



# School Newsletter

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER	
Mon 26	Y5/6 Swimming Starts
Wed 28	Class 1 Welcome Wednesday
Thurs 29	Rags 2 Riches Collection
OCTOBER	
Mon 3 - Wed 5	Bikeability - Yr 6
Wed 5	Class 2 Welcome Wednesday
Fri 7	1.00pm finish
Tues 11	9am - Harvest Festival
Thurs 13	School Individual Photos
Tues 18	Parents Evening 3.30-5.30pm
Wed 19	Parents Evening 5.30-7.30pm
Fri 21	Half Term

## Message from the Head Teacher

Dear Parents,

It has been lovely to enjoy some Autumn sunshine this week and I have enjoyed being outside with the children at lunchtime. Our newly appointed Playground Pals have been organising equipment and games for the children to play with alongside Mr Glover. The buddies have been helping and supporting their Reception buddies which has really helped them to settle into their new routines.

You will have noticed that over the Summer holidays we had the playground re-surfaced. We are in the process of getting ideas and quotes for some exciting line markings and activities on the playground. If any children have any ideas, please make sure they pass them on to Miss Guy.

We are very excited to see this area be developed in the next few weeks.

Have a great weekend.

God Bless,

Mrs Jones

## VALUE OF THE MONTH

### KOINONIA

*"God is faithful, by whom you were called into the Fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord."*

**1 Corinthians 1:9**



## Attendance



Well done to Class 5 who have had 98.81% attendance this week! They get to look after Alfie the Attendance Bear next week. Please can we remind parents that **arrivals after 8.45am are counted as late and arrivals after 8.55am once registers close count as a missed morning session and are included in attendance figures.**

**Class 1 – 92.95%                      Whole school – 94.4%**

**Class 2 – 93.5%**

**Class 3 – 94.91%**

**Class 4 – 91.61%**

**Class 5 – 98.81%**



## Teeny Tots Toddler Group



We are a friendly, local toddler group that meets in Storridge Village Hall. We welcome little ones from 0-5, accompanied and supervised by their parents/carers, to stay and play. We meet on Thursdays from 10:30-12 during term time, for a charge of £2 per family, which includes a craft activity, songs, snacks and drinks.

Please come and join us, we'd love to see you!



## School Lunches

We hope your children are enjoying the new school lunches. For those who haven't tried them yet you need to register on the School Food United app or website.

- ◆ You have until 4pm the day before to order/make amendments
- ◆ You can cancel a meal up until 8.45am on the day

**SCHOOL FOOD UNITED**

## Dogs

Please do not bring dogs onto school grounds at anytime including drop-off and pick-up times. Thank you.

## Swimming

Years 5 and 6 are swimming every Monday afternoon from 26th September. Please send your child to school with their swimming kit including towel, and goggles if required. Please also give consent on School Money for them to take part and pop a note on Tapestry giving consent for goggles to be worn.

## Reporting Absences

The School Office is staffed from 9am-3pm each day. Please email [admin@cradley.hereford.sch.uk](mailto:admin@cradley.hereford.sch.uk) or put a message on Tapestry if possible if your child won't be in for any reason. We need to hear from you every day if your child is absent.

**Thank**  
**You**

**October Half-term**  
**24-27 October 2022**

# Holiday Club

**At Cradley CE Primary School**  
**WR13 5NG**

**Booking is  
now open!**

### Session Times & Costs

**8am - 5pm    £28**  
**9am - 3pm    £23**

### Wizards and Witches

- \* Baking - creepy cakes & scary scones
  - \* Apple bobbing
  - \* Mummy wrapping
- \* PE games including eyeball and spoon race
- \* Slime and gloop activities
  - \* Forest School
  - \* Orange bird feeders

**Breakfast (8am-5pm session) and healthy snacks are provided.**

**All children must bring their own packed lunch**

**Booking and payment must be made in advance**

**For more information please email**  
**[admin@cradley.hereford.sch.uk](mailto:admin@cradley.hereford.sch.uk)**  
**FAO Lauren**

**To book, log on to School Money - <https://eduspot.co.uk>**

## Rags to Riches Initiative

Please remember to bring in wearable clothes etc. by 9am on Thursday 29th September and leave them in bags in the Pergola in the playground.

Our school is raising money by collecting reusable clothes.

Please help us by donating your unwanted reusable clothes and accessories. Donated items become affordable clothing and accessories.



**WE ACCEPT CLEAN, GOOD QUALITY, DRY, REUSABLE CLOTHING**

- ✓ Adults, Childrens & Babies Clothing
- ✓ Jewellery and Accessories
- ✓ Paired Shoes and Footwear
- ✓ Belts and Handbags

A full list of reusable items is listed on our website [www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk](http://www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk)

**WE DO NOT ACCEPT**

POOR QUALITY ITEMS SUCH AS DIRTY, WET, RIPPED OR SOILED CLOTHES.  
PILLOWS, DUVETS, CURTAINS, BOOKS CDs OR ANY UNIFORM

Please use the clothing bag provided. You can also use any additional bag if required.



The children have been busy creating their own **Christmas Cards** this week. We want to send a BIG thank you to all our helpers in and out of school who made this happen.

The cards will be sent off next week and made into cards that families will be able to purchase well in time for Christmas. This is to help us raise money for the school as for each pack of cards bought, an amount will be paid back to our school!

You will have the option to buy them, and payment is online only this year, so please make sure you keep hold of your child's personal online code.

There will also be the option to buy other products with the same design on, which make lovely presents for family & friends.

## Apple Juicing

We are making apple juice to help raise funds for our school. Donations of good quality (eating) apples would therefore be very much appreciated!!

Please can you bring them to school on Wednesday October 5th or the morning of October 6th.



Your support for both these initiatives is much appreciated by FoCS as all monies raised are then used to support the whole school by funding activities (both in and outside of school) that otherwise simply would not happen.

If you shop online, we'd really appreciate your help at no extra cost to you... Please take part in Easyfundraising - <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsofcradleyschool>

Or try your luck on our School Lottery <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/cradley-ce-primary-school>

The FoCS team

## Clubs



These are the clubs that are running for the first half of this term. Your child needs to have signed up to attend.



Club	Day/Time	Years	Member of Staff
Wellbeing	Monday 3-4pm	Yrs 3-4	Miss Reckling
Choir	Monday 3-4pm	Yrs 3-6	Miss Grizzell
Little Fishes	Monday 3-4pm	Yrs 1-2	Mrs Jones
Musical Theatre	Tuesday 3-4pm	Yrs 3-6	Miss Tuckwood
Gardening	Tuesday 3-4pm	Yrs 4-6	Mrs Gleaves
iPads	Wednesday Lunchtime	Yrs 1-2	Digital Leaders & Miss Guy
Mindful Colouring	Thursday Lunchtime	Yrs R-6	Miss Padan
Hockey	Thursday 3-4pm	Yrs 5-6	Miss Evans & Mr Glover
Multi-skills	Thursday 3-4pm	Yrs R-2	Miss Thompson
Wellbeing	Thursday 3-4pm	Yrs 5-6	Miss Reckling
Football	Friday 3-4pm	Yrs 5-6	Miss Evans & Mr Glover





# STARS OF THE WEEK



<b>NURSERY</b>	Imogen for going to the bathroom independently. Billy-Joe for being more independent going to the toilet. Ruby-Mae for coping well with change. Phoebe for going to the bathroom independently.
<b>CLASS 1</b>	Nazar for being so positive in all that he does. His smiley face and kindness brighten up Class 1. Well done. Jack for showing independence in class morning routines and all learning that he does. Well done.
<b>CLASS 2</b>	Rosie for amazing maths work when finding pairs to make 20. Bentley for growing in confidence and being willing to take a risk in class.
<b>CLASS 3</b>	Harvey for taking pride in his handwriting. Sophie for showing great enthusiasm in science.
<b>CLASS 4</b>	Skyla for independently deciding to take her science learning further by making a solar system at home. Harry Me for perseverance and independent learning in maths.
<b>CLASS 5</b>	Jakey for outstanding improvement in behaviour, work and learning. Conor for writing and performing an outstanding monologue.
<b>HEADTEACHER'S AWARD</b>	Harvey and Harry Me for showing good manners and being helpful.





# NURSERY NEWS



This week may have been a little shorter, but the nursery children have still managed to fit in plenty of fun activities and games!

Tuesday morning, the children joined Lauren in the kitchen. Everyone took it in turns to mix together the ingredients and knead the dough to make some tasty ladybird bread rolls. Then in the afternoon, the children decided to bath the 'babies' in the autumn sunshine.

On Wednesday, Kelley and the children had a go at sorting bugs in different ways. They looked at colours, how many legs they had and whether they could crawl or fly. They then used their super sorting skills to do some great tidying up around nursery.

Thursday morning, Katrina took the children out into the school garden to collect some apples that they used to make a delicious apple crumble. All of the children helped to make the topping and had a go at sprinkling it on the top of the apples. Later that day, the children got to taste what they had made.....some liked it more than others!

We have finished our week down at Forest School, where Lauren has taken the children on a 'real' bug hunt. Using their magnifying glasses the children have found lots of creepy crawlies.

Finally, we would like to introduce you to Abi, who is a level 2 Early Years student. Abi is going to be with us until Christmas and is looking forward



# Clevedon Pier Trip

On Tuesday Classes 1 and 2 went on a lovely trip to the seaside - they went to Clevedon Beach and Pier and the sun shone for them!





# Harvest Festival

Cradley Church Harvest Service REALLY needs children and parents to assist. Our aim is for our service to be jolly and fun with interaction with the congregation. We need you there!

Mrs D Jones is our speaker, and it will be followed by a FREE BBQ on the Church lawns.

Please let Mrs Jones or myself know if you would like to take part.

Thanks you,

Eryl Copp

A poster for the Cradley Church Harvest Festival. The text is arranged vertically on a light background with autumn-themed illustrations. At the top, 'CRADLEY CHURCH' is written in a bold, orange, sans-serif font. Below it is a decorative border of autumn leaves and pumpkins. The words 'HARVEST FESTIVAL' are written in a large, bold, orange, sans-serif font with a slight shadow effect. Below this, 'SUNDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER' is written in a bold, orange, sans-serif font, followed by '10.45am' in a smaller, bold, orange, sans-serif font. The speaker's name, 'SPEAKER Donna Jones', is written in a bold, red, sans-serif font, with 'Headteacher Cradley School' in a smaller, bold, red, sans-serif font below it. A decorative illustration of wheat stalks and grain is positioned behind the speaker's name. Below the speaker information, 'DONATIONS OF TINNED AND DRIED FOOD FOR LEDBURY AND MALVERN FOOD BANKS WELCOME' is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font. At the bottom, 'Service to be followed by free BBQ on Church lawn.' is written in a bold, orange, sans-serif font. Finally, 'Donations invited for The Mothers' Union' is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font at the very bottom.



# GIRLS RUGBY

Open trial days Sundays Sept  
4th/11th/18th/25th 10:00 - 11:30am

## GIVE IT A TRY !

Ages 10-17 come and try a free fun-packed session at Malvern Rugby Club. Touch and contact rugby - whichever you prefer!

*You'll love it !* 

For further info email: [girlsrugby@malvernrfc.co.uk](mailto:girlsrugby@malvernrfc.co.uk)

## GIRLS FOOTBALL IN BROMYARD

Do you have a daughter, granddaughter or niece interested in football?



Has the success of the lionesses inspired a young girl in your life to take up the sport?

Bromyard FC is looking to run GIRLS ONLY game based football taster sessions over the coming months.

Interested? Then register your interest at [bromyardfcgirls@gmail.com](mailto:bromyardfcgirls@gmail.com) and we'll be in touch!

# BOLDER BARN



## POLAR BEAR 3 WEEK COURSE 2022

Age range	5 - 7 Years
Max Number per group	6
3 week cost	£33.00
Day	Saturday
Time	10:45 - 11:45

### 1<sup>st</sup> course;

October 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>

### 2<sup>nd</sup> course;

November 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Course;

December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>

Payment required at time of booking for full 3 week course – please call 01432 359392

Sessions are not transferable between courses and cancellations of less than 24 hours cannot be refunded.

Boulder Barn, Unit 1A ~~Boulder~~ Trading Estate, College Road, Hereford, HR1 1J5  
Tel: 01432 359392 Email: [angie@tasteforadventure.co.uk](mailto:angie@tasteforadventure.co.uk)

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# OPEN EVENING

Thursday 6th October

Session 1 5.00-6.30pm  
Session 2 6.00-7.30pm



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Headteacher Mr Andrew Evans