

## Newtown Church of England Primary School



**Growing together  
in strength, love and wisdom,  
we shine.**

**Newsletter  
Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

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### Message from the Head

It has been another sunny and successful week at school in which we celebrated VE Day on Thursday. With a bit of bunting and a row of tables, we were able to come together as a school family to have a celebratory lunch and commemorate the events of 80 years ago.

We also spent some time with Rev Clayton over at the church war memorial where we had some time to learn about and reflect on the sacrifices of those who enabled us to have the lives and enjoyment we enjoy today.

### SATs Week

Next week is SATs Week for our Year 6 children. During the week, our Year 6 children will be completing their statutory assessments in line with all other children of the same age across the country.

These assessments will take place in the morning, so please ensure all children are at school on time to minimise disruption.

Miss Morris will be running a special SATs Breakfast for our Year 6 children which will be more fun than it sounds!

At the end of the week we will celebrate the achievements of our Year 6 children, which this year is also marked with...

### Newtown Colour Run 2025

Following the success of last year's Colour Run, it is back by popular demand – including the Headteacher Gunge Raffle which has once again squeezed into the schedule! Tickets will be £1.50 for the chance to gunge!

This is a really fun event and we encourage you to attend after school next Friday. All details, including how to buy tickets, can be found below.

**Newtown's Colour Run**  
**16<sup>th</sup> May 2025, 3.30pm**  
**All Welcome**

**Newtown, Wem, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY4 5NU**  
Newtown's colour run is back again but this year is going bigger and better.

2 course's, a smaller course or for those feeling energetic a 5k course.

Tickets £5 an adult, £2.50 a child or £10 for a family (2 adults, 3 children)

All proceeds will be split between the School and the Newtown Community Recreation Association

Tickets via Paypal:  
foncommittee@outlook.com, card/cash via school or following <https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QOLB6700> for further information please email [foncommittee@outlook.com](mailto:foncommittee@outlook.com)

You can book tickets here:

<https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QOLB6700>



Please note that if you do use the above link to buy tickets, could you message or email Hayley Wilson [foncommittee@outlook.com](mailto:foncommittee@outlook.com) as the payment link isn't currently showing names. Thank you.

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### Spreading The Word & Social Media

We have got so much to shout about at Newtown and to ensure that both current and prospective parents know about it, we are making an increasing effort to be active on social media most notably on Facebook and Instagram.

If you have accounts, please do give us a follow and share content for everyone to see to ensure that everything we are currently offer can be sustained and improved still further. As funding is linked to the number of children on roll, it is important that the number of families choosing Newtown is high, so we need spread the word!



Facebook: Newtown CE Primary School  
Instagram: newtown.primary.school.wem

### Gardening Club Thanks

Mrs Reece has been working tirelessly to get her Gardening Club up and running and has done so with the support of the local community. Following social media requests, Mrs Reece has collected numerous items donated free of charge from local residents of Northwood and Bettisfield and this week received a free delivery from Northwood Nurseries.

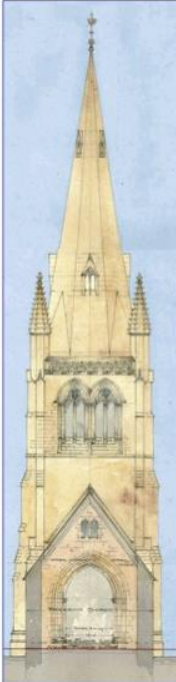
It has been brilliant to feel so supported by the local community and a huge thank you to Mrs Reece for coordinating and running such a great club. Which is now full!



### NCRA Lottery

The NCRA 100 Club have completed their April draw. The winning numbers are 22 and 30.

Thank you to those parents who have joined the 100 club to help keep the play park open. The numbers have increased significantly and if we manage to reach ticket sales of 50 or more, the monthly prize pit will increase! Get buying!



## CONCERT

in aid of  
Cancer Research UK  
and Clive Church



Given by young musicians from  
Ellesmere College

**THURSDAY, 5 JUNE**  
**7 PM**  
**ALL SAINTS' CHURCH**  
**CLIVE**

£12.50, age 18 and under free

Booking:  
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[cliveconcert@gmail.com](mailto:cliveconcert@gmail.com)  
07386 893123

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## SUMMER OF TENNIS

**TENNIS & ACTIVITY CAMP**  
**5YRS+**  
**9AM - 3PM**  
MORNINGS & FULL DAYS  
8.30AM \*EARLY DROP OFF  
& 4PM LATE PICK UP AVAILABLE

**BOOK EARLY**  
**FOR BIG DISCOUNTS!!!**

**JUNIOR PROGRAMME**

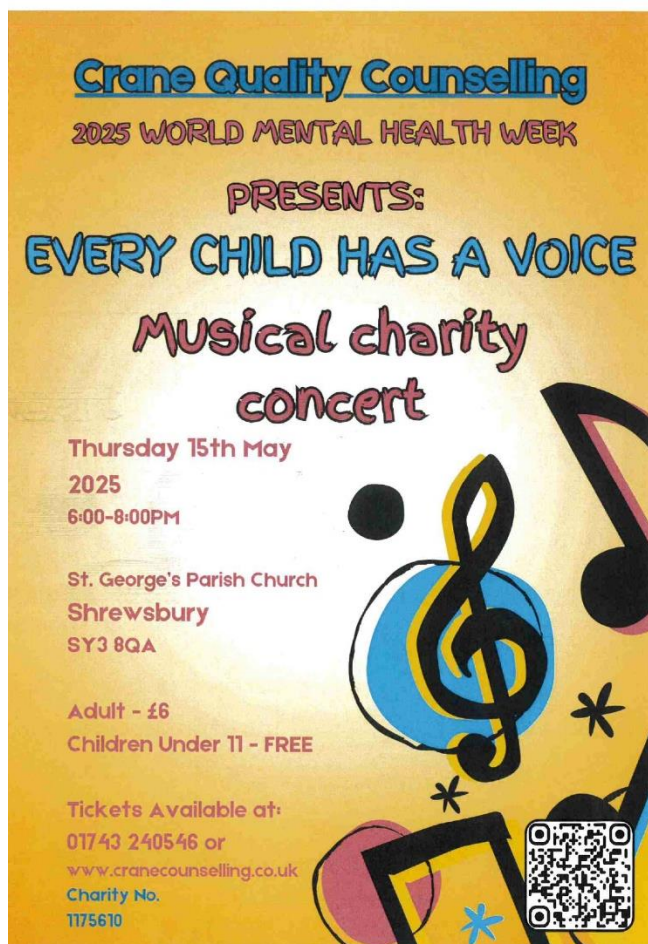
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\*Subject to venue availability

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### Weekly Attendance Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow...

Owl Class – 96%  
Hawk Class – 99% ★★  
Kestrel Class - 95%  
Osprey Class - 98% ★★  
Falcon Class – 97% ★

Weekly average: 97%



### Class Dojo Champions

Owl Class – Edward, Bono & Arabella  
Hawk Class – Esme, Lando & Theo  
Kestrel Class – Archie, Hamer & Rene  
Osprey / Falcon Class – Olivia, Ashley & Alfred



### Shining Stars of the Week

Love

*'Love is patient. Love is kind. Love never fails.'*  
1 Corinthians 13

#### Owl Class

Edward for amazing drawing and descriptive speaking.

#### Hawk Class

Henry for making amazing progress in his handwriting and literacy.

#### Kestrel Class

Rowan for being really kind and for great progress in class.

#### Osprey & Falcon Class

Emma for being extremely helpful and looking after the younger members of our school.



### Outside Achievements

Chloe for swimming a huge 405 metres in the swimming pool!

Here is SJT man of the match Jacob, who was given the award for his fantastic passes! Well done Jacob.



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### Values Award

*as chosen by our Values Ambassadors*

#### Strength

Bonnie for always carrying on a persevering.

#### Love

Lincoln for always cheering up children when they are sad.

#### Wisdom

Eleanor for sharing her amazing story which she wrote at home.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Yours sincerely,  
Mr Crompton.

### Key School Dates

#### May

12 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 SATs Week
16 <sup>th</sup> May	Newtown Colour Run
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Break up for half term

#### June

2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Return to school
8 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonics Screening Check Year 4 Multiplication Check
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day 1:15pm start Parents Welcome

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