

Parkside Primary School & Little Explorers Nursery

Come as you are and leave as a champion!



Message from Mrs Bell—Headteacher

It has been an absolute pleasure to welcome the children back this week. The way that they have settled back into school life has been phenomenal. Thank you for your support in ensuring that they have been on time for school and with their uniform, they certainly do look very smart!

Welcome to all of our new children and families. They have all settled exceptionally well and we hope that you already feel part of our Parkside family.

This week the children have really discussed what it means to be proud to be Parkside and how this fits in with our school motto Come as you are and leave as a champion. The children expressed, in a very mature manner, about their pride in belonging to Parkside, the pride that they show in themselves and their learning and how they can impact into the wider community to have shared ethos.

In our assembly today we reflected on the extremely sad news of HRH Queen Elizabeth II passing. We thought about our memories from our jubilee celebrations and the significance of the Queen as the leader of our monarchy for the past 70 years. The event has no doubt provoked some discussion with the children about their own experiences of loss. We have reassured the children that we are always here for them to talk to and explore any feelings that they may have.

Reverend Elaine from St Bertelin's Church would also like to offer the support of the church for prayer or reflection. There will also be flowers and a book of condolence at St Mary's Church in Stafford.

Have a restful weekend and we look forward to seeing the children on Monday



This week our whole school attendance is
99% (what a great start)

Well done Parkside, do you think we could reach
100% next week?



Stafford Town U11 girls are looking for new players

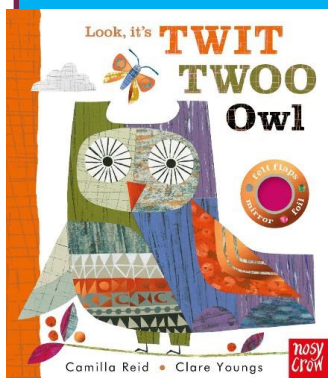
Stafford Town are looking for new under 11 Girls players for the 2022/23 season to play in Staffordshire Girls and Ladies League.

Training is on Tuesday nights 6 –7 at Stafford Town FC, Fairway, Stafford, ST16 3TL

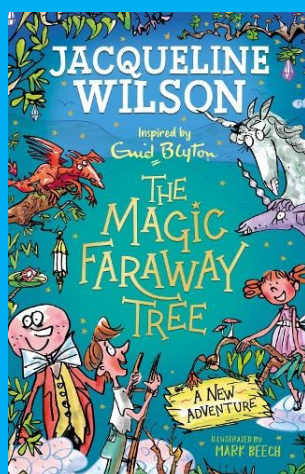
If your child is in year 5 to 6 as of the 31st August 2022 and is interested in playing football or you want some more information please contact

Rich Allen on 07790497486

Our Recommended Reads of the Week



Introducing an exciting multi-sensory board book series written by Camilla Reid, with illustrations from acclaimed collage artist Clare Youngs! All pre-schoolers will adore Clare Youngs' friendly animals with their high-contrast collage artwork, decorative foil highlights and signature animal noises - but there's a tiny creature to find behind a tuggable felt flap on each spread, too!



Three kids, Milo, Mia and Birdy, are on a countryside holiday when they wander into an Enchanted Wood. Among the whispering leaves, there is a beautiful tree that stands high above the rest. The Magic Faraway Tree is home to remarkable creatures including a fairy called Silky, her best friend Moonface and more.

PE DAYS

Reception TUESDAY
 Year 1 (Mrs Dawson) FRIDAY
 Year 2/1 (Miss Timms/Mrs Harris) TUESDAY
 Year 3 (Miss Miles) FRIDAY
 Year 3/4 (Miss Padgham/Mr Bennett) THURSDAY
 Year 5 (Mr Tatton) WEDNESDAY
 Year 5 (Mrs Stanton) THURSDAY
 Year 6 (Mrs Salter) THURSDAY (SWIMMING,
 PLEASE BRING SWIMWEAR/TOWEL)
 Year 6 (Mrs Clowes) THURSDAY (Normal PE, to
 swim after half term)

After school Clubs Start

Monday 12th September

Environmental Week in School

Diary Dates

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GLOW YOUTH CLUB



**A NEW YOUTH CLUB IS STARTING IN
STAFFORD!**

Fridays, fortnightly! (Starting 2nd Sept)

Year 1-6-----5pm-6:15pm

Year 7-11-----6:30pm-7:45pm

Free entry

Tuck Shop

Games

The Salvation Army,
Faraday Road, ST16 3NQ

Tel: 01785 257676

