# **The Coppice Primary School Newsletter**

#### Newsletter Number



### Star of the week

RB- Bethany S

RT- Harry C

RD- Daisy W

1A- Shay N

1H- Mrs Gill

1J- Mrs Douglas

2CA- Ava W

2A- William L

2K- Megan P

3M- Milla A

3P-Beau L

3C- Nahum R

4AW- Jessica F

4VW-Thomas P

5AD-

5J-

5L

6L-

6G-

## Assembly theme

The theme for next week will be: "Forgiveness".

## **Team Points**

Week ending 03.05.19 First- 189 -Falcons Second- 163- Hawks Third- 150- Owls Fourth - 96- Eagles

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## **Head Teacher's News**

Date: 3rd May 2019

#### Job vacancies at The Coppice

#### **Clerk to Governors**

You will provide effective administrative support to the Governing Body and its committees and provide advice on governance, constitutional and procedural matters.

The Clerk to Governors role is 75 hours per annum at £11.21 per hour, comprising preparation, minutes and attendance at four full Governing Body meetings (generally 4.30pm – 6.30pm on Tuesdays), three Curriculum meetings and three Buildings & Grounds meetings (during the day). Further details are in the job description and person specification, available on the school website or email (office@coppice.worcs.sch.uk)

Closing date for applications 17<sup>th</sup> May 2019 Interviews 4<sup>th</sup> June 2019 Start date 17th June 2019

#### Level 3 Early Years Educator/Practitioner (Nursery)

We are seeking to appoint a talented and positive Early Years Educator/Practitioner who is a team player, hard-working, creative, caring, flexible and highly motivated. You must possess excellent communication skills, both written and verbal, and have a real willingness to support both the learning, social, emotional and behavioural needs of our pupils as they begin their school life at The Coppice. Holding a Level 3 Early Years Educator Qualification and experience of working with Early Years children are essential requirements for this post.

Hours: 30 (8.30 – 11.30 and 12.30 -3.30 every day. Lunch break (not paid) is 11.30 - 12.30).

Further details are in the job description and person specification, available on the school website or email (office@coppice.worcs.sch.uk)

Closing date for applications 4th June 2019 Interviews and observations (at The Coppice) 12th June 2019 Start date 2nd September 2019

## **Attendance and Punctuality**

% attendance 1.9.18-12.4.19					
RD	96.8	RT	95.1	RB	96.2
1H	95.2	1A	96.8	1J	97.2
2K	97.5	2CA	96.5	2A	97.2
3C	96.2	3M	96.9	3P	95.5
4VW	97.4	4B	96.0	4AW	97.6
5J	98.1	5AD	95.4	5L	96.0
6L	97.4	6G	95.3	Whole	
				school	
				96.5%	

#### Highest Weekly Attendance w/b 8.4.19

Congratulations to 2K (98.7%) and 5J (99%) for having the highest weekly attendance in KS1 and KS2 respectively.

Punctuality Award: KS1: 2K KS2: 3M

## **Reception places 2019**

Reception places for September 2019 have now been offered by Worcestershire County Council (via email on 16.04.19). If you have not yet accepted your place you need to do so immediately. As the response date has now passed and the portal has closed, you will need to do this by sending an acceptance email to the following email address- <a href="mailto:primeschoolacceptance@babcockinternational.com">primeschoolacceptance@babcockinternational.com</a> This email must contain the following information: name of child, child's date of birth, the full name of the school you are accepting (please ensure you put The Coppice, Hollywood, Birmingham so that this not confused with other schools with a similar name). Alternatively, please ring Pupil Admissions on 01905 678348.

## **Coming up at The Coppice**

DON'T FORGET THAT WE ARE CLOSED ON MONDAY 6<sup>th</sup> MAY FOR THE MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY. We are back as normal on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May.

7<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May – Y5 Bikeablility

13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May – KS2 SATs week.

4th June – Class photo day (no individual photos)

Sports Days- Please note that Nursery and Reception dates have now been confirmed and are detailed below.

Monday 17th June - 9.30am - 11am - Nursery (AM) + Reception (RT and RB)

Monday 17th June - 1.30pm - 3pm - Nursery (PM and All Day) + Reception (RD)

Tuesday 18th June - 1.30pm-3pm - Year 1

Wednesday 19th June - 9.30am - 11am - Year 2

Wednesday 19th June - 1.30pm - 3pm - Year 3

Friday 21st June - 9.30am - 11am - Year 4

Friday 21st June - 1.30pm - 3pm - Years 5 and 6

## **Community news**

#### Starting Rite - a Baby Sensory Course at St Mary's

Starting Rite is a baby-centred, five week course for parents or carers and their baby (aged up to 12 months). There will be a whole variety of activities to help you bond with your baby and introduce them to spiritual play.

The next Starting Rite course at St Mary's will run on Thursday mornings starting on 9th May. It will be £2 per session. Tea and coffee will be served from 9:30am, allowing time to get settled in and sessions run from 10-11:30am. We can have up to 10 babies per course so please book your place -

contact: <a href="mailto:church.net">churchoffice@wythallchurch.net</a> or call 01564 823248.

#### **Wythall Tennis Club**

Tennis is one of the best sports to help your child develop valuable life skills, like respect, teamwork, fair play and concentration. Tennis for Kids is a great way for kids to learn these skills as well as the basics of the game, so they can build confidence on court and a foundation in tennis, whilst enjoying themselves in a safe environment.

For just £25 your child will receive 6 high-quality lessons from the Head Coach at Wythall Tennis Club, Alex Doffman, along with a Babolat Tennis Racket, Tennis Ball Set and a personalised Tennis for Kids T-Shirt delivered straight to your door.

We are currently offering 2 courses for children aged 4-7 on a Monday from 16:00-17:00 and aged 8-11 on a Wednesday from 16:00-17:00. The courses start from 6th May, with limited spaces available. If you would like more information please contact our Head Coach or to book a place on the course please click the link below.

Coach: Alex Doffman, Tel: 07515356884, Email: alexdoffman@me.com

## **Our Website Links**

School website- http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/

Newsletter- http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/main-school-newsletter-and-nursery-newsletter/

PTA- <a href="https://www.pta-events.co.uk/coppice/#.Wv1BYDQvypo">https://www.pta-events.co.uk/coppice/#.Wv1BYDQvypo</a> Calendar- <a href="https://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/calendar/">https://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/calendar/</a>

Suggestions box- http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/suggestion-box/

Official Facebook page- <a href="https://www.facebook.com/coppiceps/">https://www.facebook.com/coppiceps/</a>