

# Happening in Courthouse Green.

## CGNIN

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### Questions:

- Did you go on a trip in Nursery? Where?
- What skills do you think the younger children learnt?
- Do you think they were nervous? Why?
- Would you like to help young children when you are older? Why?

Nursery children went on an amazing trip to Ryton Pools last week. It was part of their work on mini-beasts and required them to search the countryside for insects! They were lucky enough to see worms, butterflies, ladybirds and even ducks!

We spoke to some of the children who told us:

“We went into the forest and found a pirate flag!”

Hooria YR N

“The funniest moment was when our teacher slid down a slide.”

Zain YR N

## Happening in Coventry.

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### Questions:

- **Why does the council want to bring in 20mph zones?**
- **Why are motorists cross about the decision?**
- **What is more important- short journey times or people's safety?**
  - **What do you think? Why?**

### SLOW DOWN.

Coventry council is imposing a 20 mph speed limit on almost all residential roads in the city despite evidence the schemes have little affect on road safety.

The council argues that if a person is hit by a car at 20mph there is only a 1.5 per cent chance of a life threatening injury. If a person is hit at 30mph the chance is 8 per cent.

But motorists say that it is too slow and will make journeys take much longer. They also say there is no proof that there are less serious injuries in 20mph zones. They also say it will cost £10,000 per “zone” and that this is too much!

The latest areas to be targeted include Purcell Road. Residents in the area have been sent information packs asking them to have their say on the scheme.

# Happening in the UK.

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I was PM from 1979 to 1990. They called me the 'iron lady'.

A new prime minister?

Our prime minister, David Cameron, decided to quit his job after the UK decided to leave the EU. He will leave his post in October and already politicians are trying to take his place.

Two of the politicians, expected to win are Theresa May and Michael Gove.

## Questions:

- Why is David Cameron leaving his job?
- Tell your partner 3 things about Michael Gove.
- Tell your partner 3 things about Theresa May.
- Who do you want to be the new prime minister? Why?
- Do you think it is good that a female is favourite to win?
- Who was the last female prime minister?



## Home Secretary Theresa May:

- 59-year-old.
- She is favourite to win.
- She's held the Home Office brief (responsible for the police, British Visas and Immigration, and the Security Service (MI5).)
- She says she can offer the "strong leadership" and unity the UK needs, and promised a "positive vision" for the country's future.
- She wanted to stay in the EU.



## Justice Secretary Michael Gove:

- 48-year-old.
- Used to be a newspaper columnist.
- He was education secretary between 2010 and 2014 and made lots of changes to schools.
- He is now Ministry of Justice (In charge of courts and prisons).
- He wanted the UK to leave the EU.
- He said he will bring lots of change to the UK.

# WEAR SOMETHING BLUE



We have some **urgent** information for you. We all have a duty of care to work together to save as much water as we can. Year 4 have chosen the charity 'Water Aid' as part of their PSCHE unit 'Making a Difference'. Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July will be 'Wear Something Blue' Day. Also, make sure you visit our stall at the Summer Fayre, where you have the chance to win some **special** prizes from Severn Trent.

## Severn Trent's Top Tips for Saving Water:

- \*Only have a 4 minute shower to save water- 4 minutes or less is the best!
- \*Turn the tap off when you brush your teeth
- \*Avoid using a hose pipe, instead use a bucket and water to wash your car
- \*Wash your dishes by rinsing them in a bowl
- \*Store grease and fat in containers- pouring them down your sink will block your drains

Did you know that 97% of the world's water comes from rivers and seas?

2% is from the ice mainly in the South Pole which leaves only 1% for us to drink and use!

- \*How do you save water? Any more ideas?
- \*Why do you think it is important to save water?
- \*Why do you think we will be wearing something blue?