NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th November, 2026

At 10.50am on Wednesday 11th November, students from our nursery, primary and secondary came together to commemorate Armistice Day. Our student leaders, Seb and Seren, recited the poem 'Flanders Fields' followed by Mrs Pope who reminded us of the sacrifices made on the battlefield. Our primary choir sang beautifully and Mrs Jones marked the 2-minute silence by playing The Last Post. Lt. Marina led the Cadets through an official march with Hannah Newman and Shannon Jones laying the wreath of poppies. Ava Parry, from year 1, was invited by the local Rainbows group to lay the village wreath.









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Our own Toby Lewis, in year 9, led the parade of Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies to the church in St Martins. Over in Chirk, Mrs Smith and her family were paying their respects as part of 'Chirk Pantoholics' group.





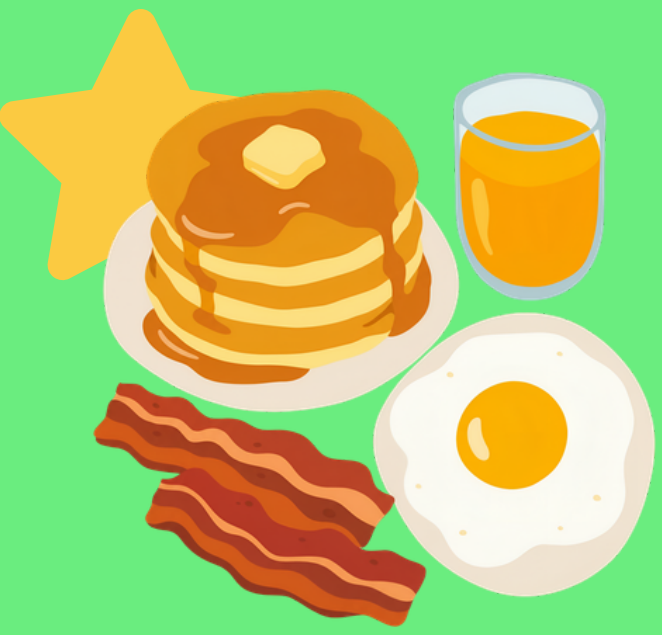


Mock Season has Begun!

On Tuesday, our 'Hospitality' students completed the first exam of the mock season. Every year, this cooking practical attracts staff to go in and try delicious goods cooked by our very own year 11 chefs. Harley was the connoisseur of the ultimate burger; Olivia concocted a mango curry with homemade naan bread. One set of brownies took the spotlight when they overcooked *just a tad* and set off the smoke alarms.... luckily we've had lots of fire drill practice!

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Headteacher's brunch stars for this week:

Josh ★ Sophie ★ Emilia ★
Momo ★ Logan ★ Isla ★
Dexter ★ George ★ Zac ★
Charlotte ★ Joel ★ Ben ★

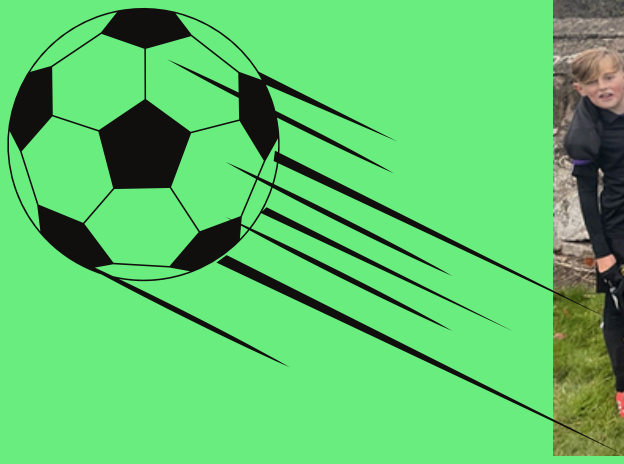
HOUSE POINT TOTALS

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1438	1236	1062	950

House points are awarded each week for:
daily attendance, correct uniform, corect equipment and positive behaviour choices.

SPORTING NEWS

On Monday, Mr Powell took a group of year 7/8 boys to play football against Oswestry School. Our footballers were successful and will be going through to the next round of the North Shropshire Cup. Well done to captain, Henry Owen, who *'did not stop running'*. Also, a huge shout out to Isaac O'Brien for scoring the winning penalty. Well done team!





Our netball team competed in the North Shropshire U14 Netball Tournament and won 4 out of 5 games!
Ms Hamm-Jones noted excellent technique used but even more prominent was the sense of teamwork between our players. Well done team!





STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Year 8 artist, Sophie, has created this beautiful monochrome drawing of the Notre Dame Cathedral.



Sophie's line work and use of shading showcases her fantastic eye for detail and her artistic mastery.

Well done, Sophie!

REMINDERS

Friendly Reminder

Learning Together Growing Brighter Futures

Allergy Awareness Keeps Our School Safe

Be Allergy Aware Be Kind Be Safe

Please return your child's Allergy Individual Healthcare Plan

To help us keep all our pupils safe and well, please complete and return your child's **Allergy Individual Healthcare Plan** as soon as possible.

Peanuts, Tree Nuts, Milk, Eggs, Fish, Wheat, Sesame and more...

A separate Allergy Individual **Healthcare Plan** is required even if you have recently completed a medical update form.

These plans support our school's **Allergy Policy** and help us provide the best care for your child.

Thank you for your support!

Safe Children Brighter Futures

Working together for a safer, happier school

£156.80



Thank you for your donations today! We have raised £156.80 for a fantastic cause. There's still time to donate via ParentPay if you should wish.

UPCOMING EVENTS

A message from Mrs Jones:

Dear Year 5/6 parents,

We would like to invite you to a SATs information session on Microsoft Teams at **6pm on Thursday 19th November.** This session is designed to provide information about the Key Stage 2 SATs assessments that Year 6 pupils will complete in May. Year 5 parents are invited to join if you wish to attend.

During the session, we will cover:

-What the SATs tests involve

-How and when the assessments are administered

-How pupils are assessed in reading, mathematics, and grammar, punctuation and spelling (GPS)

-Ways that we prepare children for the tests in school

-Practical advice on how you can support your child at home

-An opportunity to ask questions and discuss any concerns

We hope you will be able to join us and find the session informative and reassuring. We will record the session for those that cannot attend. The link for the meeting will be sent out via Class DoJo.

We look forward to seeing you.



Next week is anti-bullying week in the UK and to celebrate diversity among students, we're inviting both primary and secondary pupils to wear odd socks on Friday 20th November.
No donation, just different coloured socks!



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