play ship, the Minibus Committee and Friends' Group have joined forces to fund the installation of four brand-new pieces of outdoor fitness equipment. These are expensive and totally unaffordable without these generous donations. Ahead of the summer, we will have... a children's rower; double strength challenge disc; children's horse rider and a children's double sit-up bench installed. Two pieces of equipment will sit either side of the play ship. With the new shelter, established climbing frame/balance beam/monkey bars, play ship and table football, this really will be a wonderful area for children to play in for hopefully many years to come. Thank you very much to both the Friends' Group and the Minibus Committee.

Our cake sale on Red Nose Day last week raised in excess of £283. A fantastic effort. As ever, all at school appreciate your support for this very worthy cause.

Looking ahead to the last day of term, a fortnight today, our Friends' Group will be putting on an Easter Disco at Rushbury Village Hall. We will confirm any additional arrangements next week but it will start at 2:30pm and finish for 4:15pm. It'll be free of charge and the pupils will be taken from school, to the hall, by mini bus. However, they will need collecting from Rushbury Village Hall, when the disco finishes.

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

Steve Morris

CHILDREN'S PRAYERS

Dear God

Thank you for my family.
Thank you for being able to play in the Spring.

Amen

Cassian M



Dear God

Thank you for plants, flowers and trees.
Thank you for everything.

Amen

Rosa M



REMINDERS

PARENTS' EVENING ON 7TH APRIL 2025

Thanks to everyone who has already booked a slot to see their child's teacher – this is just another reminder please to do this if you haven't already.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please name all your child's school uniform – we still have some unnamed items that we would like to return to their owners. Also, please note that Brigade (our uniform supplier) has an offer this weekend for all parents ordering online. Please see details below:

Offer: 10% Discount Date: **Saturday 29th March – Sunday 30th March (midnight)**

Code: BST10 <https://www.brigade.uk.com/parents/>

ENRICHMENT VISIT TO LUDLOW LIBRARY

As part of our regular Enrichment Programme, it was Lawley's turn to visit Ludlow Library this week. So lovely to see the children engaged with choosing and reading books.

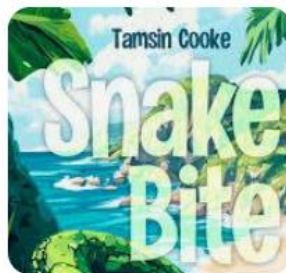


RUSHBURY READS

This continues to be a popular initiative, and we have had some more children earn their £15.00 vouchers, since last week:

Matilda Bright, Josh Child, George Johnson, Henry Kent, Cassian May, Skylar Price, Matilda Somerville, Benjamin Cox, Penelope L, Axel K, Serenna J, Max B, Bertie K and Floss R.

BOOK REVIEW



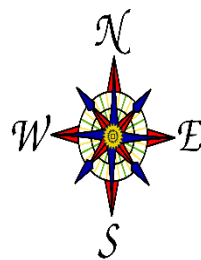
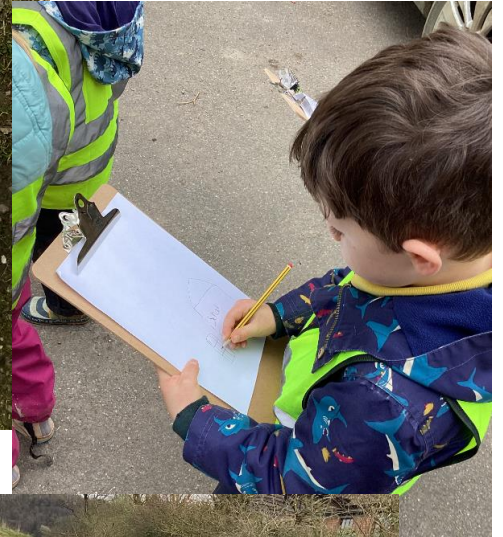
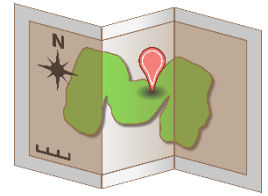
This is about Kaleb and Lia who are on a sailing holiday in Indonesia with their cousin, Nate, and their Dad. However, there's a storm and their boat gets wrecked (read this book to find out what happens!).

My favourite part of the book was when the monkeys chased them because it was funny. I enjoyed reading this book because the chapters weren't too long and I read it on screen (as it's a Fiction Express Book). If I was giving it a mark out of 5, I would give it 4 out of 5. I would recommend Seb W to read this book.

By
George P

TICKLERTON'S LOCAL TRIP – MAP MAKING SKILLS

Ticklerton enjoyed being out and about around the local area, designing and creating their own maps. Perhaps we might have a few cartographers in the making...



HEAD TEACHER'S AWARDS



- **Ticklerton** – Matilda S for painting with precision for the class giant Easter Egg
- **Ticklerton** – Amelie D for improving handwriting, during the Bookfest write
- **Gretton** – Penelope L for focus and application when producing her Bookfest story
- **Gretton** – Ollie D for always being READY; always RESPECTFUL; always SAFE!
- **Stanway** – George P for determined and successful play in Tag Rugby
- **Stanway** – Serenna Jones for being positive about edits



- **Sports Award** – Reggie W for ever-improving tennis skills – well done!

HOUSE POINTS

The children have been working hard this week to earn house points. The current, cumulative picture, for our house points is shown below. Lawley still in the lead.

- **Caradoc – 1182**
- **Ragleth – 1147**
- **Lawley – 1232**
- **Callow – 1226**

REFRESHED HORIZONTAL CLIMBING

We have now refreshed the popular horizontal climbing wall and the children are enjoying playing on this and challenging themselves.

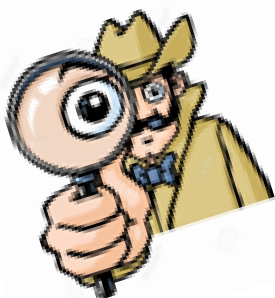


STANWAY (AND MAX!) – TAG RUGBY COMPETITION AT CHURCH STRETTON



OUR EGG DESIGNS FOR THE EATON MANOR SPRING WALK ON THE 6TH APRIL

All 3 classes and Little Acorns have enjoyed designing and making the HUGE eggs for the Spring Walk, for Lingen Davies Cancer. We hope that many of you might be able to support this and enjoy looking for the 4 Rushbury eggs – see end of the newsletter for full details.



	<u>KEY DIARY DATES</u>
Friday 4th April	Last Tennis Club
Monday 7th April	Spring Term Parents' Evening
Friday 11th April	Easter Disco (and egg hunt) at RVH
Friday 11th April	Break up for the Easter holidays
Monday 28th April	First day back for everyone for the Summer Term
Wednesday 4th June	School photo day
Monday 23rd June - Wed 26th June	Stanway away on school journey (Arthog)
Tuesday 1st July	Church Stretton Secondary Transition Day for Year 6

SOME ITEMS WHICH MAY BE OF INTEREST:



Lingen Davies
Cancer Fund

Spring

WALK
WITH EASTER TRAIL

APRIL
6
2025

SUNDAY 10.30AM - 3PM

EATON MANOR

Eaton Manor Country Estate, Eaton-under-Heywood, Church Stretton SY6 7DH
What3Words friends.harmonica.proved

Spring walk, including Easter Trail and craft corner for children, refreshments and homemade cake.

£5 ENTRY PER PERSON
Inclusive of Easter Trail for Children | Under 3s go free
Dogs on leads welcome

Tickets available in advance and on the gate
lingendavies.co.uk/events
Scan to find out more

EGGHUNT

welcome Spring




Lingen Davies
Cancer Fund
Shrewsbury Committee

Easter Bingo

Friday, 11th April

7pm

Leebotwood Village Hall
SY6 6NB

Cash prizes to be won!
Raffle, Refreshments & Cakes

For more information,
contact Angela 07816 193942




MORRIS FREERTY

SALOP SALOP SALOP

FOOTY

foundation

Easter Holiday Football Clubs

14th - 17th & 22nd - 25th April, 9am to 3pm

For children ages 5 to 12, our holiday clubs are open to all abilities with a focus on fun and football!

at The Croud Meadow, SY2 6ST & Ludlow Football Stadium, SY8 2BN

Scan the QR code or visit our website to book a single day for £18, or save when you book multiple days!

foundationstfc.co.uk/fun




Little Sips
BIG ADVENTURES

Dear parent/guardian,

As you may be aware your child's school has a milk scheme, administered by Cool Milk. Mid-morning milk provides a much-needed nutritional boost and keeps children hydrated between breakfast and lunch. Children receive free milk until the age of 5. After that, they can continue to reap the benefits of fresh mid-morning milk at a subsidised* cost.

If you'd like to opt in and have not already done so, simply register your child at www.coolmilk.com/register. Your child(ren) will continue to receive free milk whilst under the age of 5 and Cool Milk will get in touch with further information by email shortly before their 5th birthday.

For children who are already over 5, it's not too late – our scheme is flexible! As well as being able to register and make payment straight away, you can join and cancel the scheme at any time. We offer yearly, termly and half termly payment periods and a recurring payment option to give you one less thing to remember.

If you already have an online Cool Milk account for a sibling, you can manage your account, make payment and add extra children by logging in at www.coolmilk.com/parents.

Should you have any questions or need any help, send us a message at www.coolmilk.com/contact or give us a call on the number listed below – we're here to help!

Kind regards,

Cool Milk

☎: 0800 321 3248

🌐: www.coolmilk.com



SCAN TO REGISTER

*Milk for under-5s is fully funded by DHSC via the Nursery Milk Scheme. Milk for over-5s is subsidised by Defra via the School Milk Scheme.