

The Friday Post

Friday, 04 March 2022



SPRING 2022

	<u>PE</u>	<u>PE</u>	<u>Woodland School</u>
Dormouse	Monday	Friday	Thursday
Red Squirrel	Monday	Friday	Thursday
Hedgehog	Tuesday (swimming)	Friday	Monday
Badger	Tuesday	Friday	Wednesday

Children should come to school dressed for the activity. Wellies may be worn to school and a change of shoes brought.

STAFFING

We are very sorry to announce that Mrs Hunter (Ms Davies) will be leaving us at the end of term to enjoy a well-earned retirement. She will have been with us for 6 years and in that time has become a very valuable and respected member of the staff. We shall miss her greatly.

We are very pleased to welcome to the staff, Miss Cliftlands and Miss Bothwell. They will both be working in KS2 in the first instance but we are sure that they will make appearances across the school in one capacity or another.

MESSAGING

Messages will arrive in one of three ways:

1. Text to mobile from Squid
2. Email from admin@clive.shropshire.sch.uk
3. Email from SchoolSpider

WOODLAND SCHOOL

Please make sure the children come to school suitably equipped for their sessions in the woods.

DOGS

Please keep dogs on leads when waiting outside school. Thanks.



COVID UPDATES

You can keep up to date with the latest government Covid guidance by clicking [HERE](#).

SHROPSHIRE STAR

Please collect the tokens from the Star (starting 3rd March) and help us win additional funding for our children.



BEAR GRYLLS' WORDS OF FAITHFUL WISDOM



"We get to make a difference in the lives of as many people as possible by spreading kindness and forgiveness and being non-



judgmental, affirming, encouraging and generous".

BADGER CLASS HOMELESSNESS PROJECT

As part of their PSHE, Badger Class have been learning about Homelessness; how it comes about, what it's like and what we can do to help people who sleep rough. Working with The Shrewsbury Ark we are



running a campaign to collect items to help those people locally who are in this position. Throughout March we are collecting sleeping bags, warm coats and clothes, toiletries and non-perishable food. Please help us to make a difference in the world!

MENU

Next Week: **Week ONE.**

Updated menus are available on the website. The menus will be reviewed for the summer menu. We shall be canvassing the children over the next couple of weeks for their favourites and dislikes.

Please make sure your catering purse is regularly topped up.

SMALL SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY

This event will be relaunched on Saturday 26th March. If you would like your child(ren) in years 3-6 to take part, please complete the form at

<https://forms.gle/rDrFaXd1B7SSgzeK8>.

If you are able to help out on the day, please let the office know.

WRAP AROUND CARE

Please visit the [school website](#) to access the booking forms for Breakfast Club and After School Club. **It helps planning (especially for tea) if bookings are made well in advance.** There will obviously be occasions when it may need to be an 'on the day booking' and we will try and accommodate this as best we can.

Our value for the term is 'JUSTICE'.

PARKING

Please remember to park safely and considerately. Don't forget to say 'Hi' to Pat and Pete!!



TWITTER

We now have a Twitter profile: @CliveCEPrimary. Click on the 'follow' link if you want to see what we have been up to. This is a closed page at the moment so only followers will be able to see what has been tweeted.



INK CARTRIDGES

We are collecting old, used printer ink cartridges for recycling. Sending these back will also raise a little extra money for the school. Send your cartridges into school with your child to place in the collection box.



FOOD HUB

We are still collecting food - tins and packets - for the Shrewsbury Food Bank. Please place any items in the yellow wheelie bin.



DIARY DATES

Tuesday - Swimming for Hedgehog Class (10 weeks)
Tuesday - 'SATs Club' for Y6 children
14/15 March - Parent meetings
16 March - Y5/6 Tennis Roadshow (letter to follow)
Friday 8-Sunday 24 April - Easter Holiday
9-12 May - Year 6 SATs

NEIGHBOURHOOD ALERT



At Neighbourhood Watch, we also believe neighbours keeping an eye out for each other is key to reducing burglary, so we've extended the WIDE acronym to WIDE(N):

- W: WINDOWS: Keep your windows locked
- I: INTERIOR: Put inside lights on a timer/smart bulb
- D: DOORS: Double or deadlock your doors
- E: EXTERIOR: Put outside lights on a sensor
- (N): NEIGHBOURS: Keep an eye out for your neighbours

POPPY APPEAL

We have received thanks and a certificate from the Royal British Legion for our £155.15 contribution to the 2021 Poppy Appeal. This formed part of the £1602.19 collected in the local RBL district. Well done everyone and thank you!!

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

There are a number of job opportunities - Teaching Assistants, cleaners - across the Fields Multi Academy Trust. Please get in touch with the office for more details (admin@clive.shropshire.sch.uk).

SCHOOL SPIDER APP - ABSENCE REPORTING

You can now report any child absences by logging into the website on the downloaded App or via the desktop website. A few parents have already used this and found it quite easy to use. An absence report that has been 'accepted' does not mean the absence has been authorised by Miss Brayford.

COLD WEATHER

It can get chilly in class! **Please make sure the children have additional layers** (more layers are best, not just thicker layers) to keep warm. Thanks.



FOCS

Friends of Clive School meeting next Wednesday, on Teams. Please see attached flier for details and link to the Teams meeting.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you change your contact details for any reason, especially **phone number** or address, please let the office know.

The SEND Local Offer



Lots of information and support for children and young people with SEND and their families, including:

- Education
- Health and wellbeing
- Family support
- Social care
- Preparing for adulthood
- Early help
- Things to do
- Education, health and care plan (EHCP)
- Travel and transport
- Financial support

local.offer@shropshire.gov.uk 0345 678 9063
www.shropshire.gov.uk/the-send-local-offer/



If you need help accessing the Local Offer please speak to your school or local library.



Support for parent carers of children with SEND - Shropshire's Local Offer

Having access to good quality information to help you understand the world of SEND is important when making decisions about your child's life. This is where websites such as the [Shropshire's SEND Local Offer](http://www.shropshire.gov.uk/the-send-local-offer/) can help you.