



21st June 2019

**Dates:**

27<sup>th</sup> June: Rags 2 Riches collection date  
27<sup>th</sup> June: First transition day  
28<sup>th</sup> June: Non uniform day  
1<sup>st</sup> July: Sports day  
3<sup>rd</sup> July: Reports sent home  
3<sup>rd</sup> July: Summer games (some y3-6)  
4<sup>th</sup> July: Second transition day  
5<sup>th</sup> July: Road safety (Y5/6)  
**7<sup>th</sup> July: Clifford Show**  
9<sup>th</sup> July: School production (6pm)  
10<sup>th</sup> July School Production (1.30pm)  
11<sup>th</sup> July: Third transition day  
12<sup>th</sup> July: School disco  
15<sup>th</sup> July: sports day reserve  
Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> July: Leaver's service  
**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July: Finish for summer holidays**  
4<sup>th</sup> September: First day Autumn Term  
28<sup>th</sup> Oct – 1<sup>st</sup> Nov: Half Term  
20<sup>th</sup> December: Last Day of Term

**Classes for September 2019-2020**

Reception:

Mrs Medina: Mon- Thurs  
Mrs Scourfield Thurs pm - Fri

Year 1 and 2:

Mrs Lloyd: Mon – Thurs  
Mrs Alden: Thurs pm – Fri

Year 3 and 4

Mrs Langford; Mon-Wed and Fri  
Miss Bragg: Thurs

Year 5 and 6

Miss Collingwood: Mon- Fri

We have **3 transition days** planned:

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June  
Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July  
Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July

On these dates our present year 6's will go off to high school. You will need to ensure you have a lift to and from your high school. You do not have to come to Clifford on these dates. However, if you are struggling for a lift for any of these dates please let us know.

**Week beginning 24/06/19:**

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June, Digital Leaders conference:** Our 6 digital leaders have been invited to, 'The Three Counties in Hereford,' for their annual Ipad conference. I am looking forward to seeing what new ideas they will bring back.

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June, Transition Day:** Let's hope all the children enjoy their new classes

**Rags to Riches collection:** You will find in your child's bag a rags 2 riches bag. They need to be returned to school for collection day on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June**. This is a great way to raise funds for the school and help the environment whilst enabling you to have a good old clear out of old clothes. Guidelines for what they do and don't accept are on the bags.

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June, Non uniform day:** In aid of the Clifford Show. Your child can come to school in non-school uniform with a bottle donation for the bottle stall.

## Coming soon

Monday 1st July, **Sports Day:**

Please can your child come to school in their PE shorts, trainers, and a top the colour of their team on this day.

Hardwicke: Blue  
Middlewood: Green  
Summerhill: Yellow

In the morning your child will participate in a variety of athletic events; target throwing, shuttle runs, long jump etc  
The afternoon will be comprise of typical sports day races.

**All parents are invited to the afternoon races.** The gates will open at 1pm, ready for a 1.15pm start. We look forward to seeing you.

The PTFA will be serving drinks.

## THE SCHOOL PLAY IS COMING SOON

9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> July

*My Family and Other Animals*

*The children will need the following costumes:*

**Reception:** spiders!

**Year 1 / 2:** sea creatures

**Year 3 / 4:** dogs

**Year 5 / 6:** see script for details about your child's individual costume, or ask me if unsure.

*(If making costumes is your idea of a total nightmare, don't panic because I've already had some offers from other parents who are happy to help with costumes.)*

***Please ensure all costumes are in by Wednesday 3rd July***

Please can you help your child learn the words for the songs, see the attachment to your email.



## Whole School Football Tournament

This will not take place on the 28th June but on the morning of Monday 15th July.



## Summer games at the leisure centre Hereford

A group of our junior children will be visiting the summer games festival to take part in lacrosse, tag-rugby and pent-active.

Separate letters will go out early next week.

Contributions towards the bus can be paid on parentpay. Thank you.



We have signed up to the Big Battery hunt which is a way for us all to encourage the recycling of batteries. We have given all of the children a box for them to collect as many old batteries as they can.

The school will automatically be entered into the Big Battery Hunt prize draw to win a selection of brilliant prizes.



## CLIFFORD SHOW SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2019 12noon until 4.00pm

Show time is almost upon us. Attached alongside this newsletter is a Show Programme and a list of Show Classes. We have a superb day planned with a wide variety of assorted stalls, sideshows. BBQ, Bar and afternoon teas will be available throughout the show and not forgetting our extremely popular & much loved children's dog show.

**PLEASE COULD ALL CUPWINNERS RETURN THEIR TROPHIES TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE**



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The school is running out of newspaper which is invaluable for all those messy projects. Please could we have any old newspapers that you might have lying around at home. Many thanks



### **PEER MEDIATION**

Peer mediation training will be taking place with Mrs Jones on the 12<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> July. Interested children will be given an application form to be completed and handed in to the school office.



We would like to make parents aware of the Clifford School bus route which is operated by Herefordshire Council. Attached alongside this newsletter is the bus route, times and an application form (to be sent back to the council) for parents if they are interested in making use of the school buses. They need to be used to keep them running!

Yours sincerely  
Mrs S Scourfield

# PTFA NEWS

## **Easyfundraising**

Just a reminder about **EASYFUNDRAINING**

Collect free donations every time you shop the easyfundraising way. Clifford School - Hardwicke have signed up to Easyfundraising. Whenever you buy anything online- from your weekly shop to your annual holiday- you could be collecting FREE donations for the school. There are over 3000 shops and sites on board ready to make a donation, including Amazon, John Lewis, Aviva, Sainsbury's. It doesn't cost you a penny extra!

Head to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/cliffordpshardwicke/> and join for free.

Every time you shop online, go to easyfundraising first to find the site you want and start shopping. There is now an easy reminder tool you can add to your computer.

After you've checked out, that retailer will make a donation to your good cause for no extra cost whatsoever! There are no catches or hidden charges and our children that attend Clifford Primary School, Hardwick will benefit.

One family from Clifford have raised over £100 by doing this!

## **Texaco Reward Card**

Every time you fill up at Regent House filling station in Clyro, please ask to add your purchase to the Clifford School Reward Card as this also is a very easy way to support the school. Please tell everyone!