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I hope you all enjoyed your half term break and we are now into the final weeks of the year.

I can't believe how quickly the year has flown and what we still have ahead of us before term ends.

The children in Ruby class have been on their trip today and we have taken part in a multitude of sporting events. We still have athletics and rounders to name but a few.

Preparations will also start in the next week towards the end of term production for the children in Year 2 to 6. I am in no doubt that in the next few weeks you will start to get sneak previews of the songs and lines that they are learning.

In September 2017, we will be moving to an electronic newsletter so please can you make sure that Mrs Baker has an up-to-date email address to send it to. If you are unable to receive a copy please let her know and we will endeavour to get a paper copy to you.

Attendance for May 2017

Our whole school attendance target is 96%

Reception	- 98%
Year 1	- 84%
Year 2	- 99%
Year 3	- 92%
Year 4	- 91%
Year 5	- 94%
Year 6	- 93%

Golden Ticket

Curtis
Joseph

PTFA NEWS

Next Meeting Tuesday 20th June @ The Fuzzy Duck. 8pm

MISSING!

We have several team shirts missing; please can you check your cupboard at home to see if you have any hidden away.



Emerald Family Assembly
NOTE CHANGE OF DATE
FROM 23RD JUNE TO 14TH

This term, Sapphire class have been looking at Fayres and Festivals! We have investigated light, reflections and mirrors in science and thought about how these are used at a festival. Using this knowledge, we have looked at creating our own kaleidoscope and have written some excellent pieces of writing about them! In English, we have been studying a book named 'Through the Magic Mirror' whereby a small boy ends up in a topsy turvy world after he walks through a mirror. Sapphire class have been having lots of fun creating their own stories and play scripts based on their own ideas about what they would like to find in an upside down world. Come in and have a look at our English wall to read some!

Sporting News



Football

We won the Year 3/4 tournament and demonstrated great team work in the Year 5/6 tournament.

A group of children who attend after school football also took part in a tournament at Stratford Recreation Ground.

Quad Kids - four events for each child to take part in. The teams came second overall.



This half term we also have a netball tournament, athletics, rounders, kwik cricket and our own sports day.

A Library card for Every Child in Warwickshire

Warwickshire Libraries offer all children in their Reception year at school the chance to collect stickers as they borrow books from the library. Those that make 4 separate visits will receive a free jute "I love my library" goody bag designed for this age group, which includes a specially produced first book of puzzles and reading information.

Do encourage your child to join the library if he or she has not already done so (or mislaid the card!).

This can be done in the library or online at www.warwickshire.gov.uk/jointhelibrary

Membership of the library and all parts of the goody bag scheme are free. Books can be renewed in the library or online or by telephone, and a reminder system can be set up by email to alert you to when book loan dates are coming up.

Do check your nearest library at: www.warwickshire.gov.uk/libraries

As a school, we would like to bring to your attention that we have had an unusually high number of behavioural issues last half term. We would like you, at home, to reinforce the importance of co-operating at school, showing respect to adults and appropriate behaviour.

The behaviour system in place in school means that children can move up and down a scale throughout the day and aim to finish on gold so that they gain time towards their "Golden Time" on a Friday afternoon. The children are aware that being on a red means an automatic phone call home and missed breaks.

We aim to send everyone home happy - including the staff - and want to provide a caring and friendly environment for all our children.

For further information on the school behaviour policy please see the school website and if you have any concerns please approach your child's class teacher initially and then myself.

Thank you to the 32 families that completed the parental questionnaire. I have read all your comments and have created actions from them.

		Strongly agree	Agree	Don't know	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Didn't answer
1	I feel welcome when I come into school	56%	41%	3%			
2	My child is happy and enjoys school	47%	50%				3%
3	The school encourages parents to play an active part in school life	56%	41%	3%			
4	I would find it easy to approach the school with a question or concern and feel the school would respond to my concern	68%	28%	4%			
5	I know how to help my child with their homework	43%	50%		3%		3%
6	My child receives an adequate amount of homework	47%	34%	6%	9%	4%	
7	I am satisfied with the reading books/materials my child brings home	41%	56%	3%			
8	I get enough information about the curriculum my child is following	37%	53%	6%	4%		
9	I am satisfied with the progress my child is making at school	47%	48%		5%		
10	My child is taught well at Newbold and Tredington	66%	28%	6%			

11	The "Meet the Teacher" session in September helps me support my child at home	50%	28%	18%			4%
12	I feel my child is safe at school	66%	28%	3%	3%		
13	I feel my child is well looked after while they are at school	56%	38%	3%	3%		
14	The school achieves high standards of good behaviour	43%	34%	12%	3%		8%
15	The school deals effectively with bullying	31%	25%	34%	4%		3%
16	There are sufficient extra-curricular activities available	43%	57%				
17	I feel the school is well led and managed	50%	46%	4%			
18	I would recommend Newbold and Tredington to other parents	60%	34%	3%			3%
	Any general comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - I couldn't ask anything more from this wonderful school - Helpful and supportive staff - Would be nice to have music lessons but aware of the cost implications - Current set of teacher's helpers are excellent - Would be good if class sizes could grow slightly. - Feedback from extra curricular activities - More interaction with class teacher - IMPACT workshops - Not enough homework in Year 4 - More practice prior to sports competitions - Half termly curriculum updates on paper - More sports matches against other school - More testing in Year 5/6 in preparation for SATs 					

Dates for 2017:

Monday 5th June
 Wednesday 7th June
 Thursday 8th June
 Friday 9th June
 Monday 12th June
 Tuesday 13th June
 Friday 16th June

Tuesday 20th June
 Wednesday 21st June
 Thursday 22nd June
 Tuesday 27th June

Thursday 29th June
 Friday 30th June
 Monday 3rd July
 Wednesday 5th July
 Wednesday 12th July
 Thursday 13th July
 Friday 14th July

Monday 17th July

Wednesday 19th July

Thursday 20th July
 Friday 21st July

Ruby Class trip to the Butterfly Farm
 African Children's Choir
 Netball tournament (afternoon)
 Nursery Open Afternoon 2-3pm
 Athletics (afternoon)
 New take Meeting 6pm
 Shining Stars Celebration Assembly 3pm at Tredington
 Father's day BBQ
 Talton Lodge (pm)
 Bushcraft morning for Amber and Emerald
 Rounders (pm)
 Warwickshire Induction Day for Secondary Schools
 Year 6 retreat
 Sports Day Link Day (including Nursery)
 Spring Fever Week
 Reserve Sports Day
 End of term Production
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 Emerald Class Family Assembly 3pm at Tredington
 Open Morning for Current Parents
 8.40-11.00am
 Leavers' Service 2pm at St Gregory's Tredington
 Picnic on the Field
 End of term
 Staff training day for school and nursery

Secondary School Open Days:

Shipston High School is holding an Open Morning for current Year 5 children and their parents on Wednesday 5th July between 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon.

Please book a place on 01608 661833 or through apunt@shipstonhigh.co.uk

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 Stratford Grammar School for Girls
 Wednesday 21st June (evening) & Thursday 22nd June (am)

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 KES Open morning
 Saturday 17th June 9-12pm
