



### Lunch Menu Week 3

### A Message from the Headteacher

The Year 6 SATs are now complete – all the children have worked really hard and whatever the results we are extremely proud of them. A big thank you to those parents/staff who have helped administer the tests this year.

Year 2 will be taking theirs over the next few weeks and we wish them well.

We are looking forward to next week's Sports Days and hope the weather stays fine so that they can go ahead.

### Upcoming Events May

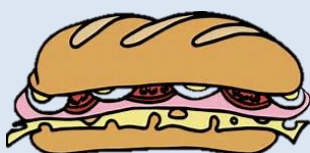
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Sports Day – 9.15am
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Nursery Sports Day – 9.15am
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	KS1 Sports Day – 9.15am
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 Sports Day – 9.15am
<i>Other upcoming events in May</i>	
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Enterprise Week
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>	
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	

### Good To Be Green

The next Good to Be Green event is fast approaching. This half term we are having a picnic on Friday the 26<sup>th</sup> May! Instead of having their lunch in the dining hall, children will have the opportunity to prepare their own picnic lunch with their class. They will select their own filling for a deli roll, choose from a selection of salad sticks, select a piece of fruit and decorate their lunch bag. As a special treat children can also choose an ice-cream! Children in EYFS will venture to the outside classroom area, whilst KS1 and KS2 go to The Mere where they will eat their picnics.

If you are choosing to provide your child with their own packed lunch, rather than purchasing this special school picnic lunch, can you please let your child's class teacher know by Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May at the latest via Dojo? This is to allow for our catering team to order picnic ingredients for the correct number of children.

All children will have the opportunity to prepare their picnic lunch, even if they are not taking part in the picnic out of school.



### Staff Development

CLIC has been the focus of the Middle Phase meeting this week. We looked at the progression of skills in the year groups, as we are introducing a new tracking system, with each child having their own CLIC passport that progresses with them through the school

### Mrs S's Running Record – Week 11 – Kids Fun Run!

Another week has flown by! This week I had a little help from the kids with a lovely lunchtime run in the sunshine. On Wednesday I spent lunchtime running in circles around the field, with children joining in for however many laps they wanted. It was lovely chatting to the kids as I ran round and I hope that they will continue to run with me over the coming weeks. We managed 2.4 miles and the calf seems to be holding up. I'm going to test it with a longer run on Sunday. Fingers crossed as it's a week to go until Chester.

**Chester Fun Run** – lots of the children have been asking about taking part in a run. There is a 1 mile Fun Run in Chester taking place on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May. They set off the half marathon runners (ahhhh, that's me!) and then do the children's race. It would be fantastic to see some children from Ellesmere there and then we could all stand up in assembly with our medals the next day!  
<http://www.activeleisureevents.co.uk/half-marathon/fun-run>

Once again, thank you to those people that have already made a donation. During Sports Day events we will have buckets available to continue our aim of raising money for the children.

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/MrsSEllesmerePrimarySchool>

Mrs S



## Sports Day

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May – Reception – 9.15am

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May – Nursery – 9.15am

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May – KS1 – 9.15pm

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May – KS2 – 9.15am

All parents are invited to come and watch their children participate in their sporting events.

As usual the British weather is quite unpredictable so please ensure children have sunhats and sun cream in school or warm jumpers in case it is cold.



# Achievements



Congratulations to Siena (Scotland) for coming 3<sup>rd</sup> place in a horse riding competition at Radford's Equestrian.

What a fantastic achievement keep up the good work!

Jack (Tokyo) recently passed Grade 2 Piano. Well done Jack, we would love to hear you play in our Music Celebration Concert!



Another wonderful extra-curricular achievement by children in our school! Please do let us know of your achievements by speaking to someone at school or by emailing [admin@ellesmere-pri.shropshire.sch.uk](mailto:admin@ellesmere-pri.shropshire.sch.uk).



Our project 'Wild About School' is now available for public vote in our local Tesco Store. Please use your tokens to vote for our school project which will allow us to purchase much needed resources to improve our outdoor space and develop our eco programme across the school. You can vote in store up to the 30<sup>th</sup> June.

## Ellesmere Primary School



### Swimming Pool



is seeking to recruit

### A Swimming Pool Technician/Cleaner

**Up to 10 hours per week, 52 weeks a year.**

Set hours to be arranged on a rota basis. Some weekend work will be required.

Responsibility will include looking after the pool plant dosing system and some cleaning duties.

This post would ideally suit somebody with previous experience however full training can be provided.

If you have the appropriate skills and experience please submit an application, by **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2017**, to Sharon Evans, Personnel and Regulatory Compliance Secretary, Ellesmere College, Ellesmere, Shropshire SY12 9AB. Tel: 01691 626521 or email [sharon.evans@ellesmere.com](mailto:sharon.evans@ellesmere.com)

The College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its students and expects its staff to share the commitment. Applicants must be prepared to undergo child protection screening, including checks with past employers and DBS.

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Brownies offers girls exciting opportunities to try new things and discover their potential. They make their own decisions, learn new hobbies, develop skills and explore other cultures. They follow the Brownie Adventure Programme in their unit meetings and they get adventurous, and go to special events, camps and holidays. Brownies work together to explore their place within their community and the world.

Register your daughters interest in joining Brownies at [www.girlguiding.org.uk/joinus](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/joinus), or call 0800 169 5901.

### Badminton U12 Fun Day 2017

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May

The Telford Lanley School, Duce Road. TF4 3JS

9.30am to 12.30pm

- Open to all U12's
- Boys and Girls
- FUN activities
- Mini competition
- Certificates for all
- Only £2 cost/player

Email – shropshirecfn@gmail.com



# SHINING STARS



Max - Wales

Anton - Brisbane

All of - Scotland

Zak - Los Angeles

Owen - Madrid

Lewis - Washington

Ollie - Paris

Thomas - Istanbul

Ella - Athens

Keisha - Moscow

Elsie - Lisbon

Chrystal - Tokyo

Liam - Sydney

Jacob - Vancouver



## CRIFTINS Summer FETE



Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June

5-8pm On School Grounds

Games Entertainment Raffle Food

**Fun for all the family**

Proceeds going towards Criftins CofE Primary School & St Matthews Church