To all Parents/Carers

EMERGENCY ARRANGEMENTS

In the event of an unscheduled school closure

Each year we publish details of a programme which school will follow in the event of a sudden emergency, e.g. severe weather, burst pipes, fire etc. This year it will be as follows and we ask you to **PLEASE KEEP THIS SECTION IN A SAFE PLACE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.**

- We shall ask **BBC Radio Shropshire (96FM) and Free Radio (103.1FM)** to transmit details between 7am and 8am, and details should appear on the BBC Radio Shropshire website **www.bbc.co.uk/shropshire**
- If the school is closing we shall send a text message alert to parents via the My Ed messaging system.
- Parents can ring the Shropshire Council's Snowline number 0345 6789073 or refer to school closures on their website www.shropshire.gov.uk/schools.nsf
- If there is more widespread severe weather the Shropshire Council Authority will activate a **Helpline** for parents. (When operating, the Helpline number will be given out by the Radio Stations).

Otherwise, if parents are doubtful about the school opening, they should contact their nearest Parent Contact (below). The school will inform these contacts and they have kindly agreed to relay details.

Pupils travelling by school bus should wait at the usual place for 30 minutes after the usual pick-up time. If the bus does not arrive, return home. This is normal practice for every morning in case the bus is delayed.

ALL PARENTS/CARERS ARE ASKED TO MAKE ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THEIR CHILD IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY AT SCHOOL DURING THE WORKING DAY. E.G. SUDDEN SEVERE SNOW, OR SOME OTHER EMERGENCY, WHICH MAY MAKE IT NECESSARY TO SEND CHILDREN HOME EARLY.

The following is a list of contacts if the school has to be closed in an emergency. The Head will contact the first person on the list and the chain will run as follows:-

Parents' "Snowball" List 2017-2018

Mrs Cooke	01939 260404	Burlton
Mrs Weetman	01691 682652	Kinnerley/Knockin
Mrs Jina	01691 610528	West Felton
Mrs Hadwick	07513 911516	Melverley
Mrs Reynolds	01743 851266	Montford Bridge/Bicton
Mrs Dibble	01939 290984	Shrewsbury
Mrs Blenkinsop	01939 290184	Myddle/Fenemere
Mrs Beath	01939 291875	Harmer Hill
Mrs Mason	01939 290468	Bomere Heath
Mr Hawks & Ms Appleby	01743 850506	Grafton/Fitz
Mrs Chew	07414989220	Nesscliffe
Mrs Langley	01939 261115	Ruyton-XI-Towns
Mrs Benson	01939 260980	Weston Lullingfields/Stanwardine
Mrs Hall	01939 261290	Baschurch

Parents are advised to tune into the following radio stations:-

BBC Radio Shropshire (96FM) Free Radio Shropshire (103.1FM)

Please can parents ensure the school has their current contact details, preferably a mobile number (for TEXTS), in case of emergency. A copy of the above Emergency Arrangements will be available on the school website www.corbetschool.net

The Head