BISHOP SUTTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER 11

3rd March 2023



Mon 6 th	Cygnets to Folly Farm (details sent)
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Tues 7th Y6 Football Tournament (9 a side) at CVS (details sent)

Thurs 9th Cookery for Ducklings - morning

Monday 13th Parent/teacher consultations (all classes - after school, apart from Wrens)

Tues 14th Parent/teacher consultations (all classes – after school apart from Cyanets & Wrens)

Wed 15th NEU Strike Action Day (information to follow) Thurs 16th NEU Strike Action Day (information to follow)

Fri 17th Cookery for Wrens — all day (re-arranged date because of strike action)

Red Nose Day (details to follow)

Mon 20th Cookery for Kingfishers – all day

Ducklings to Victoria Art Gallery, Bath (details to follow)

Fri 24th PTA Glow Disco (details below)

Mon 27th Herons to Folly Farm (details to follow)

2.30pm Maths Mastery overview for Ducklings' parents (school hall)

Tues 28th Swallows Class violin performance 2.45pm (see below) Thurs 30th Easter Celebration Assembly in School Hall 2pm

Fri 31st Last day of Term 4

PTA Easter Fair (details to follow)

Don't forget all the dates are on the website.

School News

Update from Mr Cook



Since the last newsletter, Herons and Swans classes have had their cookery days. Next week it's the turn of Ducklings on Thursday 9th March. A big thank you to the PTA for supporting this wonderful experience for the children.

Matilda

Last Friday the children in Y5 went to Chew Valley School to see an amazing performance of Matilda the musical - starring many ex-pupils including Maddie in the lead role! One child reported: We thoroughly enjoyed our visit to Chew Valley School last Friday to see their production of Matilda. We thought it was amazing, brilliant, exciting and inspiring! Many of us have said that we would love to be a part of a performance like that when we go to secondary school.



Safeguarding Training for volunteers

Many thanks to the parents who were able to attend the training on Tuesday this week. If you were unable to make the training and would like to be updated, please contact Mr Marriott via the school office.

Runaway Brass (Quintet)



On Monday 27th Feb, children in Y5/6 enjoyed a stunning performance by the Runaway Brass Quintet. (Runaway Brass are conservatoire students at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama). Children heard a variety of well-known pieces and learnt about the main brass instruments. You really can't beat live music!

Netball Y3/4 Festival

Well done to the children in Wrens and Swans classes who competed in the recent Netball Festival; staff and students at Chew Valley School noted the children's exemplary behaviour and excellent sporting skills. Well done children!

World Book Day

We have had a very exciting morning in school celebrating World Book Day and there were some absolutely amazing costumes! After our usual celebration assembly children went in the house teams to share books and marvel at the costumes.





You may recall that we set a 'first line challenge' every Friday and the children have to see if they can identify the title of the book and the author. This week's first line is 'The platform was a battlefield: seventy yards of carnage transplanted straight from the coasts of northern France. Smoke billowed: people clung to each other'. Solution in assembly next week.

Swallows Class Violin Performance

On Tuesday 28th March, Swallow class parents are invited to come into school at 2:45pm to hear the class perform a couple of the songs that they have learnt in their violin lessons. It will be a brilliant opportunity to celebrate everything they have learnt so far. We hope you can make it!

Certificates

Well done to the following children who received certificates (for hard work or positive attitude or great behaviour or good manners etc) in the last three celebration assemblies:



Ducklings	Cygnets	Herons	Wrens
Kira, Eleanor, Freddie	Xanthe, Connor,	Sammy, Luca, Austin,	Olivia, Bonnie, Lenny &
W, Freddie D, Albie,	Florence, Daniil, Eliza,	Freddie, Ellie, Harry,	Santi
Amelia & Amelie	Harvey & Sophia	Alex & Alby	
Swans	Swallows	Kingfishers	Headteacher Awards
Swans Georgie, Mia, Henry,	Swallows Fearne, Isabell, Finnlay,	Kingfishers Sophie, Annabel, Joe,	Headteacher Awards Charlotte, Lara, Fred,

Note: the records are made by Y6 children so apologies if there are any omissions/mistakes

I hope you all enjoy a wonderful weekend! DC

PTA

March

Fri 24th - Spring GLOW Disco (PTA)

Fri 31st - Easter Fair (PTA)

May

Fri 5th Kings Coronation celebration

PTA news

GLOW DISCO

Tickets are selling fast for the spring GLOW disco on **Friday 24th March** in Bishop Sutton Village Hall. Choose from the earlier disco at 5.30pm - 6:45pm or the later one at 7:15pm - 8:30pm. DJ & party games, lucky dip, kids pocket money treats, parents cash bar and raffle!

Tickets £2 only for adults and £4 for kids. Get your tickets online now using the link below.

BUY TICKETS

Win an iPhone 14 Pro!

Buy a Your School Lottery ticket before Saturday 25th March, and you'll be in the draw to win a top-of-the-line iPhone 14 Pro! With a massive 48-megapixel camera, a crystal clear 6.1" display, and 128GB of storage – along with all the speed and processing power you'd expect, this really is the upgrade you've been waiting for! There's not long to go before the big draw - so don't miss out, get your tickets today!

That's on top of the weekly local cash prize and the chance to win the £25,000 national jackpot! **BUY TICKETS FOR JUST £1**

Easyfundraising

You can turn your weekly grocery shopping into big donations for Bishop Sutton School Society, Bristol when you use Easyfundraising.

FIND OUT MORE

Textile Recycling

Are you having a spring clear out? You can recycle your unwanted textiles in the textile bank by the back school gates and raise money for the school. For every tonne of textiles placed in the bank, we receive £300 from C & G Collections! So you can raise money for the school and ensure textiles are reused rather than go to land fill!

Other Events



Somerset Soccer Schools Holiday Camps 2023

Following 25 years of successful courses, Richard Bourton and Somerset Soccer Schools are running more holiday soccer camps this year. Their Easter and Whitsun Camps will be held at Kings of Wessex School, Cheddar on Tuesday 11/4/23 to Friday 14/4/23 and Wednesday 31/5/23 to Friday 2/6/23. Their Summer camps are Monday 24/7/23 to 28/7/23 at Cheddar and Monday 21/8/23 to Fri 25/8/23 at Churchill. Richard is a qualified teacher and coach of 35 years' experience. The courses are open to boys and girls from Reception right up to Yr 8 and cost from only £16/day. Players are grouped according to age and ability and all receive an engraved trophy upon course completion. For more details, contact and to book directly just visit www.somersetsoccerschools.com

The 2023 Chew Valley 10k Is Open for Entries!

This year's Chew Valley 10k will take place on Sunday 11th June at 9.30am and entries are now open!

Come and join in our fun community event on this beautiful, rural route from Bishop Sutton Village Hall, with plenty of friendly marshals to support you and a bespoke event medal for all finishers! Bishop Sutton School Society will once again be a main beneficiary and if you would like to raise additional funds, you can create a Sportsgiving fundraising page at the click of a button on the entry page.

There are a range of categories and all runners will also be able to upload a professional photo of themselves in action. All details and to enter can be found at www.chewvalley10k.co.uk and you can keep up-to-date by following the event on Facebook, Instagram & Twitter - thank you for your support - we hope you can join us!

Term Dates for the Academic Year	2022-23
Term 4	Monday 20 February2023 – Friday 31 March 2023
Easter Holiday	Monday 03 April 2023 – Friday 14 April 2023
Term 5	Monday 17 April 2023 – Friday 26 May 2023
Half Term	Monday 29 May 2023 – Friday 2 June
Inset Day	Monday 5 June 2023
Term 6	Tuesday 6 June 2023 – Friday 21 July 2023

Term Dates for the Academic Year	2023-24
Inset Day	Friday 1 st September 2023
Inset Day	Monday 4 th September 2023
Term 1	Tuesday 5 th September 2023 – Thursday 19 th October 2023
Inset Day	Friday 20 th October 2023
Half Term Holiday	Monday 23 rd October 2023– Friday 27 th October 2023
Term 2	Monday 30 th October 2023 – Friday 15 th December 2023
Inset Day	Friday 17 th November 2023
Christmas Holiday	Monday 18 th December 2023 – Monday 1 st January 2024
Term 3	Tuesday 2 nd January 2024 –Friday 9 th February 2024
Half Term Holiday	Monday 12 th February 2024 – Friday 16 th February 2024
Inset Day	Monday 19 th February 2024
Term 4	Tuesday 20 th February 2024- Thursday 28 th March 2024
Easter Holiday	Friday 29 th March 2024 – Friday 12 th April 2024
Term 5	Monday 15 th April 2024 – Friday 24 th May 2024
Half Term Holiday	Monday 27 th May 2024 – Friday 31 st May 2024
Inset Day	Monday 3 rd June 2024
Term 6	Tuesday 4 th June 2024 – Tuesday 23 rd July 2024

DEADLINE FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER 13 th March 2023
The newsletter is also available on our website http://bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk