



SWANWICK STORY

Friday 17 June 2022

We hope your children enjoyed their extended weekend!

It is due to be another hot few days! Please remember to send your child in wearing their sun cream and a sun hat.

Thankyou!

Holidays During School Terms

Holidays During Term Time & Attendance There continues to be a sharp rise in requests for exceptional leave at the moment. Whilst we consider each request individually, we do not authorise term time holidays. An exceptional leave form is required for all such absences. We thank those parents who have been transparent about requesting leave for their child for a family holiday.

[Exceptional Leave Form](#)

Tapestry Reminder- Year 1

Tapestry Message- Current Year 1 Only

I have now sent your child's Learning Journal for you to download. This will appear when you log in as a notification. Please ensure you download the journal before Friday 24th June 2022.

Any problems and I am here to help you!

Thankyou,
Miss Wright



Skipping Workshops

The children have really enjoyed the skipping workshops this week!

Further information about the Pop-Up Shop and the ropes you can buy can be found here:

[Dan the Skipping Man](#)

Y4 – Multiplication Table Check

Well done to all the children in Year 4, who have completed their Times Table Tests this week. You have all worked hard and we are very proud of you!



Hay fever Season

We know there are many children (and adults!) who suffer from hay fever. Wherever possible, we ask that parents administer any medication before school so that your child is comfortable during the school day. If it is necessary for your child to take medication in school, please contact Mrs Blaydon victoria.blaydon@swanwick.derbyshire.sch.uk to discuss your child's needs and to organise a medication form which can be found here: [Medication Form](#) A cap and sunglasses can also help to keep symptoms at bay whilst outdoors.

P.E Uniform

We expect the children to follow our school uniform and this applies to their P.E Uniform too.

Please remember that we require the children to wear Plain grey or black shorts or Jogging bottoms, a plain white T-Shirt (not a crop top or vest top), a hoodie or fleece in plain black or dark grey and trainers.

Jewellery should be removed where possible.
Thankyou!



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Uniform Ordering

We have been reminded by our uniform providers about deadlines for September ordering:

[Order by August 1 2022](#)

If your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium, we will again be providing vouchers towards the purchase of uniform. These were in your child's bag last week. If your child was absent, then we have held onto these for safe keeping!

World Music Day- Tuesday 21st June

Next Tuesday is World Music day. Miss Harris will be organising a range of activities that will take place the classrooms to celebrate music across the world!



Athletics Competition

Massive congratulations to our year 6's who took part in the Amber Valley Schools sport's Elite Quad athletics competition on Tuesday. Placing 6th out 13 over all! A huge achievement. The children took part in events such as the 75m, 600m , Howler Throw and Long Jump- all the while in the hot heat with smiles on their faces representing our school brilliantly. Miss F. Wright and Mrs K. Turner were very proud of you all!



Could you be a School Governor?

We are looking for Parent Governors. If you are interested in supporting our school, then please see the link below!

[Parent Governor Information](#)



Cricket Workshops

If your child is interested in Cricket sessions, please see the leaflet attached.

[Cricket Workshops](#)

Colouring Competition Winners!

Last term, we asked the children to enter the Peveril Homes Colouring Competition to design a Bug Hotel. We are pleased to announce the following winners...

Arthur -Acorns	Ruby -Acorns
Harry B -Conkers	Lexi B- Conkers
Lilly S- Elm	Jack F- Elm
Evan B- Pine	Emily B- Pine
Isla T – Birch	Archie N- Birch
Elizabeth M- Maple	Rupert B- Maple
Lacey C- Cedar	Oliver- Cedar
Ethan B- Willow	Mia- Willow
Harry- Hazel	Jessica N- Hazel
Gideon- Rowan	Jasmine Rowan

We will be in contact with the winners to organise collection of their prizes.



Ripley Netball Club Awards

Well done to Willow in Ash class for being awarded two trophies- Players Player and Player of the Season!



Quick Cricket Competition

A huge well done to the Cricketers from Year Five and Six who won the Kwik Cricket competition at Alfreton Cricket Club last night. The team played and won all three of their games, finishing top of the group. All eleven players performed brilliantly and there was some excellent teamwork on display.



Class Photographs

Thank you for your orders for digital copies. We have sent out all orders received up until Tuesday 14th June 2022 on Wednesday via Parent Hub.

We will send out the final batch next week for anyone who has purchased digital copies since Wednesday 15th.

If you would like to order copies, please order via Parent Pay by Monday 20th June 2022. Thank you.



