



Stanton Drew Newsletter

Monday 13th June 2022



1st June - Poppy
5th June - Pippa
9th June - Clarice
13th June - Flo M.



Please keep sending in your used stamps for recycling. There is a box in the school entrance.

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Dear Parents

I hope you all enjoyed the half term holiday - welcome back to what is already an extremely busy T6!

Message from B&NES Public Health Team to support Y6 transition

Dear Parents and Carers,

On 5th July 6.30 – 7.30 pm, B&NES Public Health Team are hosting a **free online information evening for parents and carers, on the theme of feeling good about the move up to secondary school**. The session will be suitable for Year 6 children so the whole family can attend if they want to. It will show case some lovely resources produced in partnership with young people that families can look at together as they get ready over the summer. To register for this free online event [click here](#). The session lasts 1 hour.

Bath & North East Somerset Council
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Mind Bath

**Moving up:
preparing for
secondary school**

Fun and informative session on moving up

For year 6's and their parents/carers

Online event:
Tuesday 5th July
6:30pm - 7:30pm

Book your space

Brought to you by Bath Mind's Room 627 project
co-led by Oldfield School Wellbeing Ambassadors



Parent Survey

It's that time of year again when we survey all school stakeholders for their views on the work that we have been doing over the last year. The link for the survey for parents is here:

<https://forms.office.com/r/wf14SVct6P>

We know that we are overdue an OfSTED inspection at some stage and the questions are based on the standard OfSTED questionnaire. Incidentally,

when we do receive an inspection alert, parents are asked to complete a separate survey as OfSTED will not accept another format... (Just for additional information, staff have just completed their survey and Y6 pupils will complete their exit survey in a few weeks). All of these are really useful in determining priorities for next year and beyond, so thank you in advance for completing this. The closing date is midnight on Wednesday 29th June. As we did earlier this year, we will publish an overview later in the term and a general response in Term 1.

School Administrator update

We have been successful in our search for a replacement for Mrs Clubbe! Mrs Paula Ware starts on Monday 4th July – we look forward to welcoming her in due course. We also have Mrs Jemma Green starting in September on a temporary contract to provide some additional support for the office. In the meantime, Mrs Phillips, Mrs Richards, Mrs Dimmock and Mr Marriott are all doing an amazing job of trying to cover the main duties, thank you!

Y2 Folly Farm visit

On Wednesday evening last week, Y2 visited Folly Farm for the final trip this year for Badger Watch photos below. We began by pulling apart owl pellets to see what the owls had eaten for their dinner before playing some fun games after tea. The children stayed amazingly quiet in the hope of seeing some badgers but unfortunately the badgers did not come out to entertain, however the visit was thoroughly entertaining! Folly Farm have said that if any families want to go there to watch the badgers after the longest day, they are welcome to just turn up and get the children to guide them to the right spot.



Queen's Platinum Jubilee

Hopefully you all enjoyed our Platinum Jubilee celebrations here at school. It was a wonderful occasion to join together and enjoy the first of many jubilee scones as well as hear the children sing some songs. We even had some lovely compliments from our neighbours about how lovely it was to hear the children sing. A big thank you to **Stanton Drew Friends** for making and supplying the cakes for parents and relatives to buy.



We are anticipating a delivery of books celebrating the Queen's long reign any day soon – we'll distribute as soon as we receive for the children to enjoy.

Note on PE kits (and uniform generally)

Reminder for all parents – please make sure that your child is wearing the 'regulation' PE kits on the relevant days. We've seen some 'modifications' recently and this makes it really difficult for other parents to ensure that their child is wearing the correct kit. The details setting out our expectations are on the website here:

<https://www.bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk/page/?title=Uniform&pid=175>

Thank you.

Clubs update

As you will know, we were very disappointed at the short notice provided by The Sports Project last week cancelling Athletics Club. Having spoken to them last week and again today, **we can confirm that Athletics Club WILL be going ahead starting tomorrow**. Club finishes at 4.15pm, pick up from the side gate as normal please. (Unfortunately, there are not enough children for the Street Dance Club to take place. Perhaps one to explore next year now). Any additional bookings for athletics can be made here:

<https://the-sports-project.class4kids.co.uk/>

Sports Day reminder (and see other dates below)

Sports day (afternoon) will take place on the afternoon of Monday 4th July, with the reserve date set for a week later on Monday 11th July.

Dates for your diary (additions/changes in bold):

Wednesday 15 th June	T5/6 Quadkids Festival at CVS
Thursday 16 th June	YR Meerkats to Redpoint Climbing Centre, Bristol
Monday 20 th June	Meerkats (YR, Y1, Y2) trip to Bristol Suspension Bridge
Tuesday 28th June	Y1 in Meerkats to Tag Tails Festival at Bishop Sutton FC
Monday 4 th July	Sports Day (afternoon)
Monday 11 th July	Reserve Sports Day (afternoon)
Friday 1st July	Wrong Trousers day (details to follow)
Tuesday 5th July	Y6 transition day (for CVS students)
Friday 8th July	Annual reports out to parents
Thursday 21 st July	Last day of Term 6

Diary Dates

2021-2022

Term 5	25 th April 2022 – 27 th May 2022
Half Term	30 th May 2022 – 3 rd June 2022
Term 6	6 th June 2022 – 21 st July 2022
INSETS	Friday 27 th May

2021-2022

Term 1	01 September 2022 – 21 October 2022
Half Term	
Term 2	31 October 2022 – 16 December 2022
Christmas Break	
Term 3	03 January 2023 – 10 February 2023
Half Term	
Term 4	20 February 2023 – 31 March 2023
Easter Break	
Term 5	17 April 2023 – 26 May 2023
Half Term	
Term 6	05 June 2023 – 21 July 2023
INSETS	Thurs 1 st Sept, Fri 2 nd Sept, Mon 21 st Oct, Tues 3 rd Jan and Mon 5 th June

Change in Calendar

Please note that the end of this academic year is now Thursday 21st July 2022 NOT Friday 22nd July due to the Queen's Platinum Jubilee falling during the summer half term holiday.

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BE A CHORISTER FOR A DAY at Wells Cathedral



SATURDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 2022

Wells Cathedral invites boys and girls between the ages of seven and nine to come and meet the Choristers, find out about Chorister life, and sing at Cathedral Evensong

For more details, and to book your place, please contact:
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