



Chew Stoke Church School Newsletter



INTRODUCTION FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

It's been lovely to see the children outside enjoying the sunshine over the last few weeks - long may it continue! Could we please remind you to make sure your child brings a hat, water bottle and has sun cream applied before coming to school to ensure everyone is 'sun safe'.

This week we have been welcoming to school the children who will be joining us in Reception next academic year. We have a very full induction programme at the school and hopefully by the time the children join us in September they are already feeling quite at home. I am sure you will join me in welcoming all of our new families to the school.

Tomorrow you will receive a letter informing you which class your child will be in next academic year. On Tuesday, the children will be spending the morning with the teachers who will be teaching them from September. This is an important event for the children and we would appreciate parents making every effort to ensure that children are in school on time on this day. Children should go to their current classrooms at the start of the day; they will move to their new classrooms after Morning Worship.

Dates for your diary!

Term Dates

Term 6: 06/06/2022 - 21/07/2022

JULY 2022

- 01/07/22 – Fox Class Assembly
- 01/07/22 – Hedgehog Class Cake Sale
- 08/07/22 – PTA Barbecue
- 08/07/22 – Hedgehog Class Assembly
- 11/07/22 – Kingfisher Class Assembly
- 12/07/22 – Badger Class Performance 2pm
- 19/07/22 – Hedgehog Class Graduation
- 21/07/22 – Y6 Leavers Assembly

Last day of the academic year is
Thursday 21st July 2022

SUMMER TERM
2021/22

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As part of our Platinum Jubilee celebrations early this month all of the children received a celebration book mark from the school Trustees. Tomorrow, all of the children will receive a book about the Platinum Jubilee that is being given to all primary aged children in England.



Congratulations to all the children who were awarded certificates in this week's Celebration Assembly.



HEDGEHOG CLASS DANCE AT PTA BARBEQUE

The PTA have asked Hedgehog Class to perform their Dance Umbrella dance at the end of term barbeque on Friday 8th July. Could children please be delivered to Hedgehog classroom for dressing and make-up at 5.15pm. If your child will not be attending the barbeque please let Miss Hennessy know as soon as possible.

LEARN PIANO AT SCHOOL

Do you love music? Would you like to learn to play an instrument?

From September, places are available to learn piano as part of a small group in school. The cost is set at £6.25 per lesson, in blocks of ten sessions per term.

For more information, email Rachel (Rachel_williams@bathnes.gov.uk) and to apply for lessons, fill in the online form at www.banesmusiconline.co.uk

HEDGEHOG CLASS CAKE SALE

This Friday 1st July it will be the turn of Hedgehog Class to hold our last cake sale for this academic year. The sale will be held at 3.20pm by the school gates. Donations of cakes, both individual and larger family-sized ones, are very welcome and should be brought in to school on the morning of the sale. Please remember when shopping/baking that we are a Nut-Free School.

MUSIC LESSONS FOR PUPILS IN YEARS 3, 4, 5 AND 6



If your child is in one of these year groups we are able to offer music lessons during school time in conjunction with B&NES Music Service. Instruments currently being taught include clarinet, keyboards, guitar and singing; if you want something other than these just ask! Lessons are booked and paid for directly with the Music Service; however, pupils in receipt of Free School Meals may be eligible for a reduction in fees. For

further information and to book lessons to start in September please go to www.banesmusiconline.co.uk or contact 01225 395388.

FOX CLASS ASSEMBLY

Fox Class will be presenting their class assembly this Friday 1st July. The assembly starts at 9.10am, but parents and guests should be seated in the School Hall by 8.50am. We hope you will be able to stay on afterwards to enjoy some refreshments.

ADVANCE NOTICE - HEDGEHOG CLASS ASSEMBLY

Hedgehog Class parents please note that their class assembly will be held on Friday 8th July.

COMMONWEALTH GAMES 2022

We are just 29 days away from the Commonwealth Games, which will be held in Birmingham. At Chew Stoke Church School we have been promoting the Commonwealth Games through special events funded by the Commonwealth Games, taking part in competitions involving sports we will see at the Games, class worships and through our Sports Day.



We will be treated to a wide range of sports over the 10-day event. The 2022 Games will be aiming to embrace and champion the youth, diversity, humanity and pride of the region the Games are hosted in, as well as the Commonwealth as a whole. They will also aim to inspire, engage and connect communities and athletes to realise their full potential and live happier, healthier lives.

We have attached the link to the schedule for the 2022 Games for those who would like to tune in and support the athletes at home over the summer holidays.

<https://www.birmingham2022.com/schedule/overview>

We hope you enjoy the 2022 Games!

UPDATE FROM THE PTA

It's Hedgehog Class cake sale on Friday. Please bring your cakes and bakes, home-made or bought into school for Friday. Please take to the Den in the morning (ask at office) or bring after school. No nuts please.

We are totting up the amounts from the Duck Race. We will let you know final amounts ASAP.

We are looking forward to seeing you at the annual PTA BBQ on the 8th July. It really is a fantastic and social event. It is £2.50 entry for adults but children go FREE! What a bargain! We have a magician so the children will be entertained, games, sweets, and a Pimms and Prosecco stand plus bar. There will be a BBQ and salads (please bring cash). We really need salads as part of the BBQ so please bring along your signature salad when you come on the night. Timings are 5.30-8.

Finally...we need your help to run this event. There are not enough PTA members to do everything on the night. Please look at the link below and sign up to help on a stand for an hour or help to set up or clear up. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10COF4AA5A62CAAFDC61-endofyear>

We look forward to seeing you there!

Your PTA Team x

GET SPORTED SUMMER CAMPS

Come and join us this summer at Winford C of E Primary School, Winford where your children will have an amazing time growing in confidence, building skills and having an experience they won't stop talking about!

25th - 28th July (bookings close midnight Friday 22nd July)

8th - 11th August (bookings close midnight Friday 5th August)

GET Sported (ages 5-12)

We offer a huge variety of different sports, including football, cricket, netball, rugby, gymnastics, basketball, hockey, dodgeball, volleyball and more! We also offer fun activities like dance, music, arts and crafts and much more!

Find out more about GET Sported camps on our **CAMPS** page.

How to Book

- visit getsported.org for booking online

If you need more information please contact Akeel Yousaf (akeel@worldsportministries.com)
07809 650743

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES - HERE'S WHAT IS HAPPENING IN YOUR LIBRARIES THIS WEEK w/c July 4th

For any ticketed events, the link will be online via Social Media or via the blog.

Bath Central Library

Storytime Sessions, Family Fun

Tuesday, 10.30 - 11.00 am, 5 July

Thursday, 12.00 - 12.30 pm, 7 July

Art in the Library - An Exhibition of New Work to Celebrate 25 Years of Bath Artists' Studios

Monday - Saturday, 5-30 July.

YsEnquiring, STEM group, Ages 7-12

Saturday, 2.00 - 4.00pm, 9 July

Free tickets, book via Eventbrite

Keynsham Library

Baby Bounce & Rhyme, Family Fun

Tuesday, 9.30 - 10.00 am & 10.30 - 11am, 5 July

Midsomer Norton Library

Baby Bounce & Rhyme, Family Fun

Monday, 11.00 - 11.30am, 4 July.

Storytime Sessions, Family Fun

Wednesday, 10.30 - 11.00 am, 6 July.

Mobile Library

The Mobile Library may stop near you! Pop in for a visit, return your books, collect a reservation and choose something new to read. You can do all this and more with your B&NES or LibrariesWest library card.

For the Route Timetable, please visit: <https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/mobile-library-service>

Summer Reading Challenge: Gadgeteers, ages 4-11.

Monday - Saturday, 9 July - 3 September.

Digital - All Social Media

Unboxed Festival, March - October

Health Information Week, 4-10 July.
Summer Reading Challenge, July-September.
Children's Book Review, 9 July, Bathnes Libraries Blog

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