



ST MARTINS SCHOOL

18 July 2022

It's been a very busy week in school. It was lovely to see so many family and friends at the summer showcase last night to celebrate the talent of all our students. It takes confidence and self belief to be able to perform to a large audience so well done to everyone.

Well done to all the students who took part in the recent Commonwealth Celebration event in Shrewsbury Sports village. The effort put in by all students was fantastic and they were great ambassadors for the school. The coaching sessions were led by top coaches and some international athletes. They participated in rugby, boxing, squash and basketball. They also designed flag for the commonwealth games and completed a quiz- it was nice to have some rest from the sun!

Year 7— Radoslava, Demi, Tegan, Justin, McKenzie, Owynn

Year 8— Annabelle, Faye, Mollie, Michael, Tom

Year 9 - Ffion, Wiktor, Toby, James

Year 6 have celebrated their end of year by organising a variety of stalls—did Mr



Edwards manage to correctly guess the number of sweets in the jar?

All of the primary students took part in

a Jubilee Street Party where parents, carers, family and friends joined us at the end of the day as we shared our Jubilee songs and had a hat parade.

Have a fantastic summer and we'll see primary and years 7 and 11 on WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER and year 8-10 on THURSDAY 8 SEPTEMBER

Ms Lovecy



Please check your child's lunch credit on Parent Pay to ensure there is enough credit for lunches.



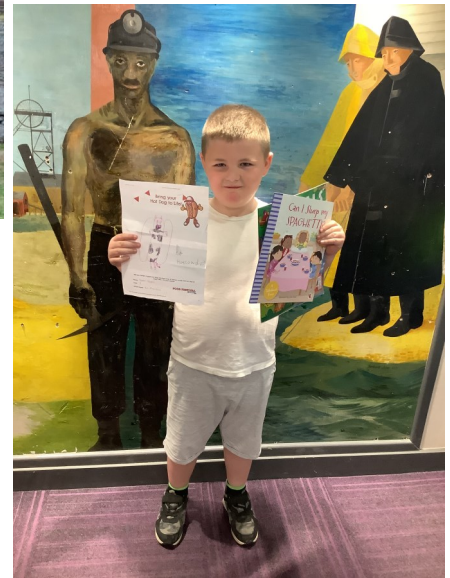
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Year 11 had a fabulous Prom at Sweeney Hall.

Prom King and Queen Tia Bennet and Charlie Lear wore sashes and rosettes from The Sash Emporium who specialise in personalised sashes.



Isaac Owen year 1 has won the Hot dog challenge competition—well done Isaac for your Hot Cow Dog drawing!



It's not just us enjoying this lovely weather—Year 1 have been observing caterpillars transforming into butterflies in the classroom over the last few weeks. We released them last week and they flew into Forest School.

Dates for the diary

GCSE exam results day—THURSDAY 25 AUGUST

FIRST DAY OF TERM for PRIMARY AND YEAR 7 and 11 ONLY—WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER

FIRST DAY OF TERM FOR YEAR 8, 9 and 10—THURSDAY 8 SEPTEMBER

HPV vaccinations for year 8 & 9 will take place on Monday 12th September. We already have year 9 forms as it's the 2nd dose. Year 8 forms have been emailed out

PRIMARY PHOTOS—TEMPEST - September 19th

YEAR 7&8 September 16th



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What a fantastic sports day this year! Everyone put in maximum effort during the day—who will win the house trophy this year? Well done Rhyn House , the house trophy was awarded at the house assemblies

REMINDER ABOUT THE MODIFIED TIMES OF THE DAY FROM SEPTEMBER

- Primary gate will open at **8.50am**, Primary Registration will take place at **8.55am**
- Primary students will finish at **3.25pm**. Primary parents should not arrive in the car park until the secondary buses have left at 3.20pm
- Secondary day will finish at 3.10pm. Secondary parents should pick up and depart the car park promptly; we hope that this will also ease congestion. If you have any queries or questions please contact school in the usual way.



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The long summer holidays can be a difficult and sometimes risky time for young people. Shropshire Council have services that parents and carers can contact for advice and support—[please use this link to see the information on our website](#)

A reminder that there are HAF activities taking place—details have been sent to parents and carers who may be eligible—[again use this link to view on our website](#)



GADGETEERS

Join the Summer Reading Challenge for free at your local library this summer

Reach your reading challenge goal and receive your certificate and medal



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Breakfast & Afterschool club bookings need to be made for September by emailing after-schoolclub@smartins3-16.org

Event Dates: Tuesday 26th July and August 2nd, 16th, 30th

Event Time: 10.30am - 12pm

Event Address: Dogs Trust Shrewsbury, Roden Lane Farm, Telford TF6 6BP



**Summer fun
for kids
with
Dogs Trust!**



Join our Education & Community Officer for a **FREE**, fun family workshop to learn all about safe behaviour around dogs and being responsible around our four-pawed friends!

Children aged 7 and above and their grown up welcome!

Places must be booked in advance.

To book or ask any questions please contact alison.donald@dogstrust.org.uk

Children remain the responsibility of the accompanying adult and must be supervised.
No real dogs will be in attendance at this event.



learnwithdogstrust.org.uk

Registered Charity Numbers: 227523 & SC03784

Early Help Family Drop-in

Free information, advice and support

Come along to:

The Centre, Oak Street, Oswestry, SY11 1LW

Every Monday

9:30am—12:30pm

Starting Monday 4th July

You can meet:

Early Help Family Workers

Beam

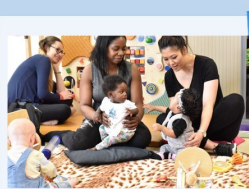
Food Bank

Housing Support Officer

Parenting Support

Family Information Service

and others



Supporting 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.



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Congratulations to all our Oscar winners , who were presented with their certificates and 'Oscars' yesterday - Persie Lewis, Josie Smout, Finley Edwards, Lochlan Williams, Darcy Stennings, Athena Bains, Shannon O'Meara, Riley Hope, Finley Durham, Junior Pullen, Keira Tooke, Cooper Worrall, Kain Fox, Sebastian Richardson, Charlie Owen-Lloyd Jones, Martha Green, Katie Lewis , Ben Newman, Radoslava Naydenova, Lizzie Birkin, Megan Hall, Olivia Nunnerley, Kaitlyn-Marie Jones, Tegan Evans, Dasiy Fox, Molly Roberts, Jacob Warne, Jack Bamford-Griffiths, Annabelle Smith, Callum Price, Louis Vagg, Charleigh Rae Cook, Ollie Thompson, Ffion Adamson, James Hebson, George Owen, Charlie Mannion, Royden Parry – Chard, Ethan Thompstone, Toby Jones, Maddie Jones, Kizzy Daly, Josh Greene, Cameron Warne, Jake Swart, Amy Elliot, Cameron Warne, Owen Davies, Daniel Evans, Ryan Griffiths, Katie Rogers, Elisha Williams, Holly Stant, Tayla Culliss, Amy Elliot, Anna Poulter, Ella Moss,



Year 2 visited Ifton Meadows today as we have been learning about local history. The pupils have looked at the history of St Martins, specifically Ifton Meadows and compared it to when it was Ifton Colliery. We had a great day exploring the meadows and even got to stroke a few of the local dogs!