



Next week:

February	During School Day	After school
Monday 1st	Bank Holiday	
Tuesday 2nd	Early Bird Club 8am - 8.45am	Tea Time Club 3.15pm - 5.30pm
Wednesday 3rd	Early Bird Club 8am - 8.45am	Tea Time Club 3.15pm - 5.30pm
Thursday 4th	Early Bird Club 8am - 8.45am	Tea Time Club 3.15pm - 5.30pm
Friday 5th	Early Bird Club 8am - 8.45am KS2 Swimming 1.30pm - 3pm	

DIARY DATES

Monday 1st May
Bank Holiday

Monday 8th - Friday 12th May
Y6 SATs

Monday 15th - Friday 19th May
Y2 SATs

Monday 15th & Tuesday 16th May
Years 5 & 6 Bikeability

Tuesday 16th May (pm only)
Years 3 & 4 Level 1 Bikeability

Wednesday 17th May
School Photographer

Tuesday 23rd May
Dorrington PTA Meeting
The Horseshoes at 7.30pm

Thursday 25th May
Y5/6 Orienteering at
Cardingmill Valley

Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June
Half Term Holiday

Wednesday 7th June
Y4 Blown Away Day at
Church Stretton School

10am - 12pm
Y5 & 6 Rounders at
Church Stretton School

Monday 12th June
Y5 & 6 Crucial Crew

Thursday 22nd June
KS2 Athletics at
Church Stretton School

Tuesday 4th July
KS2 Ukefest at Theatre Severn

Tuesday 11th July
Reception & Y1 Sports Festival at
Church Stretton School

Friday 21st July
Last Day of Term

School News

Hope you all had a restful Easter break.

Having received the Ofsted report earlier this week you will be aware that the school leadership has, over a number of years let you and your children down.

I am very grateful that the current governors have worked tirelessly to uncover the issues and, whilst many of you have been surprised by the changes over the last few months, it is important that you feel reassured the school is now most definitely moving, at pace, in the right direction.

Ofsted are very clear; the role of the school is to ensure academic progress of all pupils within an environment of good behaviour, which includes learning behaviour. Each child should have the opportunity to reach their potential. Unfortunately, in the past not enough emphasis has been placed on pupils' learning and progress and, as you have read in the report, this has led to a serious decline in standards.

All currently involved in the school are committed to moving forward and providing a very good education for your children in line with other schools in Shropshire.

Teachers will plan lessons which are interesting, stimulating and enjoyable whilst at the same time ensuring pupils make progress and achieve the very best they can: learning from their mistakes; developing a thirst for learning and taking responsibility for their own learning.



Please make an appointment at the school office if you wish to discuss the report with a governor.

Kerrie Lewis

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After School Clubs

We are currently finalising arrangements for a variety of after school clubs this term.

Guitar Club will continue to take place each Monday and Shropshire Music Service will shortly be writing to Parents with details of how your child can get involved.

Tea Time Club continues to run on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings until 5.30pm.

We hope to also be offering a variety of Sports clubs including Football and Tennis.

Look out for a letter in your child's bag next week with further details.

DORRINGTON YOUTH CLUB DATES

Fridays
6.30pm to 8.30pm
at
Dorrington Village Hall

5 May 2017

9 June 2017

14 July 2017

1 September 2017

6 October 2017

3 November 2017

1 December 2017

Ages

8-16

(Under 8's must
bring a parent)

This week our Sharing Assembly Focus
was:

International Astronomy Day

The music we have been listening to was:

**Jupiter - Bringer of Jollity
By Gustav Holst - The Planets**

Attendance

Our Education Welfare Officer visited the school today to review the attendance of pupils during the Spring Term.

During the visit she looked at the attendance of all pupils, in particular at attendance that falls below 90%, unauthorised absences and late attendance at school.

Following the visit, it is sometimes necessary for the Education Welfare Team to contact Parents to address any concerns.

As we continue to work towards excellent attendance at school for all pupils, where possible, routine appointments should be made outside of school hours.

Thank you for your continued support

Dorrington PTA

Table Top Sale

Sunday 4th June
at Dorrington Village Hall

9.30am - 12pm
(open from 8.45am for sellers)

£5 per table
Refreshments available

For more details please see Sarah Huxley.

Ted's Mixing Bowl

Free Community Coffee Morning, open to ALL AGES
10am -12noon
at Dorrington Village Hall
each Wednesday.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Space to chat over cuppa, space for little ones to play.