



# NEWSLETTER

Selattyn C. E. Primary School

26<sup>th</sup> June 2026

This terms Collective Worship theme is: **Thankfulness**

**Small School, Big Heart**

## Changes to Free School Meals

From September, there are changes to the guidance for those eligible to receive Free School Meals with a new expanded FSM offer for all children in families in receipt of universal credit that previously weren't eligible. Families already in receipt of Free School Meals will be reassessed ahead of September. [For full details and how to apply please see this letter.](#) **We encourage all families in receipt of universal credit to apply** as you may also be eligible for higher level of support depending on your household income. [The portal is now open.](#) If you need any support, please ask at the office and we can help.

## Trip to Chirk Castle

All Class 1, 2 & 3 pupils will be going to Chirk Castle on Monday. If you didn't order a packed lunch before Wednesday, please ensure your child brings one from home. The weather is due to be cooler, but please ensure children bring a sun hat, have applied sun cream at home before the visit. They will also need a light raincoat and sensible shoes or trainers. [Please see this letter for full details](#)

## Class 3 – School of Rock Extravaganza

Class 3 pupils (Year 4) will be taking part in the school of Rock Extravaganza next Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. [Please see this letter sent out earlier today.](#) Please ensure you complete the form linked from the letter.

## Drumming Assembly

Families of children who have drum lessons with DC Drums are invited into school on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 2:45 to watch a special performance from them

## Own Clothes Day – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

Ahead of the PTA summer fayre on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July. We will have an own clothes day next Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, and bring in a chocolate bar for the chocolate tombola.

## PTA Summer Fayre

The PTA will be holding their summer fayre on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm – 4pm. All family are welcome to join

## Sublime Science Workshop

On Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July all children will be taking part in science workshops with Sublime Science which has been kindly funded by PTA as a special end of term treat for all pupils. Thank you to the PTA for your generous support.

## Annual Reports

All pupil annual reports will be sent home on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July.

### Upcoming Events

30<sup>th</sup> June – Chirk Castle visit  
2<sup>nd</sup> July – School of Rock Extravaganza – Class 3  
2<sup>nd</sup> July – 2:45 Drumming assembly for parents of children taking part in drumming sessions  
3<sup>rd</sup> July – Drumming workshop with St Martin's school for all pupils  
9<sup>th</sup> July – OneVoice event, Shrewsbury  
10<sup>th</sup> July – Summer Fayre  
14<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Play @ 2:30pm & 6pm  
15<sup>th</sup> July – Sublime Science Workshop  
17<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly

### Question of the Week Is love real?

#### Stars of the Week

Class 1 – **Sophie**  
Class 2 – **Olivia**  
Class 3 – **Vincent**  
Class 4 – **Jacob**

### Highest Attendance

Whole School: 92.8%

Class 1: 87.5%

Class 2: 96%

Class 3: 90.8%

Class 4: 93.8%

## School Terms and Holidays 2026/27 Marches Multi Academy Trust

| September 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| October 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| November 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| December 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| January 2027 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| February 2027 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| May 2027 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| June 2027 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| July 2027 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| August 2027 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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Blue = Holidays

Collaboration Day dates - 25/09, 11/02, 21/06

| Bank Holidays 2026/27  |                  |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Christmas Day          | 25 December 2026 |
| Boxing Day             | 28 December 2026 |
| New Year's Day         | 01 January 2027  |
| Good Friday            | 26 March 2027    |
| Easter Monday          | 29 March 2027    |
| Early May Bank Holiday | 03 May 2027      |
| Spring Bank Holiday    | 31 May 2027      |
| August Bank Holiday    | 30 August 2027   |

| PD days 2026/27 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| 1 September     | In school         |
| 19 October      | In school (Trust) |
| 20 October      | Out               |
| 21 October      | Out               |
| 12 February     | In school (Trust) |

| PD Days              |          |
|----------------------|----------|
| Bank Holidays        | 5 days   |
| School Days (pupils) | 8 days   |
| Total Days (staff)   | 190 days |
|                      | 195 days |

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Autumn 1st Half | 33 days |
| Autumn 2nd Half | 34 days |
| Spring 1st Half | 30 days |
| Spring 2nd Half | 23 days |
| Summer 1st Half | 34 days |
| Summer 2nd Half | 35 days |



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## **Councillor Vacancy**

# **A Vacancy exists for a Parish Councillor on Selattyn and Gobowen Parish Council**

Any person who would like to express an interest in being elected onto the Council by co-option should contact the Parish Clerk for an application form.

Completed applications to be received before

**5pm on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

Co-option will take place at the Meeting of the Full Council on

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2026 at 7:00pm.**

You must be qualified by virtue of being a British or Commonwealth Citizen, citizen of the Republic of Ireland or European Union citizen, have attained the age of 18 years and are either

- (a) registered as a local government elector for the parish; and/or have
- (b) during the whole of the twelve months preceding the appointment occupied as owner or tenant land or other premises in the parish; and/or your
- (c) principal or only place of work during those twelve months has been in the parish; and/or have
- (d) during those twelve months resided in the parish or within 4.8 kilometres of it; and are not disqualified from holding office by reason of any disqualification set out in Section 80 of the Local Government Act 1972.

**If you wish to be considered for election onto the Parish Council by co-option please request an application form.**

**By email:** [clerk@selattyn gobowen-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@selattyn gobowen-pc.gov.uk)

**By phone:** 01691 886502

**By post:** PO Box 306, Oswestry, SY10 1HD

Scan the QR code for more information about being a Parish Councillor

