9th December 2022

ST. PETER'S NEWS

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What a lovely week of nativities! We are all feeling very festive. We had a great Secret Santa day too and we hope you enjoy your gifts. Thank you for all of your kind words about the performances; the children and staff put a lot of work into them so it is lovely to hear.

We still have Beauty and the Beast, (tickets left for the Tuesday matinee!) our Carol Service and Christmas Dinner Day to go!

As always, we hope you have a lovely weekend.

Miss Kynaston and everyone at St Peter's.

ST PETER'S CE PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL WEM

Underpinned by our Christian values,
we create a happy, caring environment.
This empowers each and every unique person to

dream believe achieve & flourish

'In the same way, you should be a light for other people.
Live so that they will see the good things you do'
Matthew 5:16 (ICB)



CONGRATULATIONS TO 6H

The class are 5th in the WORLD on Spelling Shed!

Well done for all of your hard work!

Nursery

We are in full Christmas mode! We've been busy working in Santa's workshop, retelling the Nativity Story and decorating the Christmas tree .












Year 1

We had great fun acting out some of the scenes from The Nativity Story.



I'm a donkey carrying Mary to Bethlehem.

The wise men followed the star



Santa came for a visit and we couldn't stop smiling!







Year 3



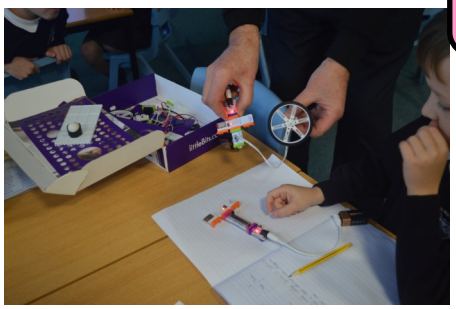
We have created a Christmas decoration that is now on our school Christmas tree



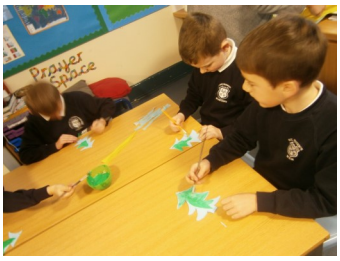
In computing Mr Smith taught us all about wireless networks.





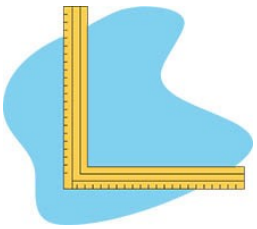






In Maths, we enjoyed exploring right angles.



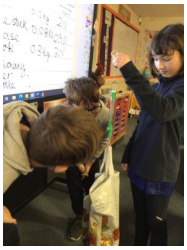


Year 5

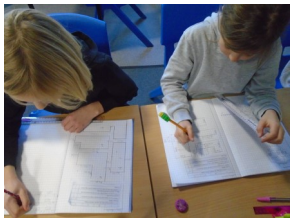
In maths we have started a new focus of learning on perimeter. We drew rectilinear shapes for our partner which they then had to measure and calculate the perimeter for.

















5W doing their experiment with a Newton meter investigating how an objects mass impacts its weight.

Christmas School Lunch Thursday 15th December 2022

Roast Turkey, Proper Gravy & Trimmings, Proper Roasted Potatoes, Steamed Carrots & Garden Peas

Frosted Chocolate Shortbread

Vegetarian Option

Homemade Butternut Squash Gratin, Proper Roasted Potatoes, Steamed Carrots & Garden Peas

Frosted Chocolate Shortbread



Vegan Option

Quorn Fillet with Vegan Gravy, Proper Roasted Potatoes, Steamed Carrots & Garden Peas

Vegan Friendly Frosted Chocolate Shortbread

Gluten Free Option

Roast Turkey Gluten Free Gravy &Gluten Free Trimmings, Proper Roasted Potatoes, Steamed Carrots & Garden Peas

Gluten Free Friendly Frosted Chocolate Shortbread

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All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 of school receive free school meals, known as Universal Free School Meals. Some children can continue to get Free School Meals from Year 3 right up until they are 18 if they are in full time education and their parents / carers receive a qualifying benefit.
Please visit https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/free-school-meals/apply-for-free-school-meals to check to see if your child is eligible and how to apply.

Children on benefits-related free school meals will also get support with food costs throughout the Christmas and half-term holidays.
Find out more https://newsroom.shropshire.gov.uk/2022/11/free-school-meals-holiday-support-extended-until-end-of-spring-term/



Worrying about Money?

Please use the link below to find guidance and advice regarding money worries that may be affecting you and your family:

https://www.worryingaboutmoney.co.uk/shropshire

There is some really useful information on the Shropshire Council website regarding the help and support available in connection to the cost of living increases: Cost of living help | Shropshire Council Information is also provided for residents who are having difficulty meeting their essential living costs: Welfare Support Team - local welfare provision | Shropshire Council

There are benefits calculators on the Shropshire Council website and GOV.UK

Benefits Calculator
Benefits calculator | Shropshire Council

Gov.uk Benefits Calculator
Benefits calculators - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

Winter 2022/23: Wem's Warm Places

It is unfortunately clear that we all face a difficult winter. Hopes of a recovery to life as it was before the pandemic are being eroded by the rising cost of everyday necessities, with the increases in fuel and energy costs being particularly severe.

Wem Town Council has no control over rising prices, but is committed to do whatever is possible to help and support residents in these difficult times. We have produced this leaflet to help you find assistance and support when you need it.

Food support continues to be available via Wem Store Cupboard and Wem Town Hall's 'Meals on Wheels' service can bring hot meals to your house if you find it difficult to cook.

Wem's Warm Places is the title given to places that will be open on different days in the week and will provide residents with the opportunities to have a hot drink, meet and socialise with others in warm places while saving on heating costs.

The details of the places are overleaf. This leaflet also gives contact numbers for the many sources of advice available relating to utility and general household costs .

Things are not going to be easy, but no one should struggle alone: use the contact numbers, or phone the Town Council on 01939 232733 for help and advice.

If you do not have a computer to access some of the information, you can go online for free at Wem Library.

Councillor Geoff Soul, Mayor of Wem

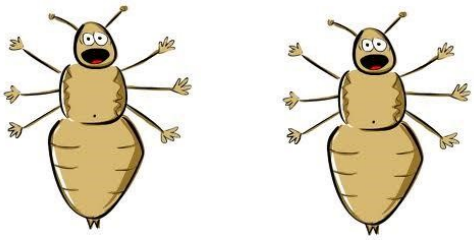
How You Can Help Others

Donate food, or money to charities and organisations

Whitchurch foodbank provides food for those in need in Wem. Please help by leaving items in Wem Co-op. **Financial Donations** - through the website **www.whitchurch.foodbank.org.uk** or cheques payable to Whitchurch Foodbank posted to Whitchurch Foodbank, Bargates Hall, Church Street, Whitchurch SY13 1LB.

Become a volunteer driver

Wem Community Car Scheme is desperate for drivers to take people to hospital and other appointments. Call 01939 232733 or email info@wem.gov.uk to find out more.



Please regularly check your child's hair for "visitors". Its always best to come to school with long hair tied up if possible.

!!! Admissions Information Dates !!!

Applications for Reception Places

Opens 2nd November 2022

Closes **15th January 2022**

Please remember that a place in our Nursery does NOT guarantee a Reception place. No grace is given for late applications.

For more information see

http://www.shropshire.gov.uk/schooladmissions

After school club
3.15pm until 6pm
£12 for the 6pm finish
£5 for the 4.30pm finish

Breakfast Club
Opening daily **7.30 am** until
£5 from 8am
£4 from 7.45am
£5 from 7.30am each day.



Mon 12th/Tues 13th Dec – Beauty and The Beast Production
Weds 14th Dec – Carol Service
Thurs 15th Dec – Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper day for Hope House
Mon 13th Feb 23 – Chester Zoo – Year 4

WEM UNITED SERVICES CLUB
CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY DISCO
SUNDAY 18TH DECEMBER
2pm Start
£3 per ticket- PLEASE PURCHASE FROM THE BAR BEFORE THE DAY



Come and dance the afternoon away and spread some Christmas cheer!

Chapel Street Dental

NHS

FREE NHS children's dental appointments available in Wem

Please get in touch if you would like to book your child/ren in

hello@chapelstreetdental.co.uk
01939 232 864
We can't wait to meet you!

Chapel Street Dental and Implant Centre, 16 Chapel Street, Wem, SY4 5ER.

	WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3
	W/C: 31st Oct, 21st Nov, 12th Dec,16th Jan, 6th Feb	W/C: 7th Nov, 28th Nov, 4th Jan, 23rd Jan, 13th Feb	W/C: 14th Nov, 5th Dec, 9th Jan, 30th Jan
MONDAY	Beef or Quorn Bolognaise with Penne Pasta Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Cheesy Garlic Bread Salad Bar, Steamed Cauliflower Chocolate Crunch Cake	Meatballs or Quorn Balls in Tomato & Basil Sauce Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Penne Pasta Salad Bar, Broccoli Selection of Muffins	Oven Baked Fish Fingers or Vegetable Fingers Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Oven Baked Chips Salad Bar, Garden Peas, Baked Beans Lemon Drizzle Cake
TUESDAY	Chicken or Vegetable Nuggets Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Herby diced Potatoes Salad Bar, Carrots, Baked Beans Shortbread	Young's Fish Cake, Cheese Pasty Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Oven Baked Chips, Mashed Potato Salad Bar, Baked Beans, Garden Peas Shortbread	Chicken Bites or Quorn with Sweet & Sour Sauce Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Steamed Noodles, 50/50 Egg Fried Rice Salad Bar, Carrots, Steamed Cabbage Selection of Cookies
WEDNESDAY	Chicken Curry Young's Fish Cake with Oven Baked Chips Jacket Potatoes with various fillings 50/50 Rice, Naan Bread Salad Bar, Garden Peas Steamed Golden Syrup Sponge & Custard	Tuna & Sweetcorn Pasta, Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Penne Pasta, Salad Bar, Carrots Steamed Jam Sponge & Custard	Chicken & Sweetcorn Pasta or Pesto Pasta Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Cheesy Garlic Bread Salad Bar, Green Beans, Baked Beans Steamed Chocolate & Pear Sponge & Custard
THURSDAY	Pork or Quorn Sausage with Gravy Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Mini Potato Rosti, Mashed Potato Salad Bar, Carrots, Steamed Broccoli Banana or Apple Flapjack	Minced Beef or Three Bean Taco Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Steamed 50/50 Rice, Potato Wedges Salad Bar, Sweetcorn Selection of Cookies	Pork or Quorn Sausage in Hot Dog Roll Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Oven Baked Chips, BBQ Sauce, Ketchup Salad Bar, Sweetcorn Fruit Salad, Jelly
FRIDAY	Cheese & Tomato Pizza, BBQ Chicken Pizza Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Penne Pasta , Oven Baked Chips Salad Bar, Sweetcorn, Baked Beans Cheshire Creamery Ice Cream	Roasted Vegetable Pizza, Three Cheese Pizza Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Oven Baked Chips, Penne Pasta Salad Bar, Sweetcorn, Baked Beans Mrs Evanson's Chocolate Mud Cake	BBQ Chicken Pizza, Cheese & Tomato Pizza Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Potato Wedges Pasta Salad Bar, Baked Beans Raspberry Ripple Mousse

Stars of the Week

Nursery	Lara W	3B	Theo M
RL	Jenson P	4L	Eleanor B
RS	The WHOLE class!	4K	Ben J
1B	Emily M	5W	Emily R
1K	Faye T	5V	Alex H
2S	Poppy W	6H	George G
2B	Molly B	6C	Max B
3G	Susan K		

** Readiness * Reasoning * Reflectivity * Resilience * Resourcefulness * Respect **