



Gobowen Gazette



Nurture, grow, flourish

Week Beginning 4th November 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have come to the end of the half term and the children have worked incredibly hard over the past 8 weeks. The children have made excellent progress and continue to impress everyone with their hard working attitudes. The children will have 1 week off and it is very important that you continue to get your child/ren to read everyday for at least 10 minutes. It is also good if you read to them. Reading is so important especially at this age.

Some of our classes have been on school trips/walks this week and we had some fantastic feedback from members of the public regarding our children's behaviour. It is always pleasing to hear this kind of feedback about our children.

There is no school tomorrow as it is a professional development day for staff. We have Read Write Inc (phonics scheme) coming into school to do some training with the staff. It should be a productive day.

We return to school on the 4.11.24 at 8:45am and we look forward to welcoming you back on this date.

Have a great break.

Mr R. Walsh
Headteacher

NEW Lunch Menu - Week 2

Monday 4th November	3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	Tennis Club—Years 1 & 2 Tennis Club—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Tuesday 5th November	9.15.—12.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 2.00—3.00pm 3.15—4.15pm	KS2 Girls Football Team—Market Drayton Competition Christmas Craft Club—Years 1 & 2 BeeBot Club—Years 1 & 2 Language Nut Club—Years 3 & 4— Cancelled due to the disco Retro Gaming Club—Years 5 & 6— Cancelled due to the disco FOGS Disco—Acorn, Willow, Sycamore & Hazel FOGS Disco—Maple, Ash, Birch & Oak
Wednesday 6th November	3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	Dance Club—Years 3 & 4 Choir—Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 Running Club—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Thursday 7th November	3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	Boys Football—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Girls Football—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Drama Club—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Friday 8th November		

Unicef Rights of the Week

Article 38

You have the right to protection and freedom from war. Children under 15 cannot be forced to go into the army or take part in war.

Attendance

Class of the Week

Week ending 18th October 2024

Willow	96.9%
Sycamore	90.7%
Hazel	93.3%
Maple	99.0%
Ash	95.0%
Birch	93.7%
Oak	97.3%

Class of the week is
MAPLE with 99.0%

CONGRATULATIONS!

95% is the average attendance in primary schools.

95% or higher is considered **GOOD** attendance.

This means you have had less than 10 days off school in a year.

Our target is to maintain an attendance level of **97% or higher**.



Achievement Certificates



Week ending 18th October 2024

Willow	Grayson	Taylor
Sycamore	Otilie	Morgan
Hazel	Paisley	Brodie
Maple	Alice	Caleb
Ash	Delilah	Caleb
Birch	Mya	Edward
Oak	Joshua	Isaac
Lunchtime Headteacher	Pollyanna (Birch) Kieran (Ash)	Ryan (Ash)



FOGS DISCO



Tuesday 5th November 2024

Acorn, Willow, Sycamore & Hazel

2.00pm—3.00pm

£2.00 entry donation, drinks included
(sweets, snacks and glow sticks will be on sale)

Maple, Ash, Birch & Oak

3.15—4.15pm

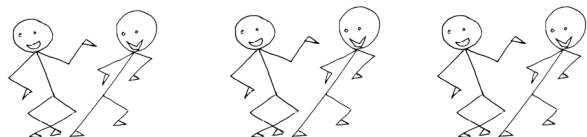
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Children must come to school in their school uniform.

They can bring disco clothes to change into (in a named bag please).

If you wish to send spending money, please send it in a named purse or envelope.



VILLAGE OCTOBER HALF-TERM HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES WITH FOOD

AN EXCITING AND ENGAGING PROGRAMME OF FREE ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION TO YEAR SIX

Free meal provided for all participants

Two hours of games and activities for children of all abilities

Children and young people are invited to join us to take part in lots of fun activities, sports and games, all supervised by fully qualified and DBS checked sports activity coaches and youth workers.

Limited places available. Registration essential.

If your child would like to play football, please ensure they bring boots and shinpads (Gobowen, St Martins and Weston Rhyn only).

The activities will be held on the following dates:

Mon 26th Oct	Gobowen Pavilion & Playing Fields	2pm - 4pm
Tue 29th Oct	Weston Rhyn Institute	2pm - 4pm
Wed 30th Oct	St Martins Centre	2pm - 4pm
Thur 31st Oct	Whittington Senior Citizens Hall	2pm - 4pm



To book your place, visit:

www.tnsfc.co.uk/foundation/holiday-activities

**FREE
ENTRY**

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