

Wyche C.E. Primary School

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7<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Happy Friday everyone, and I hope you have had as fun-filled and action-packed week as we have had in school. Despite only being four days long we've jam-packed it with learning. Green are dramatically rehearsing their end of term play, Orange are erupting with excitement about volcanoes and tsunamis, Blue have stepped into the crease by learning to play cricket, fascination reigns in Yellow class as they explore the lives of Queen Elizabeth and Queen Victoria, and Red have artfully produced some remarkable work in the style of David Hockney! It's all go here, and rightly so.

<u>Mon 10<sup>th</sup> May</u>	PE lessons for Blue and Orange Classes Guitar lessons
<u>Tues 11<sup>th</sup> May</u>	PE lessons for Yellow and Blue Classes Drum and woodwind lessons
<u>Wed 12<sup>th</sup> May</u>	PE lessons for Red and Orange Classes
<u>Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> May</u>	PE lessons for Red and Green Classes Violin and piano lessons
<u>Fri 14<sup>th</sup> May</u>	PE lessons for Yellow and Green Classes
<u>Severn Arts Music Award</u>	<p>Severn Arts would like to make you aware of a new 'Music Award' they are offering for eligible families.</p> <p><b>Severn Arts Music Award</b></p> <p>Music lessons are a great way to build confidence, social networks and musical talent, but we know that not all families can afford the full costs. From now, families can apply for a 'Severn Arts Music Award' to be used from September 2021. This will provide £50 off the cost of music lessons each term for one year, free instrument hire (depending on instrument type) and free ensemble membership.</p> <p>Parents/carers can apply for a Music Award in the following circumstances:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Your child is eligible for Free School Meals</li><li>• Your child is looked after (LAC) or previously looked after (PLAC), or</li><li>• Your family is in receipt of universal credit, incapacity benefit or pension credit</li></ul> <p>Only one application per child can be made and, due to limited funds, Awards will be granted on a first come first served basis. If you think you may be eligible for an Award through the Severn Arts scheme and you would like to apply, please complete the <a href="#">Application for Severn Arts Music Award</a>. Applications for Awards should be made by <b>7 June 2021</b> and you (and the school your child attends) will be told whether or not you will receive an Award on <b>23 June 2021</b>.</p> <p>For further information about the Severn Arts Music Awards Scheme please visit our <a href="#">Help with costs page</a>. If you have any queries about the scheme please contact <a href="mailto:info@severnarts.org.uk">info@severnarts.org.uk</a></p>
<u>Testing</u>	<p>We have been asked to remind you that if you or your child are suffering from any of the three main coronavirus symptoms, (high temperature, new continuous cough, or loss of sense of smell or taste) then you should book a PCR test at your local testing centre,</p>

rather than relying on the lateral flow tests that you can take at home which are intended to identify asymptomatic cases.

### Activities

Malvern Baptist Church is launching a new kind of church in the Malvern area in the next few weeks- Muddy Church! Muddy Church is church for all ages which meets in the great outdoors, and having fun in God's wonderful creation is what Muddy Church is about. Muddy Church is also about engaging and learning from Creation and nature and about how God's character is shown through them. For more information please visit the church website [www.malvernchristianchurch.org.uk](http://www.malvernchristianchurch.org.uk)

WBA wanted to let you know that they are back with their 'Football Camps' this half term.

For fun football activities, sessions, games and tournaments throughout the 4 days, take a look at their camps!

They have 3 camps running this time around at the following venues- Sandwell Academy, Redhill Foundation School and Malvern Active.

Sandwell Academy - Whitsun Football  
Camp: <https://events.albionfoundation.co.uk/event/339871/2659218F19051A38B1D34489FBB4BC99#/init>

Malvern - Whitsun Football  
Camp: <https://events.albionfoundation.co.uk/event/339877/790936F1913F183435952151BBA1CD18#/init>

Redhill - Whitsun Football  
Camp: <https://events.albionfoundation.co.uk/event/339872/BAD6F48D27EC417C2FA8E1BB6152DA1B#/init>

£20 per individual day or £52 for the 4 days.  
Individual prizes to be won!  
Limited spaces are available, so please book early to guarantee a place on the course.

### The Big Ask

You may recall a few weeks ago we told you about a survey launched by the new children's commissioner. We'll be giving children the opportunity to complete the survey during class time and wanted to reassure you that the children will not be asked to give their name or supply any personal information. More information about the survey and its aims can be found at: <https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigask/>

### London Marathon

Our very own Mrs Anderson is running the London Marathon this October to raise funds for Children with Cancer. If you would like to support her donations can be made via the [virginmoneygiving.com/Hanleyswan](http://virginmoneygiving.com/Hanleyswan) running for cancer .

Don't forget help and services are available, [Worcestershire's Here2Help](http://Worcestershire's_Here2Help) line for Covid-related pressures and the Wyche website's [mental health and wellbeing](#) page.

Enjoy the sunshine and take care of yourselves.

Stephen Murphy,  
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