

# The Coppice Newsletter—09.10.2020



HAPPY, CONFIDENT AND SUCCESSFUL LEARNERS; WELL PREPARED FOR LIFE.

## Long hair in school - please tie up!

It has been a while since we have had to give a reminder about girls and boys with long hair in school. Hair needs to be tied up by an appropriate hair fixing (as per school uniform policy). This is a health and safety thing. It helps reduce the incidents of head lice and stops it being an impediment during PE. Further, in these times when we are trying to be more hygiene-conscious, keeping ourselves to ourselves, it's important. Accordingly, all long hair needs to be tied up. Please bring in a band daily, as these will no longer be available from the school office. Thank you in anticipation of your support and understanding with this.



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## HERE 2 HELP

Here 2 Help is a Worcestershire site created to provide support to families on all aspects of life affected by Covid-19.



## STAR OF THE WEEK

- 1D - Edison
- 1T - Lucas
- 1RB - Sienna
- 2A - Emily
- 2CA - Erica & Arjan
- 2J - Alana
- 3P - Amelia
- 3K - Rubyanna
- 3HK - Tayt
- 4W - Sam
- 4MW- Leila
- 4J - Amelia—Rose
- 5G - Jacob
- 5MS - Jack
- 5K - James
- 6C - James
- 6L - Kate
- 6G - Olly

## ASSEMBLY THEME

The theme for next week's assembly will be normally posted here but assemblies are cancelled for the foreseeable future due to COVID 19.

## TEAM POINTS

Coming soon



A message to our choir.

We have now been allocated our date for our concert. We will now be singing at Resorts World arena on Thursday 24th June . Information about tickets, T- shirts and wristband sales will be available soon. In the meantime don't forget to log on to the Young Voices website and go to the music room page—<https://www.youngvoices.co.uk/music-room> where you can find all the songs, lyrics and dance videos for you to learn.

We know next June seems a long way away but there are lots of different songs to practice including medleys using songs from The Lion King, The Beatles and The Muppet show, as well as some well known pop songs.

We will find out about the stars we will be singing with nearer to the time. Get singing choir!

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

### **CSS** The Coppice Primary School's After School Activities

Dear Parents/Guardian,

Welcome & thank you for showing an interest in our Autumn term after school activities. Please circle the activity on the booking form that you wish your child to attend.

#### **Football or Athletics for all Girls & Boys from Y2 – Y6, (specific Year group bubble day).**

The days below are for most pupils their main PE day, which means most pupils will already be dressed in their School PE Kit. A pupil may put a football top on after the School day has ended. Pupils will get ready in their own classroom and will only use their own YEAR Group toilets as they would during the day. If the weather is bad the Infant hall will be used.

Please note, all booking forms must only be emailed to [css.schoolsports@gmail.com](mailto:css.schoolsports@gmail.com) not the School office.

**Monday is for Y5, Tuesday is for Y2, Wednesday is for Y4, Thursday is for Y3, Friday is Y6**

**Payment is only** via Bank Transfer; Account name -David J Morris, Account number- 00150834, sort code 110438

The sessions are run by qualified coaches who are insured and have an Enhanced DBS. They also hold First Aid and Safeguarding children certification and follow our own code of conduct, which ensures safety and enjoyment to all, no matter what ability.

**CSS** follows the School's Covid 19 guidance from the DfE.

**When collecting your child from the KS1 Gate at 16:25 YOU must be wearing a mask and be social distancing. We will call your child's name out one at a time for handover!**

For personal welfare & safety your child needs to bring: -

**Appropriate footwear and clothes (Coat, Gloves & Hat.) are required for outdoors.**

**SHIN PADS for football must be worn!**

**Drink in a bottle, which can be refilled.**

**If your child suffers from asthma, please make sure they bring their inhaler to the club.**

**Important! Please email your booking form to [css.schoolsports@gmail.com](mailto:css.schoolsports@gmail.com) (Not to the school office).**

**Football / Athletics for all year groups start week commencing Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October, 8 sessions cost £48.00**

Pupil..... Year Group/Class.....

Address.....Post code.....

Any known medical conditions? .....

Email address; .....

**In the event of an emergency please supply 2 contacts, plus name any other persons allowed to collect your child.**

1.....Tel..... 2..... Tel.....

3..... Tel .....



## POPPIES FOR SALE

From next week we will be selling poppies and other commemorative items on behalf of The British Legion.

In order for us to sell these safely we are asking children to bring in money for the items they wish to purchase (see below) in a named envelope. The boxes of items for sale will move between the classrooms with a period of quarantine between each class. The children should leave their money with the teacher in their class, where it will be quarantined until it is safe and until the box arrives with them. They can then purchase their item/s.

The paper poppies have a suggested donation of 20p. Other suggested donations are outlined in the photo below but any donation would be welcomed - especially this year where their fundraising efforts have been thwarted somewhat and every penny will count.



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

School term dates and TED days for the academic year 2020/2021.

<b>Holiday</b>	<b>School closes on (all usual school finishing time)</b>	<b>School re-opens on</b>
Autumn term 2020	Not applicable	<b>Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2020</b> (TED day Tuesday 1st September)
Autumn half term	Friday 23rd October 2020	Monday 2nd November 2020
Christmas	Friday 18th December 2020	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2021 (TED day Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2021)
Spring half term	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2021	Monday 22nd February 2021
Easter	Friday 1st April 2021	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2021
Summer half term	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2021	Monday 7th June 2021
Summer term ends	Monday 19th July 2021	Not yet available

Other school closures

Monday 3rd May 2021- May Day Bank holiday

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2021 -Summer Term TED days.

## CONTACT US

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## OUR ONLINE LINKS

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

Newsletter- <http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/>

PTA- <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/coppice/#.Wv1BYDQvypo>

Calendar- <http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/calendar/>

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

Official Facebook page- <https://www.facebook.com/coppiceps/>

PTA Facebook group—<https://www.facebook.com/groups/320191721984039/>