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# TATTENHALL PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

#### Dear Tattenhall Park families.

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May, 2025



It was so wonderful to celebrate our  $55^{th}$  school birthday this week. The children had a special birthday assembly in the morning to learn all about the history of our amazing school and we celebrated in the afternoon with an ice lolly and an extra play-time in the sunshine.

In the evening, we were delighted to welcome many families who had been pupils at the school in the past and some ex teachers too. We even had a visit from the school cook, who was there the day the Lady Plowden opened the school officially on  $30^{th}$  April, 1970. There were presentations about the school history during the

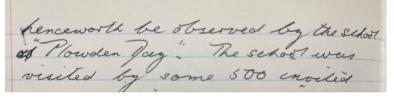
evening and visitors stuck post it notes on the photographs, if they recognised themselves or past

pupils. Mrs Blackhurst and Mrs Williams very kindly made a delicious 55 cake and all the staff stayed to share stories and memories about the school over the last 55 years.









During the day, we read an extract from the school log book from 1970. It said that one of the local councillors said, on the day of the school opening, that the  $30^{th}$  April should be known henceforth as 'Plowden Day', so we certainly will be adding this as a key date for every school year!

#### Tri Golf Superstars!

Our tri golf team enjoyed a super afternoon in the sunshine earlier this week. Thank you to; Mr Cragg, Mrs Gibson, Mrs Downes and Mrs Roberts for supporting them during the morning and afternoon and to Miss Comish for organising the event.







### Competition Time and Love Your Weeds!

Alex, from Tattenhall Gardening Society, visited assembly this week to invite the children to enter competition to design the front cover for the village show programme. Entries are due in on **Tuesday 6**th **May**. The Village Show is in September and we will be sending out a schedule of categories that the children can enter later this term.

One of the children's categories is to take pictures of weeds around the village. This is to encourage the children to learn the names of plants around their village and also to appreciate why weeds are an important part of the

biodiversity in our area.

A gentle reminder... please could parents refrain from parking in the carpark during drop off and pick up-unless they have a pre arrangement with school. The carpark is too small to support a large number of cars parking and reversing during this time. You are, of course, most welcome to use the carpark for drop off and pick up from TASC.

Have a lovely Bank Holiday weekend in the sunshine. Don't forget we have a meeting on **Tuesday at 6pm** in the school hall, for any parents wishing to ask more questions about the **CAT consultation**.

Mrs Bolton



Spring hedgehog update... Coco and Sonic are out of hibernation and busy eating all the hedgehog food up every night!

## SUMMER TERM KEY DATES

5th May- School closed for May Bank Holiday

6th May-CAT Trust consultation meeting 6pm School Hall

7th May- Year 3 Liverpool World Museum Trip

12th- 15th May - Year 6 Statutory Assessment Week (SATS)

21st May- Sports Day (Reserve Date- 22nd May)

21st May PTFA 8pm

23rd May - School closes for Half Term

2nd June-School opens

3rd June- Year 2 Residential Trip

16th June Dave Draws Mural project

17th June-Year 1- Year 5 class photographs

20th June-Colour Run

27th June- Year 6 Camp-Over

16th July- Year 6 Evening Performance

17th July-Year 6 afternoon performance and leavers celebration presentation

· 18th July- School closes for Summer Holidays