

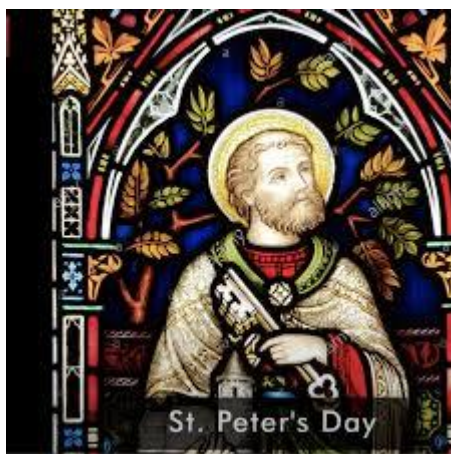


NEWSLETTER

Friday 28th June 2024

We have had another amazing week at St. Peter's Bratton with our Year 6s going off to the Think Tank, Bratton's Got Talent, practicing for Sports Day and our St. Peter's Day celebration.

St. Peter's Day



During our St. Peter's Day celebration it has been so lovely to TEAMs up with St Peter's Wem and Edgmond (over 1000 children and adults) for a joint service of Thanksgiving. Our Worship committee spoke so well and I had the privileged of reading a poem about what makes St' Peter's Bratton so amazing. More about this later

St. Peter's Bratton

In Saint Peter's Bratton's hallowed halls,
A haven of learning, where young hearts enthrall,
A community that shines, with love and with light,
Where pupils bloom, like flowers in the morning's first light.

Ready, Respectful, and Safe, they come to play,
Their minds aflame, with curiosity each day,

Engaged in learning, with passion and with glee,
Their laughter echoes, a symphony.

Talented souls, with gifts yet unknown,
Unfold like petals, as the days go on,
Their kindness spreads, like ripples on a stream,
As caring hearts, with love and compassion beam.

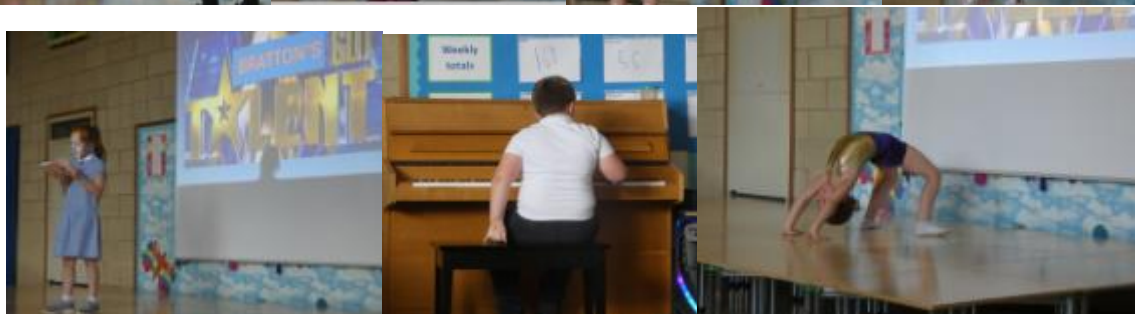
Amazing staff, with dedication true,
Stand watchful guardians, of all that's new,
Loving guides, who nurture and inspire,
As they shape young minds, with hearts that conspire.

With expertise and patience, they weave a tapestry so fine,
Of knowledge and wisdom, for young minds to align,
Their love and care, a constant in every test,
A haven of security, where pupils find their best.

In this warm embrace, where hearts are free to roam,
Saint Peter's Bratton's pupils find their home,
Where they grow and flourish, like trees in the sun's warm rays,
And send their roots deep, into a love that never fades away.

Oh Saint Peter's Bratton, you are a treasure rare,
A school that nurtures souls, with love beyond compare,
May your amazing pupils, forever shine so bright,
And your staff continue to guide them, through the darkness of night.

Bratton's Really Has Got Talent!





Last night we were all treated to some fabulous talent from our finalists across the school from Reception to Year 6. Every performer embodied our school value of excellence and the audience (who were exceptional) were spellbound by all the acts. The judges comments (Mrs Lewis, Mr Wilkes and Mrs Oakley) added to the evening. I have to say that the technical support has had their review and it is decided that they will not be having this role next year (I did mess up a few songs but the children were so patient). It was a fabulous opportunity for all and we are definitely going to be having this as an annual event. We have requested any feedback to support next year. Thank you to the School Council and Mrs Fletcher for the organisation.

R	Theodore H	Gymnastics
	Niraya	Dancing
1	Harriet	Dance and song
	Mia	Dance
	Paige	Song
	Grace	Gymnastics
2	Edie	Telling jokes
	Mariam & Alice	Singing a song
	Oscar	Play piano
3	Isla S	Singing
	Evie-Rae	Dance
	Samson & Jackson	Guitar
	Armaan, Ziggy and Vian	Football skills
4	Charlie	Ventriloquism
	Ashleigh	Piano
	Khateeb	Magic show
	Scarlett	Singing
5	Lexi	Monologue
	Tristan	Ukelele

	Phoebe	Singing
	Rahee & Izzy	Dance
6	Mash Up Makers (Annabelle J, Delia & Ellie)	Singing and dancing
	Lilly	Singing
	Hargun	Singing

Year group winners

Reception – Niraya, Year 1 Grace, Year 2 Edie, Year 3 Isla and Evie-Rae, Year 4 Ashleigh, Year 5 Lexi and Year 6 Lilly.

😊 Well done to Grace in Year 1 for winning the EYFS/KS1 prize for gymnastics and Lexi in Year 5 for your moving monologue.

Reports, Classes for Next Year and Transition

Your child's report can be accessed today on MCAS (My Child At School). You will also have the new class teacher emailed. Monday and Tuesday we will be carrying out our Transition Days. Monday they will spend an hour with their new teacher and Tuesday all morning. New members of teaching staff will be available on both these days. Any problems with any of this process, please contact the office staff.

We would also like to say good luck to our Year 6 pupils as most of them will be attending their new Secondary Schools. I know they will all be fabulous ambassadors for St. Peter's Bratton.

Scholarship – Telford Stage Schools



We have been very kindly offered two scholarships for children aged 7-11 to the Telford Stage School. This will include a year's free tuition (usually £10 per session). If you are interested in your child being considered, could you please contact the office by Friday 5th July. If there are multiple applicants, we will do a draw.

RSPCA Young Photographer Competition

RSPCA Young Photographer Awards

Serious about photography? If you're under 18, have an eye for a good shot and love taking pictures of animals, the RSPCA Young Photographer Awards is for you. The competition is open now and closes on Thursday, 15 August at noon.

[Enter now](#)



Is your child a keen photographer? The RSPCA young photographer of the year competition is now opened. For further information click on the link below

[RSPCA Young Photographer Awards - photo competition - Young Photographer Awards -
rspca.org.uk](https://rspca.org.uk/young-photographer-awards)

Sports Day



This Wednesday, we are praying for good weather for our Sports Day. You have received a letter with all the details and timings. Those wishing to join for the picnic lunch can enter through the back gate at 11:45am. If the weather is not on our side (and you have already taken the day off work) we will still do picnic lunch only indoors. Parents with multiple siblings can eat in the Hall. Hopefully we will not need to put this alternative plan in action and it will be a dry day.

Amazing Pupil Achievements



Well done to Kyrlo who was awarded an orange belt for karate. A fantastic achievement which displays many of our school values to get to such a high level.

As we approach our last weekend in June, I hope that you all have a super weekend. See you all next week.



"Have a wonderful weekend! Do
what makes you smile and be
happy!"



Mrs Welsh xx

Summer Term 2024

Habitats



Reception have been learning all about animal habitats. Children have learnt about what animals eat, their shelter and where they bring their young up.

We have looked at animals from different climates from the desert to antarctica, to woodlands and the ocean.



The Life Cycle of a Frog

RO1 and RO2 have been learning all about the life cycle of frogs. They have looked at the dramatic changes of frogspawn with their jelly to grown adult frogs that live in water and on land.

"When tadpoles hatch they eat their jelly." - Grace

"Tadpoles back legs grow first." - Amber

"Froglets still have their tails and stay in the water." - Ezra

"Adult frogs live on land and in water." - Reggie

"Frogs are amphibians." - Ava



Children created their own ponds with frogspawn and tadpoles using a mix of media including straws to blow and mix the paint to get a watery effect.

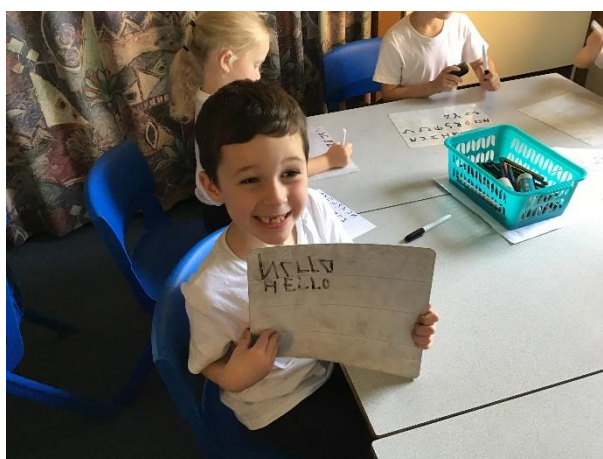


Year 1



We have been exploring different types of feathers and drawing our own. We used our sketching pencils to draw them and then we added oil pastels to create detail. Year 1 thoroughly enjoyed creating their own feathers. We are really excited to finish our unit and create a free-standing bird. Well done Year 1 you tried really hard.

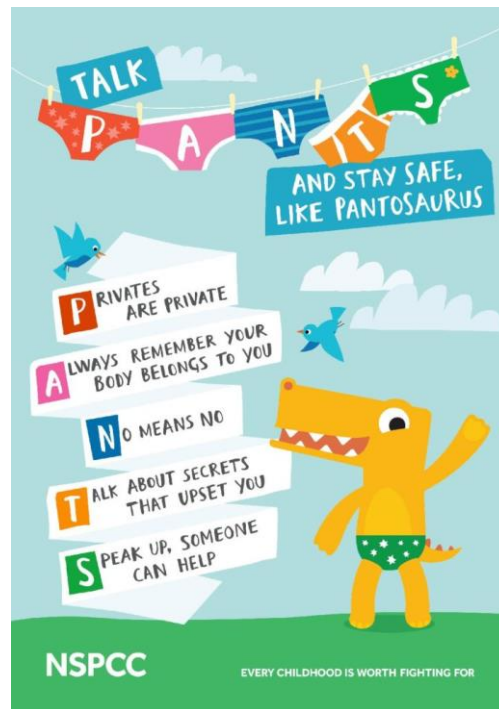
History



In History we have been learning about the importance of a shared alphabet for communication. We used a made-up alphabet to send messages. We enjoyed writing our own messages using the alphabet.

Safeguarding Squad news

Last week, Mrs Crooke organised for our KS2 Safeguarding Squad to visit children in Reception and KS1 to deliver the NSPCC's PANTS campaign. The children delivered the message in a clear and age-appropriate manner and were on hand to help answer questions and stress the importance of seeking help from adults they trust. If you are not familiar with the campaign or you would like more support in having conversations with your child about keeping them safe, please look at the parent/carer guide at [Let's talk PANTS with Pantosaurus! | NSPCC](#)



The children in the squad, also spoke clearly and concisely about their role in delivering safety messages throughout school to our visitors this week. As a group, the children have discussions about bullying, online safety, risks, age restrictions and many other topics and work together to create informative ways of helping to spread these messages to the children in our school. Our next project involves coming together as a group to prepare a KS2 assembly on asking permission and identifying the risks of sharing information without consent.

Wraparound!

The children enjoyed watching the England game last week!





To celebrate the release of Inside Out 2, which the children were very excited to see at the cinema, we did some inside out themed crafts! And we have also added the new characters to our emotions display.

Summer Holidays 😊

Just a reminder that Summer Holiday Club is still available to book for, we are open the w/c of July 22nd, July 29th, August 5th, and August 12th. We are not open the last two weeks of August, and back open for the first day back of term Tuesday 3rd September.

Please ensure you have paid for holiday club prior to Summer Holidays starting and your child attending.

House points

This week	Caer Caradoc 54	Haughmond 40	Stiperstones 56	Wrekin 169
So far this term...	1181	921	1134	1252

Weekly winners Wrekin!

Well done, Wrekin!

Termly leaders Wrekin!

Well done, Wrekin!

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Date	Event
Friday 24 th May	PD Day – Holiday Club Open
Friday 24 th May	Summer holiday club bookings open at 6pm
Friday 24 th May	Wraparound bookings open for remainder of the Summer term
Monday 1 st & Tuesday 2 nd July	Reception 2024 Induction Days
Monday 1 st & Tuesday 2 nd July	Uniform and Cake Sale – Friends Event
Wednesday 3 rd July	Sports Day - KS2 morning, KS1 afternoon
Friday 5 th July	Reception visit to Home Farm Attingham
Wednesday 10 th July	Y6 Crucial Crew
Friday 12 th July	Summer holiday club bookings close 6pm
Friday 12 th July	Summer Fayre – Friends Event
Tuesday 16 th July	Y6 Leavers Service High Ercall Church
Thursday 18 th July	Year 6 Leavers Day – Friends Event
Monday 22 nd July	PD Day
Tuesday 23 rd July	Summer holidays
Monday 2 nd September	PD Day
Tuesday 3 rd September	Autumn Term begins