Clunbury CE Primary School and rural nursery

Blue Hills Federation

NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th November 2026

If you miss a newsletter, you can find them all on the school website

EXCITING NEWS: our new Facebook page has launched! search and follow **'Clunbury School News'** for school updates

Children in Need
Friday 13th November

Children are invited to come to school dressed in spots and clothing appropriate for PE and the weather conditions. Please make any donations directly to the Children in Need website.

Friday 27th November
No Hot School Dinners

Due to The Community College being closed, we will not be able to provide hot dinners. Children in years reception, 1 and 2 and in reciept of Free School Meals will have a cold lunch provided them. ALL other children will require a packed lunch.



Parent Debt Zero Tolerance

From September, if your child's School Money account has an unpaid debt of more than 4 weeks, your child will not be able to attend school clubs or extra-curricular trips. This may also affect school dinner availability. **School Money accounts must be kept in credit.**

When's the right time to talk PANTS?



Since PANTS was launched, parents have had over 8 million conversations with their children to help keep them safe.

Developed with children, parents, carers and teachers, Talk PANTS is here to help children understand that their body belongs to them, and they should tell a safe adult they trust if anything makes them feel upset or worried.

Visit the NSPCC website for lots of useful information and resources for everyone to use free of charge.

Friends Christmas Hamper Raffle

Donations of Christmas snacks, chocs, sweets, Crackers, pickles, biscuits etc very gratefully received. Thank you in advance!

Gymnastics

Recently, Maddison and Natalie took part in a gymnastics competition. They both did really well and brought home some fab medals.

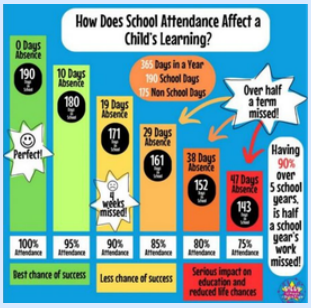




ATTENDANCEmatters

Attendance since start of the Autumn Term 2026:

Whole school - 97.8%
Early Years & KS1 - 98.2%
KS2 - 97.5%



ParentGUIDES

This fortnight's issue guide features:
AGE RATINGS

FRIENDSgroup

The Friends of Clunbury School are an amazing group of parents and carers who raise much needed funds for our school. The money raised is spent on equipment and activities that enrich school life.

FREEschoolMEALS

If you think your family may be eligible for free school meals, please apply asap. Successful applications may be given Pupil Premium funding, funding that can be used to purchase school uniform or pay for school trips. Please apply at:

Free School Meals

Shropshire Council

09.11.26 Dinner menu 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
am		Open the Book	Remembrance Service 11am Clunbury Church	Y3-Y6 swimming	Whole School PE
pm				Forest School nursery, YR, Y1, Y2	Whole School Music
Club	Art	Lego	Cooking	Sports	Cozy

DIARYdates ...

Due to unforeseen circumstances, dates may change from time to time.

Wednesday 11th Nov	Remembrance Service, 11am	Thursday 10th Dec	**NURSERY CLOSED**
Thursday 19th Nov	Open Afternoon	Tuesday 15th Dec	Christmas Performance
Friday 20th Nov	C3 Judges Lodging trip	Wednesday 16th Dec	C2 Egyptian workshop
Wednesday 25th Nov	Parents Day	Friday 18th Dec	Last day of Autumn Term
Wednesday 2nd Dec	R & Y6 NHS Heights & Weights	Mon 21st Dec - Fri 1st Jan	Christmas Holidays
Wednesday 9th Dec	Christmas Dinner & Jumper Day	Mon 4th Jan	PD Day
Thursday 10th Dec	Panto 'Aladdin'	Tuesday 5th Jan	First day of the Spring Term
Thursday 10th Dec	Christmas Craft Fayre	Mon 15th - Fri 19th Feb	Half Term

The Clunbury Vision

'Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their lives.'
Proverbs 22:6 The Good News Bible

Our Values

Trust and Truth, Joy and Happiness, Love and Respect, Thankfulness, Friendship and Family, Perseverance and Resilience

Diocese of Hereford

MentalHealthWELLBEING:

These services offer confidential support from trained volunteers. You can talk about anything that's troubling you, no matter how difficult:

SAMARITANS

ChildLine 0800 1111

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At National Online Safety we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information they need to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one issue of many which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.



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What parents need to know about AGE RATINGS





If you have children, it is understandable to have concerns about the films and TV shows they watch, as well as the games they play. In this guide, we take a look at the two official ways you can assess if a particular title is suitable for your child. Both the BBFC and PEGI have search facilities on their websites that can be used to look up individual titles so you can check their ratings.

RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:

- **U** – Universal, suitable for all ages
- **PG** – Parental Guidance required
- **12** – Suitable for people aged 12 and over
- **12A** – Suitable for people aged 12 and over; anyone younger must be accompanied by an adult
- **15** – Suitable for people aged 15 and over
- **18** – Suitable for people aged 18 and over
- **R18** RESTRICTED – Adult content only available in specially licenced cinemas and specialist retailers

WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

Source: www.bbfc.co.uk

RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provide a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

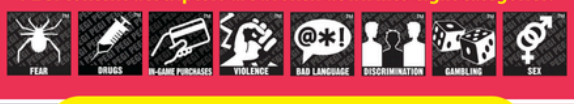
WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional 'content descriptors' help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:



PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:



LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

Source: www.pegi.info

Users of this guide do so at their own discretion. No liability is entered into. Current as of the date of release: 06.02.19

For more information and advise please visit:
https: //www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/
or www.ceop.police.uk

Autumn Term 2026 School Dinner Menu

Week 1 menu commencing: Monday 31st August 2026

Dinners cost £2.50 each and will be charged to your child's School Money account. Please pay for your child's school dinners promptly on a weekly basis and not let accounts go into arrears. Children in Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and children in receipt of Pupil Premium will not be charged for school dinners.

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Main	Beefy Yorkshire Pudding	Hot Dogs	Roast Chicken with Stuffing	Chicken Tikka	Cheese & Tomato Pizza
	Veg	Mashed potatoes & mixed vegetables	Wedges & farmhouse veg	Roast potatoes, broccoli, carrots & gravy	Rice, weetcorm & green beans	Chips, peas & baked beans
	Pudding	Chocolate Malt Brownie	Vanilla Iced Sponge	Forest Fruit Jelly	Coconut & Jam Sponge	Apricot Flapjack
2	Main	Italian Pork Meatballs	Sausage roll	Roast beef & Yorkshires	Breaded Chicken with Katsu Sauce	Fish Fingers
	Veg	Pasta & mixed vegetables	Wedges & farmhouse veg	Mashed potatoes, broccoli, carrots & gravy	Rice, sweetcorn & green beans	Chips, peas & baked beans
	Pudding	Raspberry & Apple Crunch	Lemon Iced Sponge	Raspberry Jelly	Sticky, Toffee Pudding	Chocolate & Orange Shortbread
3	Main	Beef Bolognese Pasta Bake	Toad in the Hole	Roast chicken & stuffing	Sweet & Sour Chicken Meatballs	Cheese & Tomato Pizza
	Veg	Pasta & mixed vegetables	Mashed potatoes & farmhouse veg	Roast potatoes, broccoli, carrots & gravy	Rice, sweetcorn & green beans	Chips, peas & baked beans
	Pudding	Cherry Crunch	Cornflake Crunchie	Peach Shortbread	Toffee Banana Flapjack	Chocolate Shortbread

Help raise money for school when you're shopping, it's so easy ...





LEARN ALL ABOUT PANTS WITH PANTOSAURUS!



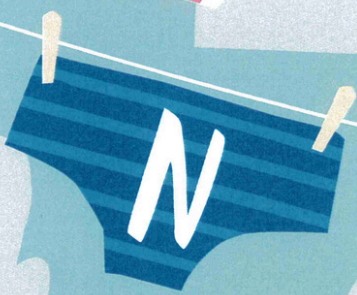
PRIVATES ARE PRIVATE

Your underwear covers up your private parts and no one should ask to see or touch them. Sometimes a doctor, nurse or family members might have to. But they should always explain why, and ask you if it's OK first. Remember, what's in your pants belongs only to you.



ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU

Your body is yours, and no one should touch your private parts or any other parts of your body that you don't want to be touched. No one has the right to make you do anything that makes you feel uncomfortable. If somebody does make you do something, it's never your fault. Even if the person who has made you feel uncomfortable has told you it is your fault.



NO MEANS NO

You always have the right to say 'no' – even to a family member or someone you love. You're in control of your body and the most important thing is how YOU feel. If you want to say 'No', it's your choice.



TALK ABOUT SECRETS THAT UPSET YOU

There are good and bad secrets. Good secrets can be things like surprise parties or presents for other people. Bad secrets make you feel sad, worried or frightened. You should always talk to a safe adult who you trust about a bad secret or anything that doesn't feel right.

SPEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP

Talk about stuff that makes you worried or upset. If you ever feel sad, anxious or frightened you should talk to a safe adult who you trust. This doesn't have to be a family member. It can also be a teacher or a friend's parent – or even Childline. Talking shouldn't get you into trouble, even if somebody has told you it will. If something has happened that makes you feel uncomfortable, it is never your fault.



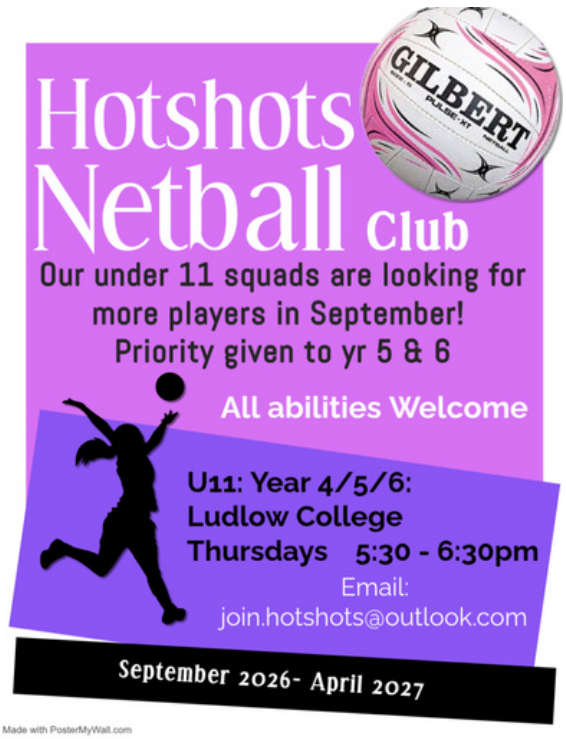
You can also talk to Childline. Call **0800 1111** or contact them online at **Childline.org.uk**. Someone will always be there to listen.

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U5s TO COLTS ALL WELCOME!
EVERY SUNDAY FROM 10:00 AM
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DEVELOP CONFIDENCE, FITNESS & SKILLS
HAVE FUN!
ENJOY THE GAME AND HAVE FUN
BOYS
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ALL ABILITIES WELCOME
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U5s TO COLTS
ALL ABILITIES WELCOME
BE PART OF THE LUDLOW RFC FAMILY!


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SHREWSBURY
MONDAY, DECEMBER 21 - WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23
CROUD MEADOW, OTELEY ROAD, SHREWSBURY (SY2 6ST)
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GILBERT
Our under 11 squads are looking for more players in September!
Priority given to yr 5 & 6
All abilities Welcome
U11: Year 4/5/6:
Ludlow College
Thursdays 5:30 - 6:30pm
Email:
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September 2026- April 2027
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THE CAVALIER CENTRE
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SHROPSHIRE

WHAT'S ON AT THE CAVALIER CENTRE

Cavalier Centre
Enriching and Empowering Lives Through Horses



VAULTING - GYMNASTICS ON HORSEBACK

Equestrian vaulting is often described as gymnastics on horseback. The horse is controlled by a lunger and in a 15-metre circle, while the vaulter performs exercises on the horse's back using specialist equipment. Vaulting is a fantastic physical activity that helps with concentration and focus as well as balance and control.

Vaulting training sessions combine skills such as dance and gymnastics to help to develop confidence, balance and harmony with the horse. Being part of a vaulting group is a lot of fun!

Feedback from parents proves the benefits of vaulting to be many and participation in the sport can commence from as young as 6 and go on into the 20s. All our horses have a maximum weight carrying limit. Currently we have a weight restriction for vaulting of up to 9 and a half stone.

Vaulting is on **Monday Afternoon 5pm – 6pm** at the Cavalier Centre and is charged at £25 (per 1 hour sessions) for ad hoc bookings and £23.00 when booking blocks of 5.

PONY CLUB AT THE CAVALIER CENTRE

We are delighted to now be an official Pony Club registered centre!

As an official pony club centre, we will be running weekly pony club session on a Saturday from 11:30am - 1pm. Sessions are £30 each. You do not need your own pony, as an affiliated centre, we offer pony club session with our own, amazing centre ponies!

Pony club sessions will focus on pony care and maintenance, education and riding, with our wonderful centre ponies.

You must be a pony club member to attend these sessions, please email info@cavaliercentre.org.uk and we can help you if needed.

Bookings for Pony Club are available through your EC Pro account. If you are not already a participant with us, please complete a rider application form on our website to join us!

We can't wait to make lots of pony club memories with you!

Book through EC Pro - contact us for more



SHROPSHIRE HOBBY HORSE CLUB

Join Hobby Horse Club at The Cavalier Centre, Much Wenlock, every Friday from 5:15pm – 6:15pm. Enjoy show jumping, dressage, obstacle courses, games and crafts.

£10 per session or £35 per month

Hobby Horsing is becoming seriously popular throughout the UK and regular competitions are available for children to compete in across the country. Join The Shropshire Hobby Horse Club and practice, have fun and make new friends who share a love of Hobby Horsing!

Email: hobbyhorsehubuk@gmail.com or contact us through www.hobbyhorsehub.co.uk

01952 443752 info@cavaliercentre.org.uk www.cavaliercentre.org

Youth Hub @Lydbury North

All-Age After-School club First Thursday of the month

Crafts, Games, Refreshments

- **1st October Shield making**
- **5th November Bonfire crafts**
- **3rd December Christingle**

TNT Youth Club

Year 6 + Third Thursday of the month

- **15th October**
- **19th November**
- **17th December**

Chill n Chat with Games, Activities, Snacks & Tea N Toast

Contact: Suzanne
suzanne.gurney@hereford.anglican.org
Youth Hub Phone: 07413 929732
www.hereford.anglican.org/ministry/youth-hubs

Diocese of Hereford YOUTH HUB

Scouts

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Adventure Friends Skills For Life

EXPLORE
LEARN
MAKE FRIENDS
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BEAVERS Age 6-8 years 6-7pm

CUBS Age 8-10½ years 6-7pm

SCOUTS Age 10½-14 years 7-8pm

All sections welcoming new members!

We meet every Wednesday during term time | Lydham Village Hall

Get in touch for more information:
bcscoutgroup@outlook.com

Outdoor Adventures | Make Friends | Learn New Skills | Try New Things | Have Fun

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Shropshire Together Community and Family Directory

Shropshire Council

COFFEE & CHAT STAY AND PLAY

Relaxed stay and play for parents, babies, and toddlers to socialise and access support

Helena Lane Community Centre,
20 Hamlet Road,
Ludlow, SY8 2NP

Every Monday
9.30am til 11am

Free Information, advice and support on all aspects of family life. You can chat, have a coffee and see how we can help you with:

- Family life
- Parenting support
- Domestic abuse support
- Money worries
- Housing support
- And much more!



Free parking on site

www.shropshire.gov.uk/early-help



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

John Campion
Police and Crime Commissioner
West Mercia



Worried about your child's health?

Think 'Pharmacy First'

You can now get treatment for a variety of common conditions and minor illnesses from your local community pharmacy.

Your pharmacy can help with:

- Earache (ages 1-17)
- Infected insect bites (from age 1)
- Impetigo (from age 1)
- Sore throat (from age 5)
- Hay fever (all ages)
- Conjunctivitis (all ages)

If you don't know whether a pharmacist can help with what you need, give them a call first or just pop in.

If you get a prescription through your pharmacy, you'll never pay more than if you had seen your GP.

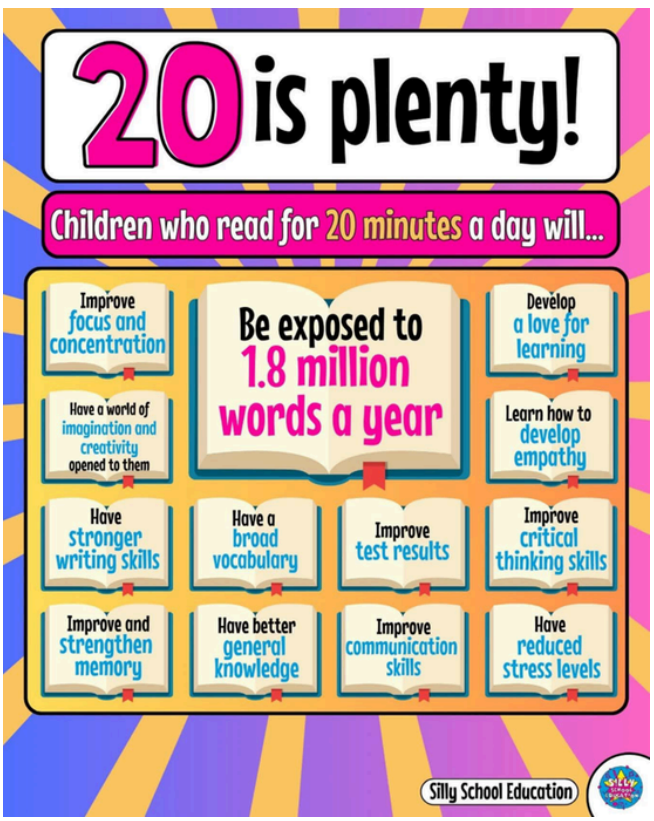
Shropshire Parenting Help and Support Line

01743 250950

Mon - Thurs, 9.30am - 4.30pm
Fri, 9.30am - 3.30pm

No judgment, just support. For **all** Shropshire families, including those whose children have special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)





Shropshire Parenting Team – Family Leaflet

This leaflet provides information to all families, including those whose children have SEND, who would like to know more about the services we offer. Simply scan any QR code or follow the links to explore free support, groups and learning opportunities.

Our Services - Overview

The Parenting Team | Shropshire Council

Find out more about all our services on offer

Our SEND Services - Overview

The Parenting Team | Shropshire Council

Find out more about our services within the SEND local offer

Understanding Your Child Groups

Information to help families in Shropshire - Shropshire Together Community Directory

Find out more about free groups

Sleep Tight Groups

Information to help families in Shropshire - Shropshire Together Community Directory

Find out more about free Sleep Tight groups

Online Learning Pathways

Shropshire and Telford & Wrekin | Togetherness - Togetherness

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