



Tividale Hall Primary School Newsletter

Friday 7th November 2025



A message from Mrs Pugliese

Good afternoon,

Reception Phonics and Reading Workshop

Thank you to those parents and carers who were able to join us for the Reception Phonics and Reading Workshop on Thursday. It was fantastic to see so many of you there. I hope you found this session informative and that you were able to find out more about our whole school approach to teaching phonics. If you were unable to attend, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher. We will also upload the PowerPoint from the session, on the school website.

Nursery Reading Workshop

On Tuesday 18th November, we are inviting parents of our Nursery children into school to take part in a 'stay and play' session focussed around early reading. These will take place at 11am and 2pm. We hope you can join us for this.

Y1, Y2, Y3 Christmas Performance – Change of Time

We would like to inform you of a slight change of time to the afternoon showings of the Y1, Y2 and Y3 Christmas Performance. These performances will now take place on Monday 8th December at 9.30am and 2pm, and Wednesday 10th December at 9.30am and 2pm. Thank you for your understanding. You will receive information about how to book tickets for all of our Christmas Performances, later in the half term.

School Dinners

Please ensure that you book your child a school dinner via the School Gateway, before 8am on that day. If you require any additional support with this, please contact a member of the school office who will be more than happy to help.

Anti-Bullying Week and Odd Socks Day

Monday 10th November will be the first day of Anti-Bullying Week. On this day, children are invited to wear their school uniform along with a pair of odd socks. The purpose of this day is to recognise the importance of celebrating individuality, embracing difference and starting conversations about bullying. Children will continue to carry out work on anti-bullying, throughout the week. We are not requesting any donations, on this day.

Remembrance Day

On Tuesday 11th November, children who attend Brownies, Rainbows, Cubs and Beavers, are welcome to wear their uniforms to school. To mark the occasion, there will be a Remembrance Day Assembly for Year 6 parents at 9.15am, and as a whole school we will be holding a two minute silence at 11am.

Children in Need

This year, our school is excited to support Children in Need 2025. This is a wonderful event that helps raise money for children and families across the UK. On Friday 14th November, all children are welcome to wear spots, or their own clothes, to show their support for this fantastic cause. Donations can be made via the School Gateway from next week.

Christmas Fair Donations

In preparation for our Christmas Fair, we will be holding a non-school uniform day on Friday 21st November.

We would also be grateful for donations of the following:

Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – Cups

Year 3 -Year 6 – Sweets

Thank you for your continued support.

Spotlight on Writing

To promote a love of writing, we will be celebrating and sharing a range of writing from across the school. This week, the spotlight is on Year 1! Please scroll down to see some examples of the fantastic writing that some of our children have produced over the past few weeks.

Have a restful weekend and we look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Kind Regards

Mrs G. Pugliese
Head Teacher

GOLD AWARDS



Class	Gold award
Reception	Eva
Dragonflies	Heather
Grasshoppers	Dawson
Hedgehogs	Lucas
Squirrels	Rayan
Badgers	Archie
Foxes	Ava-Rose
Woodpeckers	Madisyn
Kingfishers	Aahil
Eagles	Mannat
Hawks	Thomas
Jaguars	Tia-Rose
Panthers	Omar



Lunch Time Awards

Reception	Grayson
Dragonflies	Luka-Jon
Grasshoppers	Aurora
Hedgehogs	Joshua W
Squirrels	Isabella-May
Badgers	Reggie
Foxes	Taio
Woodpeckers	Frances
Kingfishers	Tyler
Eagles	Cayden
Hawks	Daria
Jaguars	Scarlett
Panthers	Aurora

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Hedgehogs 2,032	Badgers 2,994	Woodpeckers 2,277	Hawks 1,413	Panthers 447
Squirrels 1,470	Foxes 2,369	Kingfishers 724	Eagles 742	Jaguars 258
Y2 Rock Star Sienna K	Y3 Rock star Laiba	Y4 Rock Star Haroon	Y5 Rock star Abdullah	Y6 Rock star Noah M

Overall winning class		This week's highest scoring rock star	
Badgers		Laiba	
1 st place	2 nd place	3 rd place	4 th place
Tamworth – 3,660	Ludlow – 3,534	Dudley – 2,571	Warwick – 1,898
Tamworth rock star Laiba	Ludlow rock star Sienna	Dudley rock star Teerath	Warwick rock star Jack E

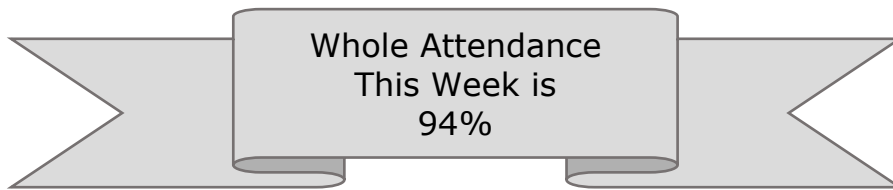
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Winning House: Warwick With: 7251

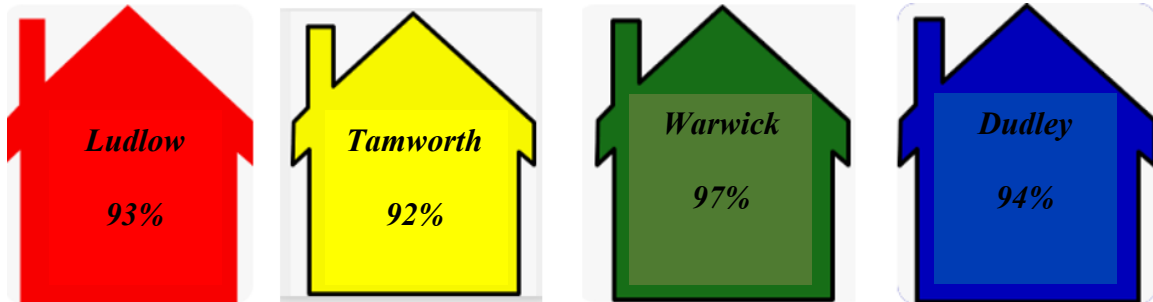
Winning Class: Squirrels With: 3221



ATTENDANCE



House Attendance



The house with the best attendance is Warwick with 97%. They will get 10 extra house points.

Class Attendance League Table

Class	Attendance this week
Reception	98%
Dragonflies	98%
Grasshoppers	91%
Hedgehogs	96%
Squirrels	94%
Badgers	98%
Foxes	86%
Kingfishers	94%
Woodpeckers	94%
Eagles	92%
Hawks	99%
Jaguars	96%
Panthers	90%

The class with the best attendance is Hawks with 99%. They will get to keep Kevin the Carrot next week and have 10 minutes extra play time.





Diary Dates



Autumn Term- first half (Monday 1st September- Friday 24th October inclusive)

Monday 1st September	Term starts – Children Return to School
Monday 1 st /Tuesday 2 nd Sep	Reception 2025 Induction Days
Monday 1 st -Weds 3 rd Sep	Nursery 2025 Home Visits
Wednesday 10 th September	Eagles start swimming – last session 12 th Nov
Friday 12 th September	Y5 Friendship Workshop for children
Thursday 18 th September	Y6 to Y7 Transition Application Meeting - 9.00am
Friday 26 th September	Macmillan Coffee Morning 9:00am–10:00am
Monday 29 th September	Launch Black History Month
Thursday 2 nd October	National Poetry Day
Friday 3 rd October	Y2 Harvest Assembly for Parents – 9.15am
Friday 10 th October	World Mental Health Day – wear something green
Tuesday 14 th October	Individual and Sibling Photographs start at 8.30am
Tuesday 14 th October	Year 2 Reading Workshop for parents 9:15am Year 1 Reading workshop for parents 2:15pm
Wednesday 15 th October	Year 3 Reading Workshop for parents 9:15am Year 4 Reading workshop for parents 2:15pm
Thursday 16 th October	Year 5 Reading Workshop for parents 9:15am Year 6 Reading workshop for parents 2:15pm
Thursday 16 th October	Flu Vaccinations 9:00am -12:30pm
Tuesday 21 st October	Y3 Diwali Assembly for Parents – 9.15am
Thursday 23 rd October	Parents' Evening 3.45pm – 6:00pm
Friday 24th October	Break up for Half Term

Autumn Term- second half (Monday 3rd November – Friday 19th December inclusive)

Monday 3rd November	Children Return to School
Thursday 6 th November	Reception Phonics/Reading Workshop for parents 9:15am
Monday 10 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Monday 10 th November	Odd-Socks Day as part of Anti-Bullying Week
Tuesday 11 th November	Y6 Remembrance Assembly for Parents – 9.15am
Thursday 13 th November	Reception intake 2026 look around - 9.15am
Friday 14 th November	Children in Need – The Great SPOTacular



Tuesday 18 th November	Nursery Reading Workshop for parents 11am&2pm
Wednesday 19 th November	Hawks swimming until 28 th Jan (not on 17/12/25)
Thursday 20 th November	Flu Vaccinations for pupils who were absent
Thursday 20 th November	Reception intake 2026 look around - 9.15am
Thursday 4 th December	Christmas Fair 3.45pm – 5.30pm
Monday 8 th December	Christmas Performances Y1, Y2 and Y3 - 9.30am and 2.30pm
Wednesday 10 th December	Christmas Performances Y1, Y2 and Y3 - 9.30am and 2.30pm
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Dinner Day
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 16 th /Wednesday 17 th December	Y4 and Y5 Christmas Production – 9.30am and 2:00pm
Wednesday 17 th December	Nursery Christmas Performances – 11:00am and 2.30pm
Thursday 18 th December	Reception Nativity – 9.30am
Friday 19 th December	Class Parties and Santa Visits
Friday 19th December	Last Day of Term

Spotlight on ... Year 1



Retell
It was Boa's birthday and
he invited his friends. First
it was orangutan
he got him a plane
but Boa was sad
because he has no fingers.
Next it was monkey
he got him some cool sun
glasses but Boa was
unhappy because he has
no ears and nose.
Then it was jaguar
he got him some warm
mittens but he was
upset because he has
no hands. After that
it was sloth got
him a hair brush but
Boa was miserable
because he has no
hair.

Next it was antifer
got him a sub but
Boa was angry because
he has no feet.
Finally it was dung
beetle got him a big
pigeon as dung but
it groo and groo
and groo into a
dugout tree. Thank you.

Bella



Boa's BAD
BIRTHDAY
Jeannette Willis
Tony Rice

Luka

Retell
It was Boa's birthday
and he invited
his friends. First it was
orangutan. He got him
a plane but sad because
he has no fingers. Next monkey
got him some cool
sun glasses but he was
upset because he has
no ears or nose. Then it was
jaguar. He got him some
mittens but he was
miserable because he has
no hands.

Retell

It was Boaz's birthday
and he invited all of his friends.
First it was a orangutan

and he brought him a huge piano.
But Boaz was sad because he had no feet.
Next it was monkey and he

brought him some cool sunglasses.

But Boaz was unhappy
because he has no ears and
no nose.

Then Jaguar brought him some
mittens but Boaz was upset.

After that it was sloth
and he brought him a
hair brush.

But Boaz was miserable
because he has no hair.

Next it was antelope and

he him some gold footballs.

But Boaz was annoyed

because he has no

feet. This is the worst

birthday. Finally the dog

came he brought a paper of
dog food and Boaz was so happy.

Lynden

Retell

It was Boaz's birth day
he invited all of his
friends. First

a orangutan came first
and he got him a
huge piano.

Next Monkey brought him a
black sun glasses.

but Boaz was un happy
because he had
no ears or nose.

Then Jaguar brought soft
mittens.

After that a sloth
brought him a hair brush.
But Boaz was upset because
he had no hair.

after that and he had a
foot ball Boaz was annoyed.

Finally the dog

From the dog's doghouse
and it growled and growled
in a loveless way
and he loved it.

Alex

Lottie

Revel

It was Daddy's birthday. He sent out lots of the things to get presents. First came a card. Then he gave Bob a big piece of cake. He was sad because he had no money. Next came money. He gave Bob some money but Bob was upset because he had no more money. Then came a pig. He gave Bob a pig but Bob was disappointed because he had no money. After that came a cloth. He gave Bob a cloth but Bob was sad because he had no money. Next came a book. He gave Bob a book but Bob was sad because he had no money. Finally came a bottle. He gave Bob a bottle but Bob was sad because he had no money. He said thank you!

Revel

It was Bob's birthday. He sent out lots of the things to get presents. First came a card. Then he gave Bob a big piece of cake. He was sad because he had no money. Next came money. He gave Bob some money but Bob was upset because he had no more money. Then came a pig. He gave Bob a pig but Bob was disappointed because he had no money. After that came a cloth. He gave Bob a cloth but Bob was sad because he had no money. Next came a book. He gave Bob a book but Bob was sad because he had no money. Finally came a bottle. He gave Bob a bottle but Bob was sad because he had no money. He said thank you!

Kyrell

Dilreet

Retell

It was Bous Bengtary. He sent
 instructions to his friends and he
 went for gifts. First a mangling
 he brought Bous Pyana. He was
 disappointed because he had no
 singer. Next a muncie came.
 Then he brought a sunglasses.
 then a wageewer brought Bous
 mites because he was
 upset. Next came a slop.
 Then Slop brought Bous a
 red hair brush. Next came
 a wheeter. He brought Bous a
 suthral but he was misbrut.
 Next came a suthral.
 He brought Bous a Bous of
 Poo. There was a seed in
 Sid. The hair was dit
 groo and groo and groo, and
 he said thank you.

Retell

It was Bous Bengtary.
 He sent instructions to his friends.
 First a mangling brought a mite
 but he was sad because
 he had no fingers.
 Now Mukke brought sun glass
 but Bous was unhappy
 because no noas. Then
 Jagee Ya brought Bous a mite
 slop brought a red brush.
 Bous didn't had no net.
 a teeta brought a suthral.

Haroon

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