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HEAD TEACHER'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dear parents,

This week has gone very quickly. The children have done lots of learning activities built around The Gingerbread Man story. They very much enjoyed baking and the results were delicious. The children will be gong on to their topics of Frozen Lands (C1) and Winter(C2.)

I would like to say a big thank you to Art Club, they have made a beautiful felt picture for me .I love the flowers, colours and texture. The picture will take pride and place in my room and I am sure my visitors will be very interested in who made it and how they made it.

Again we have had some new children working on their Mathletics at home, keep it up , you are all doing very well.

I wonder if it will be a snowy weekend.

Stay warm.

Jenny Griffiths

### CELEBRATING SUCCESS

Congratulations to all the children that have received an award this week.



The winning team is YELLOW for this week!



Children that attend Art Club on a Thursday created some lovely felt flowers that was then put together into a picture. This was then presented to Mrs Griffiths in the celebration assembly. We thought she would like to brighten up her wall with the lovely picture that the children made for her.



### CLASS 1

Class 1 had a surprise visitor in the playground this week! They have been writing warning posters to put up around the school. The Gingerbread man story has given us the opportunity to learn new songs, role play the story, make and decorate gingerbread men and sequence the events in our writing. This is the start of a maths project based around the story.

The cold weather is ideal for our science as we are exploring the winter season. I wonder if we will have snow?

### CLASS 2

We have had a fantastic week making gingerbread, solving all kinds of maths problems and interviewing the fox. Did he really mean to eat the gingerbread man? Year 2 children have used their excellent knowledge of place value to subtract two digit numbers. We had a fantastic first swimming session this week. The children all worked hard and had lots of fun!

### FRIENDS OF SCHOOL

The next Friends of school meeting will be on Thursday 31st January 2019, at 7.30pm at the Last Inn, Church Aston, Newport Shropshire. All parents, carers and grandparents are welcome.

Congratulations to the children that received a Mathletics certificate today, well done!



MATHLETICS

### **SCHOOL CALENDAR DATES**

- Thursday 31st January Friends of School Meeting
- Monday 18th February—Half Term Holiday Starts
- Monday 25th February—Return to School
  - Wednesday 27th February—Class 1 Swimming starts

## LATEST NEWS AND EVENTS

#### SWIMMING

Just to keep you posted!

If your child is in after school club please send in their sports kits with their swimming bag so they can get changed into their football clothes after they come out of the swimming pool. Class 2 will be swimming every Wednesday up until 13th February.

Class 1 will be swimming every Wednesday from 27th February to 27th March.

### SPONSORED SWIM—CLASS 2

Please remember to fill in and return your Sponsored Swim forms to us ahead of the Class 2 Sponsored Swim on 13th February. Just let us know if you need a replacement form and we'll send one home for you. Thank you.

### **TELFORD'S HEALTHY HEART**

The Telford & Wrekin Clinical Commissioning Group is launching a new Campaign in February 2019 "Telford Healthy Hearts". The campaign is working in partnership with our local GPs to identify those patients who could be at risk from a heart attack or stroke and support them to reduce that risk.

To help them launch this campaign, they are asking for children to go along to the football ground on the 10<sup>th</sup> February 2019 at 10pm wearing a red top to take part in forming a large "heart" shape on the pitch.

If you would like to take part, then further information is attached.

### **CHILDCARE VOUCHERS**

We have registered with the Governments Childcare Choices' scheme to enable the tax free childcare element of the scheme. You can find out more about the full government childcare offer on childcarechoices.gov.uk. We've also attached some further information to this email. If you are interested in this scheme please let us know.

### MINI RUGBY

There is a free rugby session available with Telford Vespas. Please see the attached leaflet for details.

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