

NEWSLETTER

17th July 2026

Ephesians 3:17 Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love

Message from Mrs Herrero

This has been a truly wonderful year. As we say goodbye to our Year Sixes, we celebrate a very successful year in a school that continues to grow from strength to strength. I hope you all have a fantastic summer. We are already excited about the year ahead.

It was absolutely super to see so many of you at the Festival of Learning yesterday. Next year there will be many more events for parents in school so that you can learn more about what is happening in school and you can support your children at home. We know parents would find this useful.

Our school would be nothing without our amazing Holy Trinity Families. You are the reason that all our incredible support staff, teaching assistants and teachers come to school. We all love our job. It is a privilege to work here.

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to the following classes who have achieved the highest attendance this year:

EYFS and KS1 – Meerkats 97.1%

Lower KS2 - Llamas 96.1%

Upper KS2 – Seahorses 96.3%



Important Attendance Information to all Parents

All unauthorised Leave of Absence requests and any other unauthorised absences will be referred to the Warwickshire Attendance Service, part of Warwickshire County Council

Please also note medical evidence is required for us to be able to authorise absences due to illness of more than 4 days.

Athletics Competitions

Last week, pupils from Holy Trinity competed in two inter-schools athletics competitions. Monday 29th June, saw us host the field events which pitted the best high jumpers, long jumpers and howler throwers across Stratford's Primary Schools against each other. Then, on Wednesday 1st July, Stratford High School's track saw the strongest sprinters and long-distance runners take each other on. As has become customary, our pupils performed exceptionally well! Across 33 different events, pupils from HT won 18, with another 8 events seeing us finish as runners up. All of the children who were selected to attend performed incredibly well and we are very proud of them all. Two highlights in particular saw some long standing records being broken; Freddie in Y6 recording an amazing 4.2m in the long jump and Scarlett, also in Y6, clearing an exceptional height of 1.21m in the high jump.



PRE-SCHOOL NEWS

What a wonderful year we have had in the preschool! The children have grown so much in confidence, showing what kind, empathetic and curious individuals they are. We wish all of our children who are moving up into Reception the very best, we know they will continue to thrive!



RECEPTION NEWS

Reception have enjoyed a wonderful range of end-of-year activities to celebrate a fantastic year together.

We were delighted to welcome Henry's dad, who kindly volunteered his time to tell us all about his job as a pilot. The children were fascinated, asked lots of thoughtful questions and thoroughly enjoyed taking part in the exciting activities he had planned for us. What a treat!

We also had some very special visitors on Tuesday when Mrs Jenkinson brought in some teeny tiny, fluffy chicks for us to meet. They were only a few days old and we loved observing them closely and learning about how they grow and are cared for. It has been a lovely way to end a fantastic year in Reception.



RECEPTION NEWS



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We have thoroughly enjoyed meeting all of the new children who will be joining us in September. Despite the very hot weather, our Stay and Play sessions were a wonderful opportunity to meet the children and their families. New Parents' Evening was equally warm in both temperature and welcome!

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to our wonderfully supportive PTA, who kindly purchased a school book bag for every new starter. Their generosity is greatly appreciated and will give all of our new children a fantastic start as they become part of our school community.

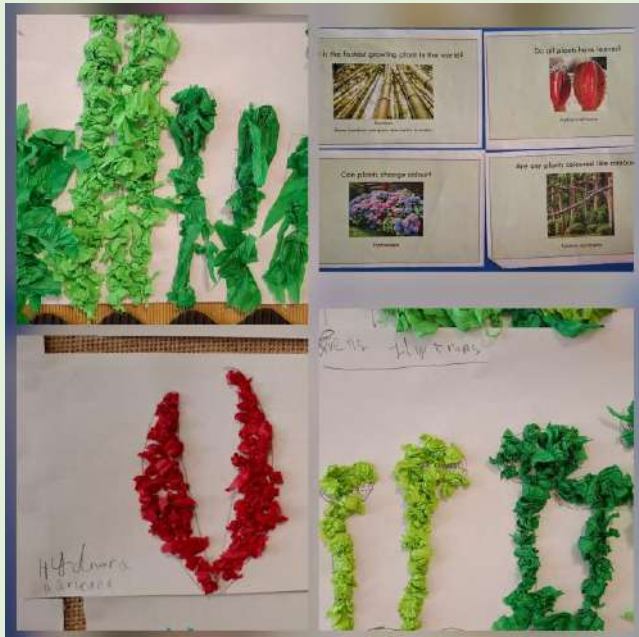


YEAR 1 NEWS

Year 1 researched our remaining questions about plants.

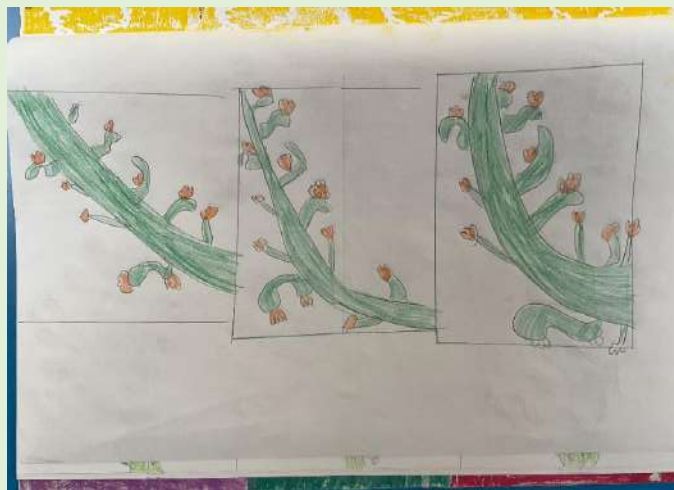
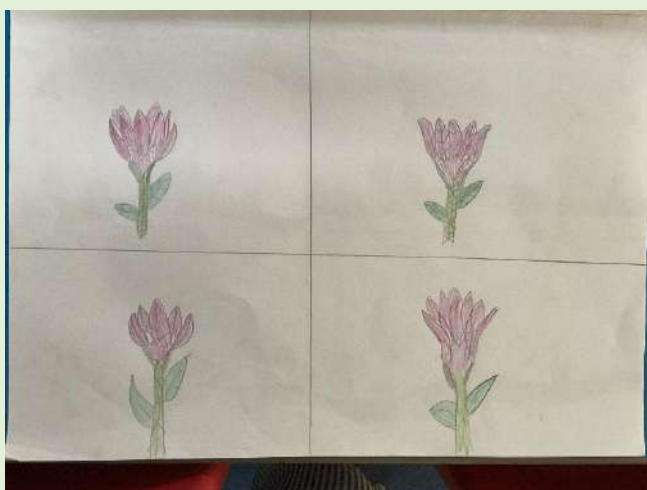
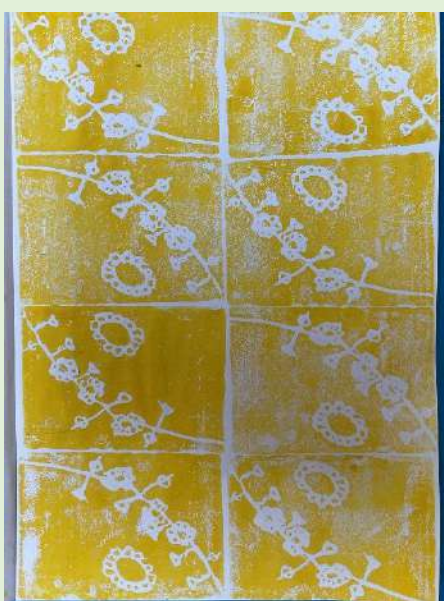
Do you know how much a plant can grow in a day? Do you know which plant has the biggest flowers in the world? Can plants be all colours of the rainbow? Can a plant change colour? How large can water lilies grow? Which plants are carnivorous?

We discovered the answer to these questions and more. We shared what we had learnt about plants through making tissue paper collages.



YEAR 2 NEWS

Year 2 have been designing and printing repeated patterns based on the work of fashion designer Orla Kiely and Japanese artist Hokusai. Orla Kiely is famous for using nature to inspire her designs. Hokusai is well known for his painting of The Wave but also created woodblock prints.



YEAR 2 NEWS

Year 2 have been busy preparing a range of Great Fire of London related activities for the Festival of Learning. They have thoroughly enjoyed learning about this topic and have become experts in this historical event. They have been rehearsing some well-known songs that they are hoping their visitors will enjoy!



YEAR 3 NEWS

With our most important light source (i.e. the sun) working overtime, Year 3 have been learning all about light and dark. We have looked at what light is and what dark is and have explored how our eyes can see objects around us. This week, we have been exploring a very fascinating light phenomenon: mirrors. Did you know that mirrors have been around for as long as there has been light. Early mirrors were shallow, smooth rain pools that were able to reflect really well.

We explored how we can use mirrors to create illusion and even to change the path of light, using to solve a mirror maze.



YEARS 4 NEWS

Yesterday afternoon, Year 4 opened their classroom doors for our Festival of Learning and what a mouth-watering display it was. Parents were treated to a very sweet project as children modelled the human mouth. With pink card, mini marshmallows and a lot of careful shaping, the children crafted incisors, canines, molars and hopefully didn't eat too many of the marshmallows. Then they labelled them with the kind of accuracy that would make a dentist grin. It was hands-on learning at its best, full of curiosity and sticky fingers. And a lovely way to end the year on a high note. They all deserve a plaque.



YEAR 5 NEWS

Year 5 and Reception celebrated their final Reading Friends session of the year with a picnic. Each child enjoyed a squash and a biscuit as a reward for all the fantastic work they have done throughout the year. They also created cards for one another and exchanged them during the picnic.

The children have been kind, supportive, and encouraging towards one another, making Reading Friends a great success! We are incredibly proud of everything they have achieved and the wonderful friendships they have built along the way.

Well done, everyone!



YEAR 6 NEWS

This week, Year 6 performed all of their shows for family, friends and the school. They did it with passion, resilience and perseverance and didn't they do amazingly well!!

In Mrs Herrero's words "It was a huge triumph!"

We are so proud of them, it has not been easy practicing in this heat, but they have not once moaned or given it their 100%!

I think we can all agree that Grossbusters was fantastic!!

Well done Year 6, you have done yourselves proud; give yourselves a massive pat on the back!!

What a wonderful end to a truly wonderful year. We wish Year 6 all the best as they continue to grow and reach for the stars at high school.



YEAR 6 NEWS

Continuing with our last week of celebrations, Reverend Patrick and Phil Harper once again took our Eucharist Service for our Year 6 leavers. It was an emotional and moving service, Patrick spoke to the children about how they were feeling and how much they had grown. After, they received a blessing and a copy of The Children's Bible.

It was a really perfect and wonderful end of year service and it is always a pleasure to have The Holy Trinity church bless our school community and year 6 leavers.



YEAR 6 NEWS

Well that is it!! Year 6 leavers' assembly done!! As expected, it was very, very emotional for parents, the children and the staff!! We remembered the final year and with fabulous memories and friends we send them off to their new chapter in their life! We will miss them!



YEAR 6 NEWS



Warwickshire Junior Book Awards 2026

Over the past few months, a group of Y6 pupils have been contributing to the Warwickshire Junior Book Awards 2026. They were tasked with reading the 4 nominated books, meeting to discuss them and deciding on how our school would cast our votes. The children demonstrated their love of books and reading throughout, which culminated with us attending the final ceremony at Bridge House Theatre in Warwick. The nominated authors presented to the children, hopefully inspiring the next generation of authors. There was also a Q&A session and opportunities to have books signed. This year's winner was *My Dog*, by Olivia Wakeford, a very worthy winner. We look forward to offering more children the opportunity to become involved when it all happens again in 2027.



GENERAL NEWS

World Cup Day Special Menu

On Monday 29th June, our kitchen team got into the World Cup spirit by serving a special themed menu for World Cup Day. To add to the excitement, they also decorated the serving hatch with colourful football-themed displays, helping to create a fun and festive atmosphere for everyone to enjoy.



GENERAL NEWS

Sports Day

Last week, the sun shone (but not too intensely) on our 4 sports days across the week. Reception, Infants, Lower and Upper Juniors competed in their houses for the prestigious Sports Day Cup. Every house saw some form of success across the week. Reception witnessed what must be one of the closest Sports Days ever, with just 4 points separating all 4 houses, and an overall tie for 1st place. At the other end of the school, our Y6 pupils in Ash finally achieved their first ever sports day win, something that had previously alluded them for 7 years! Well done to all of the children who took part with their usual enthusiasm, resilience and enjoyment. Thank you so much to everyone who was able to attend and contribute to a wonderful atmosphere throughout the week.



Sports Day



GENERAL NEWS

On Sunday 5 July, Holy Trinity's bicycle bus was presented with a special High Sheriff community award by the High Sheriff of Warwickshire, Susan Rasmussen.

Representatives from 14 Bicycle Buses in Warwickshire were in attendance to receive their awards. Holy Trinity was represented by Orla, Iris and Rae from Year 2 and Rae's little sister Juno.

Everyone then celebrated with a bike ride around St Nicholas Park!



GENERAL NEWS

Years 4, 5 and 6 Author visit

Once again, the school were honoured to host another inspiring author. This time - Bec Manser, who introduced years 4,5 and 6 to her debut novel - Wildheart, a fast moving, nature inspired, magical fantasy adventure! Bec describes herself as half sparkle, half spooky and is a fantasy/horror author who enjoys animals, woodland walks, folklore, gaming and vegan food. She started writing at the young age of 12 and even though she has written many books, this is her first published one at the age of 37. Her message to the children was to keep chasing your dreams and never give up!



Water Safety Assembly

On Monday 13th July, Nikki and Sarah from Brighter Futures provided the children with a vitally important assembly themed around Water Safety. The children discussed the various dangers associated with water and most importantly, the different things that they can do to ensure they and others stay safe around water at all times. With the summer holidays on the horizon, we really wanted these messages to be fresh in the children's minds. It would certainly be worth a follow up conversation at home to see what information the children have retained.





Feedback from your OPAL surveys

Thank you for responding to our parent's OPAL survey. It was lovely to hear your enthusiasm and support for this exciting new playtime initiative.

100% of our responders agree that play is either extremely or very important to our children. You mentioned the benefits such as, developing friendships, improving physical and emotional skills and promoting awareness of the natural world.

3. How important do you think playtime is for our children? (Tick one)

56 responses



In school some of the benefits mentioned include being-

'able to concentrate better.'

'a time to switch off and relax'

'develops an understanding of boundaries.'

Although you said most children do enjoy their playtimes now, a small number thought there was room for improvement and at times even, 'a bit boring.' We loved your ideas for things you would like to see, such as junk modelling, ball games, music and dance, water and play and sports equipment.

6. How did you benefit from that playtime? (Tick all that apply)

56 responses



Our survey shows that only 24% of children play outside every day, mostly in the garden or at the park. 29% say that life is just too busy as well as concerns about the traffic or the weather. This emphasises the importance of making the most of the time and the space we have at lunchtimes.

We were delighted to see that 80% of you approve of your children coming home in muddy clothes!

Thank you again for taking the time to share your thoughts and for the offers of practical help. As responses were anonymous we would appreciate you getting in touch if you have skills you can offer.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH NEWS



HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
STRATFORD-UPON-AVON

BUBBLE CHURCH

Holy Trinity Parish Centre, CV37 6BG
9 am (breakfast from 8.45am)
1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the month

Bubble Church is a Sunday church service especially for babies, toddlers, and young families. It's a puppet-packed, Jesus-centred, coffee-and-food-fuelled, 30 minute kids and families adventure.

Book for the next service NOW!!
at www.stratford-upon-avon.org/bubble-church
or scan the QR code





HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
STRATFORD-UPON-AVON

BUBBLE CHURCH





HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
STRATFORD-UPON-AVON

Blessing of the Bags Service Sun 6th Sept 10am

At Holy Trinity Church, we hope that you have a great Summer holiday!

We don't want to be like a supermarket already advertising "Back to School". But when it's time to start the new school year, why not come to our special **Blessing of the Bags Service** for all ages and bring your new school bag to be blessed. Adults can bring any work bags as well. If you're feeling a little nervous about the return to school, ease your jitters at our relaxed service.

Why not put the date in your diary now.

For more information contact Phil Harper
phil@stratford-upon-avon.org

TERM DATES

2026

17 July	Last day of school year
20 July	Training Day – school closed
1-2 September	Training Days – school closed
3 September	Return to school
26-30 October	Half term – school closed
21 December 2026 – 1 January 2027	Half term – school closed

2027

4 January 2027	Training Day – school closed
5 January 2027	Return to school
15-19 February	Half term – school closed
22 February	Return to school
26 March – 9 April	Half term – school closed
12 April	Return to school
3 May	Bank Holiday – school closed
31 May – 4 June	Half term
7 June	Training Day – school closed
8 June	Return to school
20 July	Last day of school year
21 July	Training Day – school closed

COMMUNITY NEWS

 A Bear Pit Theatre Company Production

Home, I'm Darling

by Laura Wade



Original Photography: designphotography.co.uk

18-26 September 2026

Tickets £15 - TheBearPit.org.uk

This amateur production of "Home, I'm Darling" is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals Ltd. on behalf of Samuel French Ltd. www.concordtheatricals.co.uk



Not one for the children, but parents may be interested in seeing Mr SK in a production of Lara Wade's funny and touching 'Home, I'm Darling' in September AT The Bear Pit Theatre.

READING GROUP FOR CHILDREN: THE NEXT CHAPTER

Starting Secondary School in September?
Come along to make some new friends and share the love of reading!



-  Rugby Library
-  Thursday 30th July
Thursday 13th August
Thursday 27th August
-  3:30 - 4:30pm
-  Drop in, no booking required



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 - Wednesday 5:30 to 6:30 PM
 - £9 per lesson
 - Stratford sports club
 - September 10th - December 17th



REWARD:

There are many cognitive and social benefits of learning an additional language. Sessions are full of fun games and activities suitable for all levels.

For adult and individual lessons please visit www.spanishwithmon.com



COMMUNITY NEWS



Join us for...

Musical Theatre & Dance SUMMER CAMP

Welcombe Hall, Stratford Upon Avon, CV37 6UA
9:30am-3:30pm
All you need is a packed lunch & drink. Squash, biscuits, arts and crafts will be provided on the day!

Disney Day (age 5-7)
Tuesday 21st July
A fun-filled day of singing, dancing and performing to favourite Disney songs and characters.

Wicked Workshop (age 8-12)
Friday 24th July
Explore songs and scenes from Wicked while developing performance skills, character & confidence.

Dance Day (age 8-12)
Monday 20th July
A full day of learning different dance styles including lyrical, hip hop & jazz.

K-Pop Day (age 5-7)
Monday 27th July
A high energy day of dance, music and performance inspired by fun pop routines and superstar vibes.

Greatest Showman Workshop (age 8-12)
Tuesday 28th July
Sing, dance and perform iconic numbers in this energetic workshop day.



LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE!
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Email: takethestageschool@outlook.com

1 day = £30
2 days = £58
3 days = £84

SUMMER HOLIDAY ART & NATURE WORKSHOPS

with Lucy James at Brook Arts Hub



27 - 31 JULY, 10am - 3pm
WHOLE WEEK: £100 - SINGLE DAY £25



TO BOOK GO TO:
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FOR KIDS

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Squash/cordial
Shampoo
Pasta sauce
Washing up liquid

Tinned chilli con carne
UHT fruit juice
Tinned stewed meat
Bleach
Instant whip

COMMUNITY NEWS



Uniform Swap Shop

AT STRATFORD TOWN TRUST COMMUNITY HUB

THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER



WHAT WE WANT

Please donate your unwanted quality uniform:
clothes, bag, shoes, PE kits for local primary and secondary schools
Clean & Nearly New

DROP IT OFF

At our Community Hub
between 9am and 4pm, Monday - Friday

BROWSE AND TAKE AWAY FOR FREE

Stratford Town Trust Community Hub, Venture House,
Avenue Farm Industrial Estate, CV37 0HR
www.stratfordtowntrust.co.uk



HAF Holiday Club

MORNINGS
20TH - 30TH
JULY



Adults must accompany children

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FOR EVERY
CHILD**

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Venture House, Avenue Farm
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AT THE DREAM FACTORY, WARWICK

JULY & AUGUST 2026

SUMMER HOLIDAY PROJECTS

FUN ★ CREATIVITY ★ CONFIDENCE ★ FRIENDS

INSPIRING WORKSHOPS FOR AGES 3-18



WORKSHOPS FOR
AGES 3-18



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- ★ STORYTELLING & IMAGINATIVE PLAY
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August 2026 Timetable

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Recordings available for 48 hours

School Anxiety	3 Aug 10am
Anxiety Explained	3 Aug 7pm
Facing Defiance	4 Aug 10am
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	4 Aug 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	10 Aug 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	10 Aug 7pm
Introduction to OCD	11 Aug 10am
Decreasing Depression	11 Aug 7pm
What is ACT?	17 Aug 10am
Improving Family Communication	17 Aug 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	18 Aug 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	18 Aug 7pm
FREE - Raising Self-Esteem	20 Aug 7-8pm
Understanding the Teenage Brain	24 Aug 10am
Understanding Anger	24 Aug 7pm
Autism: Improving Communication	25 Aug 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	25 Aug 7pm

Paper Fan Painting Workshop

Market Hall Museum

Tuesday 11th August

10.30am - 12noon or 1pm - 2.30pm

Join illustrator Jessica Hartshorn to paint beautiful watercolour artwork onto paper fans inspired by the Warwick Castle exhibition. Learn a range of techniques. Each child will have the opportunity to paint two fans each. Suitable for ages 7 - 12 yrs. £10 + booking fees. Spaces limited, book in advance.

Blood, Guts and Gore

Market Hall Museum

Wednesday 19th & Thursday 20th August, 10am - 2pm

Step back in time and uncover the gruesome and bloody history of medicine with a Stuart Doctor and their assistant. They will reveal strange cures and questionable treatments, including a pretend pig's bladder! Put your knowledge to the test with the kill or cure quiz, grind your own herbal remedy and take part in a craft activity. No need to book, just drop in. Suggested donation £3 per child.



ST JOHN'S HAUNTED HOUSE

Family Fossil Hunt

Cross Hands Quarry, near Moreton in the Marsh

Thursday 27th August, 11am - 2pm

Enjoy a day fossil hunting and explore our Jurassic past with expert guidance. You can keep anything you find! Children must be aged 7 and over. All children must be accompanied by an adult. All attendees must pay. £9 + booking fee. Spaces limited, book in advance.



Through the Shop Window: Family Trail

Follow this free family trail and discover which shops and businesses used to be in Warwick in the Victorian times. Find out what they sold to Warwick Castle. Complete your trail and get your map stamped at the Warwick Court House. Trail maps can be collected from Market Hall Museum, the Tourist Information Centre and shops around town. Don't forget to see the 'Warwick Castle Unboxed' exhibition at the Market Hall Museum when you pick up a trail map.

Museum Birthday Parties

Book for a Lego, Egyptians or Dinosaur Footprints party at Market Hall Museum. Our party leader will run crafts, games and activities. For ages 5 to 8. Available on Sundays for up to 20 children.

Find out more

HALLOWEEN - St John's Haunted House

29th October - 31st October, 10am - 5.30pm

Join us for spooky fun at St John's House in Warwick. Discover the traditional story of Sleeping Beauty and go on a trail through the woods, into the castle and watch out for the ogress! Make slime, take part in craft activities, potion making and messy play. Tickets: £12 children, £6 adults, 2 and under free. Spaces limited so book in advance.

TO BOOK EVENTS

www.warwickshire.gov.uk/heritageboxoffice



Tel: 01926 412069, 01926 412501
Market Hall Museum, Warwick, CV34 4SA
St John's House, Warwick CV34 4NF
Email: museum@warwickshire.gov.uk
www.heritage.warwickshire.gov.uk

Warwickshire Museum
@heritageandculturewarwickshire



What's On

Summer Holidays 2026



Family Fun Activities from
Heritage & Culture Warwickshire



Warwickshire
County Council

Holiday Activities

Events suitable for primary aged children unless stated.

Children must be accompanied by an adult. Some events require pre-booking.

Book at

www.warwickshire.gov.uk/heritageboxoffice

Market Hall Museum Summer Trail

18th July - 29th August

Tuesdays - Saturdays, 10am - 5pm

Come and explore the museum with our Family Museum Trail. Discover the stories of Warwick Castle, spot the observation beehive, see our Roman coin hoards and uncover the rich history of Warwickshire along the way. Free.



Museum in the Park

St Nicholas Park, Warwick

Tuesday 21st July, 10am - 2pm

Join us for 'Museum in the Park' for castle themed activities and crafts inspired by our new exhibition at Market Hall Museum 'Warwick Castle Unboxed'. Plus Warwickshire Libraries will be with us for more holiday fun. Find us by the tennis courts. Free, no need to book, just drop in.

Kim the Baby Elephant - Art Day

Market Hall Museum

Tuesday 28th & Wednesday 29th July, 10am - 3pm

Over 100 years ago a baby elephant, called Kim, used to live at Warwick Castle. Make your own baby elephant to take home. A drop-in workshop led by renowned artist Darrell Wakelam. Darrell uses simple materials and methods to create beautiful art. This opportunity to make something to take home with Darrell is not to be missed. No need to book, just drop in. Suggested donation £3 per child.

St John's Playhouse

St John's House, Warwick

Tuesday 4th & Wednesday 5th August

10am - 3pm

We are turning St John's House, Warwick into a life size playhouse again this summer. Bring your friends and family for day out and bring a picnic.



- * Play in the lifesize Victorian kitchen
- * Get creative with outdoor painting and crafts
- * Play with garden games
- * Dance and dress up in the ballroom
- * Create your own cardboard castle
- * Enjoy storytelling sessions
- * Use your imagination and build a den
- * Play with replica Victorian toys and games
- * Beat your friends at board games
- * Journey across Warwickshire on a play map
- * Visit the Victorian schoolroom and school maam
- And much, much more

For ages 1 - 7 years,

£8 per child (0 - 12 months free), £4 per adult, + booking fee. Spaces limited, book in advance.

Activities takes place in the garden and both floors of the house. The first floor is not wheelchair accessible. Hot drinks available to buy, cash only. Don't forget to bring a picnic and blanket!

English Civil War

Reenactment Weekend

St John's House, Warwick

Saturday 8th August, 10am - 5pm &

Sunday 9th August, 10am - 4pm

Step back in time and experience the drama of the English Civil War at St John's House and Gardens.

Meet the Worcester Reenactors and explore their authentic Civil War encampment. Discover what life was really like for parliamentary soldiers and civilians through thrilling drill displays, musket gunfire, living history demonstrations and crafts.



FAMILY SUMMER FUN

Wander through the historic house to uncover period rooms, displays and stories from the Civil War era, bringing this remarkable site to life. There will also be a variety of trade stalls offering living-history goods, crafts and period-inspired items to buy.

A fantastic day out for history lovers and families alike!

Tickets £6 per adult, £4 per child, under 5s free. Tickets valid for one day only. Spaces limited, book in advance. Coffee Cup Cabin will be serving hot/cold drinks and cakes.

COMMUNITY NEWS

This summer, Warwickshire Libraries is offering a range of free activities to help children and families stay engaged with reading throughout the holidays.

The **Summer Reading Challenge: Read to the Beat** launches on **Saturday 4 July**, inviting children to enjoy a music-themed reading journey, earn rewards and celebrate their reading achievements. You can find out more at:

summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

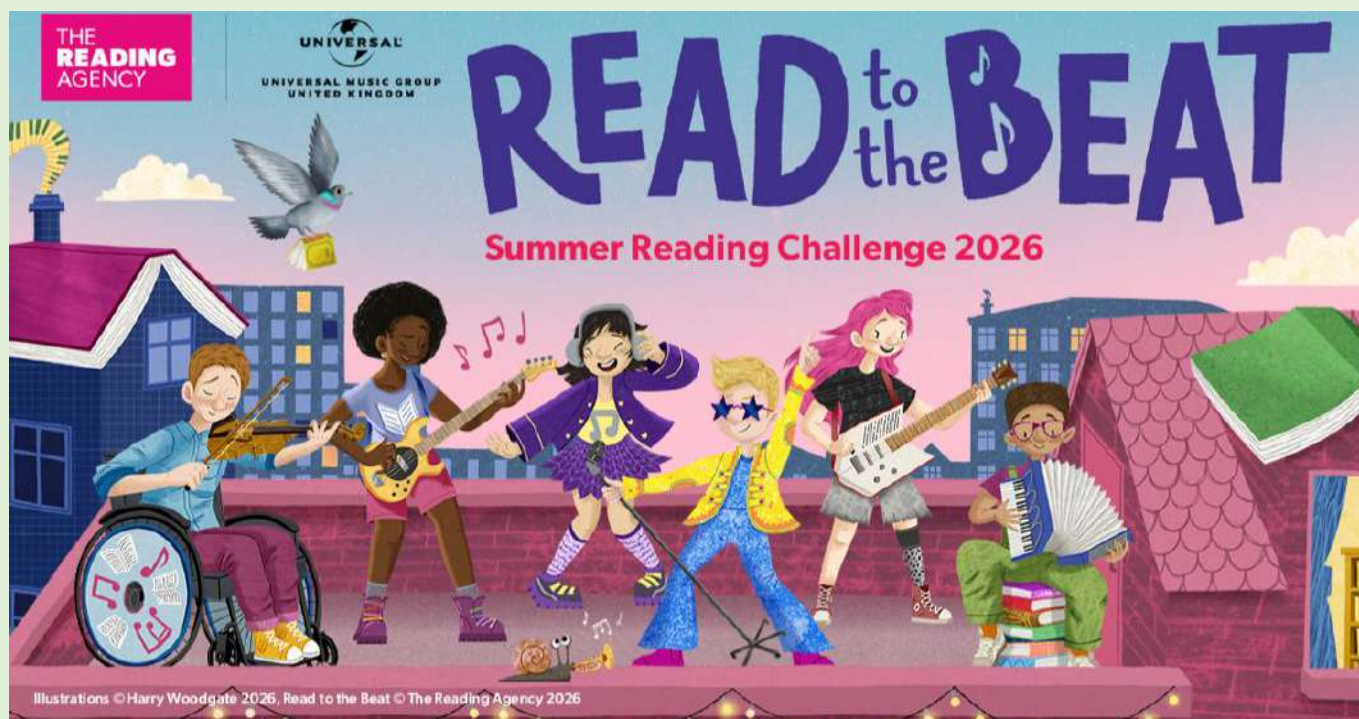
Alongside the challenge, libraries across Warwickshire will be running free activities, including music workshops, digital sound sessions, dance events and Summer Reading Challenge clubs.

For families looking for an additional reading activity, our [Family Book Bingo](#) encourages shared reading and can be completed alongside the Summer Reading Challenge.

There are also opportunities for teens, including [Teen Book Bingo](#), the [Young Poet Laureate Competition](#) and our Young Volunteers Programme.

We would be grateful if you could encourage families to visit their local library, sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge and take part in our free summer activities.

The full programme of summer events can be found on [Eventbrite](#) and in the [Warwickshire Libraries What's On guide](#).





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FEBRUARY

16-20

EASTER HOLIDAYS

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30-10

MAY HALF-TERM

MAY

26-29

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

JULY AUG

20-21

AGES 4-12

9AM - 5PM
UP TO 8AM - 6PM

USE TAX-FREE
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BOOK BY DAY OR
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PARK LIFE READS

WARWICKSHIRE LIBRARIES' ANNUAL **FREE**
FAMILY FESTIVAL!



RIVERSLEY PARK, NUNEATON

SATURDAY 1ST AUGUST 2026 | 10AM - 4PM

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE **FREE!**

NO TICKETS NEEDED. FREE, DROP-IN EVENT

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FACE PAINTING

PETTING ZOO

HENNA

STORYTELLING

POETRY

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ARCHERY

BUBBLE SHOWS

ARTS & CRAFTS

GIANT PUPPET SHOW

AND MORE!



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EVENT INFORMATION



Warwickshire
Libraries
United to Achieve



Nuneaton Borough
Council



Riversley Park



ARTS COUNCIL
ENGLAND



Job title:	Family Wellbeing Facilitator – Schools/Community Programme
Department:	Family Wellbeing Team
Responsible to:	Family Wellbeing Lead and Head Teacher/SENDCO
Accountable to:	Parenting Project Trustees
Area:	Warwick CV34
Work base:	2 Primary Schools in Warwick, Parenting Project Head Office and working from home.
Hours:	30 hours a week
Contract Term:	Permanent
Salary:	£28,244 FTE Salary Term time working arrangements would be considered

Closing date: Midnight on 29/07/2026
Interviews to be held on: 3rd August 2026

For an application form please email: headoffice@parentingproject.org

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for ages 12 - 18 years

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& at The Stratford Town Trust Community Hub in
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Monday 10th - Friday 14th, 10am to 3:30pm

Monday 17th - Friday 21st, 10am to 3:30pm



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