

12th January 2024



January

Thurs 18th Year 3 and 4 netball CVS – email sent

February

Thurs 1st Herons gymnastics CVS – email to follow

Wed 7th Herons Folly Farm visit – email to follow

Thurs 8th Cygnets Folly Farm visit – email to follow

Frid 9th End of Term 3

Mon 19th Inset day – school closed

Tues 20th Start of Term 4

All the dates are also published on the Federation website. Additions or changes will be in bold

School News

Update from Mr Cook

Happy New Year and welcome back to another busy term! I hope you all enjoyed a restful and peaceful Christmas and managed to find time to relax and celebrate with families and friends.

Cygnets

Children in Year 1 have been making Tudor houses from cardboard boxes, they then placed them in a row to imitate a town in the forest area, and lit a fire to show how quickly the fire spread during the Great Fire of London...



Performance Tables

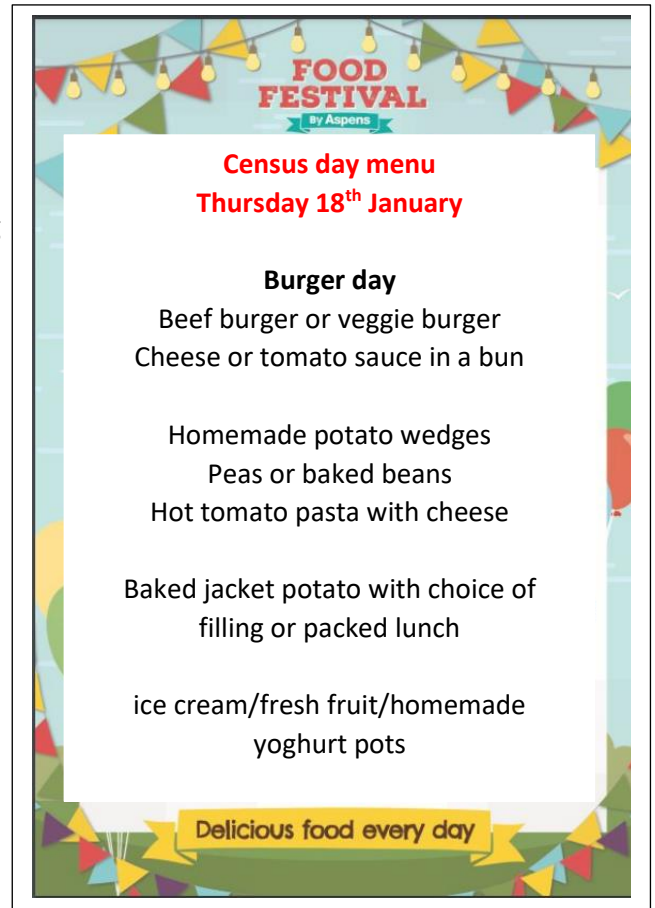
We are very proud to report that our school ranked joint second highest for reading in the recent Banes performance tables, meaning that progress is good at our school. We also ranked 12th in reading, writing and maths overall compared to 72 primary schools in Banes. Well done children!



Census day menu VOTE

Thursday 18th January is census day in school. Please encourage your child/ren to have a school meal on this day as the school will benefit from funding for every meal ordered.

This term, Aspens have asked the children to vote on what they would like to eat on Census day. The winning vote was burgers! We hope the children will all enjoy a burger on census day.



New Menu

Please see the new school dinner menu attached, which runs from week commencing 19th February.

Ducklings

Children in our Reception class have started forest schools again on a Wednesday this term. They really enjoyed toasting marshmallows with their friends from Stanton Drew Primary.



Parent Assemblies

If you would like to come into school to talk to the children about your job, in a class or assembly, please let us know. We would love to hear from you.

Swallows

As part of their science unit on space, year 5 made pocket solar systems this week. These will be a useful resource to refer back to throughout the unit.



New Reception class 2024

The deadline to apply for a place in our Reception class is the 15th January 2024. Applications should be made to your local authority. We look forward to welcoming you.

Banes - <https://parent.bathnes.gov.uk/web/portal/pages/parents/admissions>

Bristol - <https://www.bristol.gov.uk/residents/schools-learning-and-early-years/school-admissions/primary-admissions/primary-apply>

Free School Meals – message from Banes Council – please see attached poster also

Is your household earned income/take home pay below **£616.67 per month**?

Is your child missing out on Benefit Related Free School Meals?

If your household earned income/take home pay is below £616.67 per month, (which is equivalent to £7,400 per year) and your child attends a Bath & North East Somerset academy or maintained school then you could be entitled to Benefit Related Free School Meals?

Your household income is the figure that Universal Credit use to work out how much Universal Credit to pay you, not your actual Universal Credit payment.

If your child is in Reception, Year 1, or Year two and receives Universal Infant Free School Meals, you can still apply for the Benefit Related Free School Meals.

Please do not reapply if your child is already in receipt of Benefit Related Free School Meals.

Ways to apply:

- Online via the following link: <https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>
- You can ask your child's school for an application form
- You can make a telephone application by calling 01225 394317. If you reach our answerphone, please leave a message and we will call you back.

For more details, please visit our website at: <https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

After school clubs – Term 3

If your child is in receipt of benefit-related free school meals they may attend the after school clubs we offer free of charge (this does not include the daily wrap around care to 6pm). Please contact the office to sign up.

NEW - Y2 to Y6 Choir - with Mr Cook

A new club for T3 and T4 every Thursday after school 3.10pm to 4.15pm - a chance to enjoy singing together. Music will be chosen from a range of years and styles - hopefully something for all to enjoy. Please sign up for the club on the form here: <https://forms.office.com/e/9z4nhYdkY4>

Multi-sports – Akeel will be running a multi-sports club every Tuesday for Years 2-4. Please use this link to book

<https://getsported.org/BishopSuttonPrimarySchoolYears2to4MultiSportsClub2024Term3>

Dodgeball – Akeel will be running a dodgeball club again every Wednesday next term for Years 3-6. If you would like to book, please follow this link –

<https://getsported.org/BishopSuttonPrimarySchoolYears3to6DodgeballClub2024Term3>

KS1 Football – Akeel will be running a football club for Years 1 and 2 on a Friday. Please use this link to book -

<https://getsported.org/BishopSuttonPrimarySchoolYears1and2FootballClub2024Term3>

KS2 Football – Rob Maggs will be continuing his football club every Tuesday from 9th January. To book, please email rob.maggs@bathcricket.com.

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 two celebration assemblies:



Ducklings	Cygnets	Hérons	Wrens
Freddie	Sebby	Harvey	Lyla
Joey	Sophie	Florence	Alex
	Freddie		Ella
Swans	Swallows	Kingfishers	Headteacher Awards
Rohan	Elliot J	Isla	
Amelia J	Mollie	Chloe	
Olivia			

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

Term Dates 2023-24

Term 3	Tuesday 2 January 2024 to Friday 9 February 2024
Term 4	Tuesday 20 February 2024 to Thursday 28 March 2024
Term 5	Monday 15 April 2024 to Friday 24 May 2024
Term 6	Tuesday 4 June 2024 to Tuesday 23 July 2024

INSET days 2023-24

- Monday 19 February 2024
- Monday 3 June 2024

Term Dates 2024-25

Term 1	Wednesday 4 September 2024 to Thursday 24 October 2024
Term 2	Monday 4 November 2024 to Friday 20 December 2024
Term 3	Tuesday 7 January 2025 to Thursday 13 February 2025
Term 4	Monday 24 February 2025 to Friday 04 April 2025
Term 5	Tuesday 22 April 2025 to Friday 23 May 2025
Term 6	Tuesday 3 June 2025 to Tuesday 22 July 2025

INSET days 2024-25

- Monday 2 September 2024
- Tuesday 3 September 2024
- Friday 25 October 2024
- Monday 6 January 2025
- Friday 14 February 2025
- Monday 2 June 2025

PTA Newsletter

CHEW VALLEY 10KM RUN

Looking for a fitness challenge this year? The Chew Valley 10K run is taking place **Sunday 9th June** and is now open for entries! All levels of runners welcome from seasoned trail blasters to those who are completely new. Bishop Sutton Primary School is one of the main beneficiaries from the event, so if you could get fit and help raise funds for our school!

[SIGN UP](#)

GLOW DISCO

Come and join us for the GLOW disco on **Friday 23rd February** 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.

[BUY TICKETS](#)

WIN £1,000 LUXURY GETAWAY!

If you would like an easy way to support the school and be in the chance to win big, then you should play the Your School Lottery!

You could win a £1,000 Luxury Getaway - or just take the cash! A cabin in the Lakes, a luxury spa break, a West-End musical weekend, or jump on the Eurostar for a European escape: the choice is yours – so start 2024 off the right way! Get your tickets before Saturday 27th January for your chance to win!

[BUY TICKETS FOR JUST £1](#)

EASYFUNDRAISING

Over 7,000 brands will donate to us for FREE when you shop with them via easyfundraising such as John Lewis & Partners, Argos, eBay, Just Eat, Booking.com, Uswitch and many more. If you've not signed up yet, it's easy and makes a huge difference to us. Once you've raised your first £5, easyfundraising will double it!

[FIND OUT MORE](#)

BIRTHDAY BOOKS

Instead of bringing in sweets for your child's class on their birthday, why not buy a birthday book instead to help the school grow the library. Plus buy the book from the **Love Reading 4 Kids** bookstore, and not only do you get 10% off RRP's, but 25% of the cover price will be given to our school to buy more books. Mrs Tucker has even created a school 'wish list' of books to help you decide which book to choose.

[BROWSE BOOKS](#)

CAKE SALE

Swans class (Year 4) will be hosting the cake sale on Friday 9th Feb.

Outside Providers



YOUR NEAREST VENUE IS

UBLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL (BS40 8NJ)

DATES - MONDAY 12TH FEBRUARY - FRIDAY 16TH FEBRUARY

**THEME FOR OCTOBER -
AROUND THE WORLD**

What we do:

We provide multi-activity holiday camps throughout the school holidays (except Christmas) and our range of activities vary from sports, arts & crafts, team building exercises and intra-camp competitions.

- Mainstream Sports including - Hockey, Netball, Tag Rugby, Football, Cricket
- Alternative Sports including - Ultimate Frisbee, Rock-it-ball, Tri-Golf, Indo-boarding, Dodgeball
- Arts & Crafts
- Intra-Camp Competitions
- Theme Related games

Lunch and drinks to be provided by the parents/carers, water bottles can of course be filled up. Breakfast and Extended snacks to be provided by PH Camps

TIMES & PRICES:

		Day		Week	
		Early bird rate	Standard rate	Early bird rate	Standard rate
Breakfast club	08:00 - 09:00	£4.90			
Day booking	09:00 - 15:00	£24.35	£26.50	£109.58	£119.25
Extended club	15:00 - 16:00	£4.90			
	15:00 - 17:30	£10.50			

HOW TO BOOK:

To book, visit our normal booking site (the same one you use to book wraparound clubs).

If you don't already have a booking account, visit our PH Camps website (www.phcamps.co.uk) and go to **For Parents > Online Bookings** to see how.

For more information about our camps, visit www.phcamps.co.uk where you will find an FAQ section and a list of all our venues for the upcoming school holidays.

PH Camps online booking system: www.phsports.childcare-online-booking.co.uk/



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FEBRUARY HOLIDAY CAMPS

4-14
years

12TH - 16TH FEBRUARY

WHERE? 

**Ubley Primary, Bristol
(BS40 8NJ)**

Check out our other South-West venues by
[clicking here.](#)



PH CAMPS PRICES 2023

	DAY	WEEK
Breakfast Club (08:00 – 09:00)	£4.85	£22.05
Day Booking (09:00-15:00)	£26.50	£119.25
Extended Club (15:00 – 16:00)	£4.85	£22.05
Extended Club (15:00 – 17:30)	£10.50	£47.25

Early Bird rate £24.35 – ends Sunday 28th January

BOOK NOW

www.phcamps.co.uk

☎ 01225 701830

✉ bookings@phcamps.co.uk



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