



Oakmeadow

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Friday 6th June 2025

Dear families,

This week has been a lovely week at school with Year 3 pupils visiting St Alkmunds Church in Whitchurch for an event called Open Doors, Open Hearts. Year 6 also enjoyed a Victorian workshop yesterday which gave them an insight into school life during the Victorian era!

Today, our Year 4, 5 and 6 parents will have received a link to a Mobile Phones in School survey. The Marches Trust are seeking parent and carer thoughts on mobile phones being brought into and used in school. This is being sent out currently to our parents who have children of an age who might bring these in with them, either now or in the near future, and to secondary pupils' families. This topic is an important conversation happening across the country and your perspective will help shape how the Trust approach this across our schools so please make time to respond if you can! If you are a parent of a pupil in another year group and you have a strong view on this topic, please feel free to email admin and these can be passed to me for a wider view of how our families feel on this issue. Currently at Oakmeadow some of our older pupils bring a phone with them to school, but these must be handed in to the teacher on arrival. We have a safe in each classroom in which they are stored until home time and they are not allowed to be used during the school day.

In a meeting with the PTA this week we have been discussing our Summer Fair which we are very much looking forward to on Saturday 5th July! There are going to be a wide variety of stalls, games, entertainment, food and drink so it will be well worth a visit! The PTA would welcome donations for the Tombola so if you have anything you would like to donate, please bring this in to main reception and we can pass this on.

I hope you all enjoy your weekend!

Samantha Hill
Headteacher



June 2025

Tuesday 10th June	Shropshire Sings Concert
Friday 13th June	Y6 going to Crucial Crew
Monday 16th June	Y6 Bikeability
Monday 23rd June	Heads Tea
Tuesday 24th June	Nursery and Reception sports day 9.30am-10.30am
Wednesday 25th June	KS1 sports day 9.30-11.30am
Thursday 26th June	Year 3&4 sports day 9.30-11.30am
Thursday 26th June	Year 5&6 sports day 12.30-2.30pm

July 2025

Saturday 5th July	Summer Fair
Tuesday 8th July	Open Evening for Parents/Carers following School reports
Wednesday 9th July	Year 6 Leavers Performance 2pm
Thursday 10th July	Year 2 trip to the Exotic Zoo
Monday 14th July	New Reception induction day 1
Tuesday 15th July	New Reception induction day 1
Tuesday 15th July	Year 6 Presentation and Party 5-7pm
Thursday 17th July	New Reception induction day 2
Friday 18th July	New Reception induction day 2
Monday 21st-Wednesday 23rd July	Move up
Tuesday 22nd July	Y6 Leavers activity afternoon
Thursday 24th July	End of term picnic



Protect our children!

Parents and guardians: Our kids are now most commonly abused online, via their mobile phones and games consoles. Do you know how to keep your kids safe?

Learn more about the dangers of kids being online and how you can keep them safe. Join our free one hour online parent awareness session to give yourself a head start in an ever changing digital world.

Scan the QR code to find out more about our awareness training and to sign up to one of our free sessions or go to www.westmercia.police.uk/exploitworkshops



REMINDERS & NOTICES:

- School lunch menu:**

This week we will be on **Week 3** of the new Spring/Summer 2025 menu.

- Year 1 donations:**

Year 1 are kindly asking for donations of the below:

- Toys e.g. cars, animals, small world, construction, musical instruments, puzzles, board games etc
- 'Seaside equipment' e.g. Beach balls, buckets and spades/ other sand equipment etc.

Please bring any donations to main reception.

- Changes to home time arrangements:**

Just a reminder please can any changes to home time arrangements be in writing via email to admin@oak.mmat.co.uk 48 hours beforehand.

PROCEEDS TO SATH CHARITY

JOIN US FOR A MAGICAL FAIRY & PIXIE FEST

£5 PREBOOKED £7 ON DAY

DRESS UP AS A FAIRY OR PIXIE & BRING A BLANKET FOR A PICNIC

POST A LETTER TO THE FAIRIES

MAKE FAIRY POTIONS

FOLLOW THE TRAIL IN THE ENCHANTED WOOD TO FIND THE HIDDEN FAIRY & PIXIE DOORS

ENJOY FAIRY CAKES & OTHER TREATS

DECORATE A WAND & OTHER FAIRY CRAFTS

FAIRY FACE GEMS, GLITTER & TATTOOS

BAYSTON HILL SENSORY GARDENS

SAT 28 JUNE

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11AM TO 3PM (LAST ENTRY FOR TRAIL 2.30)

