

Dates for your Diary

02/5/2022	Bank Holiday Monday
3/5/2022	Swimming for C2 until 5/7/22
4/4/2022	Cricket coaching for Class 3
06/5/2022	Final payment for Manorbie
09/5/2022	Y6 SATs begin—one week
10/5/2022	Class 1—Forest School Starts Again
20/5/2022	Sponsored Walk
26/5/2022	Y6 at the Hay Festival
04/6/2022	Diddlebury Village Hall Jubilee celebration
30/5/2022 - 03/6/2022	May Half Term
06/6/2022	PD Day (School & Nursery closed to children)
07/6/2022	Nursery closed for staff training
07/6/2022	Class 3 at Shropshire Sings concert
08/6/2022	Manorbier Parent information event.
16/6/2022	School Photographer for Class photographs
21/6/22 - 24/6/22	Manorbier Trip (Class 3)
20/7/2022	Last day of Summer Term

Update from Mr Brough

Welcome back, I hope everyone has had a good Easter break.

The summer term has got off to a busy but fairly calm start. I think the children are very tired after their first week back to business.

As well as this regular newsletter today you will be receiving separately a newsletter from your child's class teacher with information about what will be taught during the term. Within the letters there is also reminders about routines and what children will need in school this term. Please taken the time to cast an eye over these as they will help you know what's what and what's going on.

We've updated the Dates for Your Diary section here, keep checking this each week as new things do get added and sometimes dates do change.

One exciting new event especially for Class 3 children is 7th June. This is the first day back after half term, but we have been invited to attend a massed school choir event for Shropshire schools to be held at the West Midlands Showground, Shrewsbury on Tuesday 7th June. Class 3 children will travel by coach to rehearse during the afternoon and perform a concert at 7:00pm. Parents and families can come along to watch the concert and tickets can be bought in advance or on the gate. Further details will be sent out next week.

This term we're once again thinking as a whole school about our 'school values'. We believe our values are the foundations of our teaching and learning and provide an environment which nurtures happy, confident and independent children, who make good choices and contribute positively to society. This week and next our value is Respect. We learn to respect ourselves, each other and the wider community through honesty, tolerance and trust, where everyone has an equal right to our care, time and attention.

Have a great Bank Holiday weekend.
Jonathan Brough

W/B 3rd May Menu

Monday	Bank holiday
Tuesday	Macaroni Cheese or Fish
Wednesday	Sausages and seasonal vegetables
Thursday	Roast Dinner
Friday	Burgers, Pizza, or Fish and Chips

Seedpips!

How lovely to return to the garden with the children after the Easter break. The garden and polytunnel are green-ing up nicely. The garden will look so lush and will be full of flowers and produce this spring/summer with our green fingered team on the job!

We had fun planting out the runner beans grown from seed today under the watchful eye of a red kite circling above us. Unfortunately the weather has turned a little chilly so we will keep our fingers crossed that it's not too cold for them. Soon, we should have some produce being used in the school kitchen and possibly for sale at the school gates to help fund our gardening club into the future. Watch this space!

If you would like to donate any spare young plants- vegetables or flowers, compost, seed trays or plant support/canes, we would be very grateful to receive them. Thank you!

CLUBS—Just a quick reminder that afterschool sports clubs will be resuming as normal next week. With Netball on Tuesdays 3.15-4.15, for Year 3 to 6 and Rowing on Wednesdays 3.15-4.15 for Class 3.