

Nurture today—Flourish tomorrow

	GOOD WORK	GOOD BEHAVIOUR
Rec		
Year 1		
Year 2		
Year 3		
Year 4		
Year 5		
Year 6		

W/C 12.05.25 WEEKLY			
ATTENDANCE %			
Rec		SERIOUS	
Year 1		WELL DONE	
Year 2		PERFECT!	
Year 3		WORRYING	
Year 4		WELL DONE	
Year 5		WELL DONE	
Year 6		WORRYING	

#### VE DAY CELEBRATIONS IN SCHOOL

Yesterday (Thursday) we marked the 80th anniversary of VE day. This very special day was celebrated with VE day cupcakes at lunch time and bunting was displayed across the school hall. Music and film archives were played throughout the day.

Please see our Facebook page for pictures.



WELL DONE YEAR 6

A huf ge WELL DONE to our Year 6 children who have sat thei SAT's this week.

CHILD PROTECTION CONTACT NUMBERS		
STAFFORDSHIRE CHILDRENS ADVICE & SUPPORT SERVICE (SCASS): 0300 111 8007	SAFEGUARDING: 01785 895836	
CHILD LINE: 0800 1111	NSPCC HELP LINE: 0800 800 5000	
Everyone has a duty to keep our children safe		



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#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

19th May	Y2 Swimming
21st May	Reception, Y1 & Y2 Music Concert (further info to follow)
22nd May	Reception, Y1 & Y2 Music Concert (further info to follow)
23rd May	Reception Forest School
23rd May	School closes at normal time for Half Term
2nd June	Pupils return to school
3rd June	Fathers Day Gift Shop (further info to follow)
6th June	Reception Forest School
9th June	Y1 Phonics Screening throughout the week
16th June	Y1 & Y3 Inspire Workshop (further info to follow)
17th June	Y2 & Y4 Inspire Workshop (further info to follow)
18th June	Y5 & Y6 Inspire Workshop (further info to follow)
19th June	Reception Inspire Workshop (further info to follow)
20th June	Y3 & Y4 Forest School
23rd June	Olympic Athlete in school (further info to follow)
26th June	Y3 & Y4 Poetry Recital
27th June	Y1 & Y2 Forest School
27th June	Odd Socks & Messy Hair Day (further info to follow)

### COMING SOON:

We will be opening of our new Nursery Class for 3 to 4 year olds in September 2025.

If you are interested in reserving a place for your child please register your interest with our school office.

Further details will be issued over the next few months.



### PARENT PAY

School meals need to be ordered on Parent Pay by midnight of each Wednesday for the next weeks lunches.

Additional orders or changes to orders cannot be made after this date.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

ParentPay

The school office is open Monday to Friday from 8.30am to 3.30pm (excluding public and school holidays). Please email office@longwood.staffs.sch.uk or call 01827 213970.





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### JOHN HILL—VOLUNTEER READER IN SCHOOL

Congratulations to one of our volunteer readers in school, John Hill, who has just been made Mayor of Fazeley Town Council.

"I can't begin to convey what a joy and a privilege it is for me to come to the school each Tuesday to help and encourage the children with their reading... It's great to witness their progress each week... Some truly blow my mind with their reading ability... Such confidence, fluency, clarity and expressiveness...



Becoming Mayor won't alter my dedication and commitment to the school and the children" Cllr John Hill

#### THINGS TO DO IN TAMWORTH THIS HALF TERM



Don't forget these local attractions: Tamworth Castle Grounds Play Park Ankerside Shopping Centre Ventura Retail Park Drayton Manor Statfold Country Park Polesworth Donkey Sanctuary Pooley Country park Ash End Farm Namco Funscape Jump Xtreme Tamworth Middleton Hall and Gardens Daytona Elford House and Gardens Kingsbury Water Park Manor Fruit Farms Twycross Zoo Planters Tamworth Coffee & Crepes Wilnecote Twycross Zoo Gospall Hall Farm Pub (new children's play area) Strawberry Cabin Dreamy Cow Dessert Parlour (near Twycross Zoo with children's outdoor play area) Wiggington Park Dosthill Park Snowdome Mile Oak Garden Centre



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#### THINGS TO DO IN TAMWORTH THIS HALF TERM

Tamworth Castle – Time Travellers' Challenge - 24 May to 1 June Head to Tamworth Castle this half-term and enjoy their Time Travellers challenge which is included in the admission price. Help! An inexperience/ mischievous time traveller has recently visited the Castle and has created a series of historical blunders within the castle. We need to rectify these historical inaccuracies before they permanently threaten the space-time continuum and create an irrevocable time shift paradox! Come and help us in our time of need, see if you can find the historical errors and receive a small prize for your efforts.



#### Bert & Gert's Craft Market – Ankerside Shopping Centre – 24 May

Come and discover artisan products you will not find anywhere else when you take a stroll around the Bert & Gert's Arts, Craft & Small Business Market. Open 10am – 4pm



Barker's Fun Fair will be back in the castle grounds during half term – rides open at 1pm daily.

#### Dine 'n' Devour Food Festival - Tamworth Castle Grounds - FREE ENTRY - 31 May & 1 June 2025

Join us for a fantastic weekend and indulge in a mouthwatering selection of international street food from around the world and explore a variety of Artisan Traders showcasing unique creations. It's the perfect day out for the whole family and a fantastic opportunity to catch up with friends. With a vibrant atmosphere and delightful food you're in for a treat!

