

# The ThursFriday Post



Thursday, 21 May 2026



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## WHAT'S NEW THIS WEEK?

- Meet the Governors - Revd Cawthorne
- Diary dates

	PE	PE	Woodland School
Dormouse	Monday (swimming)	Friday	Thursday
Red Squirrel		Tuesday (swimming)	Friday
Hedgehog	Thursday	Friday	Wednesday
Badger	Monday	Thursday	Wednesday

## MENU

w/c 1st June 2026: Week ONE

Please note the change in menu. Menus are available at [Clive CofE Primary School: School Meals](#).

## WRAP AROUND CARE

It is **essential** that children are booked in through the online form. Click on the links below:

**SUMMER (2) TERM 2026:**

[BREAKFAST](#) [AFTER SCHOOL CLUB](#)

## REPORTING CONCERNS ABOUT A CHILD

To report a concern call Shropshire Council's First Point of Contact (FPOC) - 0345 678 9021

## ABSENCE

If your child is absent from school, for any reason, please do not forget to let us know. This can be done by phone, email or the school spider app. Unreported absences will, for safeguarding reasons, be followed up by emails, texts and phone calls. Thanks

## DIARY DATES

Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> May - PD Day - School Closed  
 Mon 25<sup>th</sup> - Fri 29<sup>th</sup> May - Half Term  
 Thur 11<sup>th</sup> June - Individual and class photos  
 Fri 26<sup>th</sup> June - Sports morning  
 Sat 4<sup>th</sup> July - FOCS Summer Fair  
 Mon 6<sup>th</sup> &/or Tues 7<sup>th</sup> - Y6 transition days  
 Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July - End of Term

## MEET THE GOVERNORS:

### Revd Cawthorne

Revd Cawthorne ("Vicar Paul") is appointed to the LGB by Clive PCC (church council). He has particular interests in pupil and staff wellbeing, Christian Distinctiveness and environmental issues. As with all governors, he can be contacted through the school office (mark any correspondence for his attention).

## STAR PUPILS

Congratulations to Beatrice, who represented North Shropshire Hunt Pony Club in the area 7 Horse and Pony care competition in Warwickshire at the weekend. Her team were fantastic considering they were the youngest team in the competition. Well done Beatrice!



## INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY

Biodiversity is the foundation of all life on Earth. But around the world, it is being lost at an unprecedented rate. The International Day for Biological Diversity (IDB) 2026, "Acting locally for global impact," is a call for us all to take action to halt and reverse biodiversity loss. Protecting biodiversity includes action close to home with positive ripple effects that can reach far beyond.

On 22 May 2026, people around the world will come together to bring biodiversity into focus.

[International Day for Biological Diversity \(IDB\) 2026 | Convention on Biological Diversity](#) for more information.

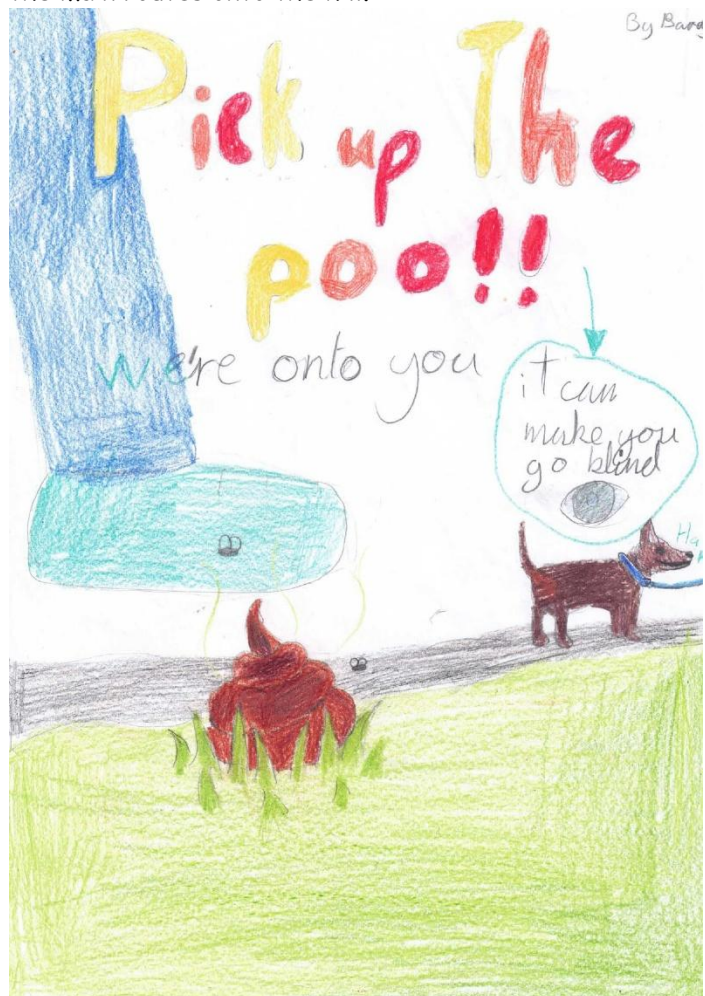


We shall be having a reading for pleasure focus on this day but the children may wear pyjamas!

Our value for the term is 'Respect'.

### CONGRATULATIONS!!

Congratulations to Bardy who won the Parish Council's competition to design a poster encouraging dog owners to pick up their dog's mess. These will be put up along the main routes onto the hill.



### DOG MESS

We have received reports of dog mess bags being thrown into the woods either side of the paths to school. Please don't forget to use the dog poo bin outside the school or *point others in that direction*. Thanks



Charity number 1205938

## Annual General Meeting with "Cake and Pud"

.....7pm Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026.....

St Peter's Church Hall

Find out what we have been doing last year  
and plan to do this year.

All are welcome to come and ask questions.

Check out our new website

[www.wemareclimateaction.org.uk](http://www.wemareclimateaction.org.uk)

email [waca@wemareclimateaction.org.uk](mailto:waca@wemareclimateaction.org.uk)

# STARS AND PLANETS

## Monday 25<sup>th</sup> - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May

Get ready for an out-of-this-world adventure during May  
Half Term!

Create your own constellations, make a personal tin can planetarium and learn how different cultures have seen the patterns in the stars. Discover the distance to the nearest stars related to your age. Walk the distance between the sun and the earth and learn how things weigh differently on each planet and more.

£5 per accompanied 4-11 year old

For more info, times and to  
book, head to our website



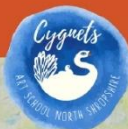
Shropshire Hills  
Discovery Centre

Open Daily, 10am-5pm

School Road, Craven Arms  
01588 676060

TERM TIME CLASSES

HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS



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# May Half Term Holiday Workshops

FOR AGES 5-12

## Colours of the Rainbow

The Wynnstay Hotel,  
43 Church Street, Oswestry SY11 2SZ

£25/Class / £45/Day / £135/Week

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Cygnets teaches traditional drawing, painting, and sculpture, combined with unique projects, experienced teachers & professional quality materials.

We run two holiday workshops per day, so students can attend individual classes, or bring a packed lunch and stay for both!



Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May

10.30 - 12PM Red 'The Elephants' with  
Fineliner & Watercolour

12.30 - 2PM Orange 'Still Life With  
Oranges' with Oil Pastels

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May

10.30 - 12PM Yellow 'The Kiss' with Inks

12.30 - 2PM Green 'Tiger in a Tropical  
Storm' with Colouring Pencils  
and Soft Pastels



Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May

10.30 - 12PM Blue 'Le Rêve de Chagall  
sur Vitebsk' with Gouache

12.30 - 2PM Purple 'Saint Tropez in the  
Pine Woods' with Acrylic

*Lots of different projects to choose from!*



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## Half Term Holiday Clubs 09:00 - 15:00

For children aged 5 to 11, our holiday clubs are open to all abilities with a focus on fun and sports! Groups of mixed age and ability.

### Shrewsbury

The Croud Meadow, SY2 6ST

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May

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**WREXHAM BRICK FESTIVAL**

**20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

WREXHAM UNIVERSITY SPORTS CENTRE

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**WREXHAM BRICK FESTIVAL**  
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## National Emergency Briefing

You are invited to a  
**FREE film screening**  
outlining the facts behind  
the Climate Emergency

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026**  
**Wem Town Hall**  
**6.30pm for 7pm film**

Presented by Chris Packham with a cast of  
leading scientists and experts.

There will be opportunity for discussion after the  
50-minute film if you wish to stay. **Event ends 9pm**

Recommended suitable for age 16+

Bar Refreshments available



[www.nebriefing.org/](http://www.nebriefing.org/)



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A screening of this briefing film is being planned for  
Clive Village Hall in the near future.

# Sustainable gardening event

- An informal open gardens afternoon
- Share tips and ideas
- Make a mini bug hotel
- Garden tools swap & plant sales
- Tea, coffee and cake available
- Free entry
- All welcome



Sunday  
14 June  
2-4pm

No. 11 Tilley Village  
& 40 Tilley Road



Details at  
[wemareclimateaction.org.uk](http://wemareclimateaction.org.uk)



# SHREWSBURY REPAIR CAFE

Your radio doesn't work?  
Your jumper has a hole in it?  
Your ornament is broken?

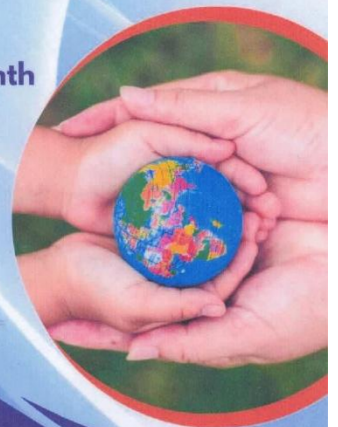


Bring it to the repair cafe  
Have it fixed & repaired  
Refreshments & cake

Shrewsbury United Reformed Church  
Coleham Head

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday every month  
10am till 2pm

[shrewsrepaircafe](https://www.facebook.com/shrewsrepaircafe)



Repairing the World  
One item at a Time



# COFFEE & CHAT Wem



3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month  
13.00-14.45



Wem Library, 3 High St, Wem, Shrewsbury SY4 5AA

You can get free information, advice and support on all aspects of family life, at our Early Help Family Drop-In. You can chat, have a coffee and see how we can help. We support families with children aged 0-19 years (up to 25 years for young people with special educational needs and disabilities) We aim to make it easier for you to ask for help and get support when you need it.

**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED**

**\*PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN SEALED CUP/TRAVEL MUG\***



[shropshire.gov.uk/early-help](http://shropshire.gov.uk/early-help)



Info, advice and support,  
for families in Shropshire

Find us on:



Sign up to receive alerts from your local policing teams [www.neighbourhoodmatters.co.uk](http://www.neighbourhoodmatters.co.uk)



## The SEND Local Offer



Lots of information and support for children and young people with SEND and their families, including:

- Education
- Health and wellbeing
- Family support
- Social care
- Preparing for adulthood
- Early help
- Things to do
- Education, health and care plan (EHCP)
- Travel and transport
- Financial support

[local.offer@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:local.offer@shropshire.gov.uk) 0345 678 9063  
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If you need help accessing the Local Offer please speak to your school or local library.

