

# NEWSLETTER - FRIDAY 13th JUNE 2025



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### Learning and living as children of God

(Ephesians 5:1) (You are God's children whom he loves. Try to be like God)  
OUR SCHOOL VALUE THIS TERM IS TRUTHFULNESS



#### Sun Shine Awards

Reception: Archie, Max.

Class 1: Albert, Quinn.

Class 2: Ella, Theo.

Class 3: Annabelle, Poppy-Mae.

Playtime trophy goes to class Little Deers.

The school sports award goes to Flynn & Evelyn R.

#### School Day

Just a reminder that the school day starts at **8.45am** this is the time children need to be in class, children can arrive at 8.40am.

Please make sure children have forest school clothes in school. Thank you.



The children in school entered the prestigious Young Engineers Award this year. It was a fantastic result for Deerhurst and Apperley with five pupils receiving awards and being invited to the 'If You Were an Engineer What Would You Do?' at the South West England Public Exhibition & Awards, Friday 27th June at - UWE Bristol School of Engineering.

Highly Commended: Kit, Gretel & Alba.

Winners: Evelyn & Rose.

#### Cater Cater School Meals

We have been advised that the cost of the school meal will increase to £2.55 from September.

#### Reception Numbots Awards

Tin - Kit

#### After School Club T6

02/06/25-23/06/25 Camp Kindness Yr 2 3.15- 4pm

02/06/25-30/06/25 Nature Club Yr 5&6 3.15-4pm

02/06/25-07/07/25 Cricket Yr 1, 2 & 3 3.15-4pm

03/06/25-24/06/25 Boardgames Yr2 3.15-4pm

04/06/25-09/07/25 Summer Sports Club Yr 3&4 3.15-4pm

05/06/25-03/07/25 Summer Sports Club Yr 5&6 3.15-4pm

05/06/25-14/07/25 CTFC Football Yr 1-6 3.15-4pm

**NO football session on 10<sup>TH</sup> July, last session Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July.**

#### Future Dates/Notifications

13/06/25: Seed planting in school parents invited 3pm

17/06/25: RAGS2RICHES Collection 9am

17/06/25: Parent Forum @ 6pm

20/06/25: Book Look 3.15-4pm

25/06/25: Sports Day 2pm start gates open @1.45pm

25/06/25: **NO CLUBS**

03/07/25: New reception children transition 9-10am

09/07/25: New reception parent invite 3.30-4pm

10/07/25: New reception transition 9-10am

10/07/25: KS2 Play at the village hall @1.30pm

10/07/25: **NO CLUBS**

14/07/25: Last Football session.

17/07/25: Yr6 Leavers at Apperley Church 2pm

17/07/25: Yr6 Leavers tea party 3.15-pm

18/07/25: Final award celebration assembly @ 2pm

Congratulations to Albert who has been awarded his 200 metres Rainbow Distance Award!



All Stars Cricket Club got off to a great start! Watch this space for an update on cricket club for autumn term



## Head Boy & Head Girl Blog!



Everyone had a super time at Hartpury University and they are looking forward to going again. Year 6 enjoyed a lifesaving swimming experience this week and they found it challenging and fun.

We have welcomed Kelly back for the summer term of dance for all the classes in school. The children had a wonderful first session and Class 2 have been practising dance for their 'Oliver With A Twist' performance!



George is collecting for the Foodbank once again through his local Cub group. He has put up posters around the school and village. He will be collecting items over the next six weeks if you would like to make any donations. He will be leaving a box in our outdoor pergola for you to access. Well done George, what a great idea again!



Daisy has shared the most beautiful snow-capped mountain picture that she has created. She was awarded a Rotary Young Artist Competition certificate for her fantastic achievement. Well done Daisy!



And the winners of the 100 Club for May are...

1st - Marta Walichnowska - £25

2nd - Elin Paulson - £10

3rd - Dan Hall - £5

4th - Sue Tickner - Bottle of Fizz!

Thank you to everyone for joining in! There are still 2 more chances to win.

The PTFA will contact the winners with your prizes

## Honours List

Each week, awards for children's achievement will be presented in Celebration Assembly. We will also recognise children who have demonstrated our value for each term in the everyday life of our school - our value for Term 6 is Truthfulness.



## Award winners for w/c 2<sup>nd</sup> June - 13<sup>th</sup> June 2025

### Achievement:

Reception - Oliver, Max & Charlotte for super work on doubles in Maths. Kit & Archie for super reading this week.

Class 1 - Calon for super phonics work this week. Ellen for her perseverance in maths this week.

Class 2 - Alex for working really hard when using money within our maths lessons. Finnlay & Harvey for their amazing story writing.

Class 3 - Molly P, Sonny, Ben & Valentina for great stories. Luke & Sonny for coding their microbits to play rock, paper, scissors.

### Values:

Reception - Hendrix, Betsy & Delilah-Rose.

Class 1 - Rufus, Alegria & Sam.

Class 2 - Ellie & Hope, Otis & Leila.

Class 3 - Zahara & Alba, Annabelle & Sophie.



Congratulations to Poppy who has been awarded five prizes from her Ledbury Hunt Pony Club! She achieved four rosettes, one of which was first place and a wonderful sash representing Reserved Champion! Well done Poppy!





### Class 3

The children have enjoyed creating and drawing their own machines as a 'hook' for writing explanation texts:



Little Deers have had a super first 2 weeks back. They started off the half term about their holiday news and loved hearing about James' adventures in Norway, they then took arrival of their caterpillars and have had a great time watching them and learning the story of The Very Hungry Caterpillar. Our oldest children had a visit to Reception, getting ready for September, they had a brilliant time and can't wait to go back!



PIC-COLLAGES

Rufus is a proud member of The Boys Brigade and has had lots of adventures as an Anchor Boy!



This week in maths Reception have been learning about doubles and using ten frames to show different groups of number.



Congratulations to George who has now completed his first level of 'Golf Access' and is now moving on to go off the official tees at Sherdons.



### Class 3

Class 3 have been extending their programming skills to program microbits. They had great fun learning how to write the code to play their own Rock, Paper Scissors game.



Class One have been discussing how we are all unique and valuable. They have listened to and brought to life through drama stories from the Bible that explain why Christians and Jewish people believe that God values everyone. They have also discussed why everyone (religious and non-religious) should care for others. To show just how unique they are, the class have painted their self-portraits!



### Sun hats/Water bottles

Just a reminder, can children have a refillable water bottle with them every day and sun hats. Thank you.





Congratulations to Oliver who has achieved his level 2 swim award. Well done!



Class two has been looking at lots of fun performance poetry this week. They have been performing with actions, facial expressions and experimenting with their tone of voice.



Eco Committee have been hard at work planning a fab Great Big Green week. So far we have had the walking bus, plant fruit and veg swap, classes have been doing some gelli plate printing with flowers and leaves. Thank you all for joining in and we look forward to the seed planting! Some children have also been doing some activities at home for the Green Week.



#### Hartpury Day

All the school enjoyed their time at Hartpury, it was an excellent day. Thank you to Mr Tambling and his team for making it all possible .







### SAFE GUARDING CORNER



### SMART Rules

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