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School - 8.45am - 3.15pm Office - 8.30am - 4pm Morning club - 8.15am Clubs 3.15pm -4.30pm Pre-School: 8am-4.30pm

**Opening Hours** 

# **FRIDAY FLYER**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the final half-term of our school year! It has been a year never-to-be-forgotten, but we will continue to help the children achieve new heights with their learning, and provide lots more wonderful memories. We have lots of lovely activities planned! Thank you for your continuing support,

Mr Stead

#### **The Colour Collector**

A stranger called this morning, Dressed all in black and grey. Put every colour into a bag And carried them away.



The pretty white buttons on girls dresses. The blue squishy teacher's chair, tucked under the table. all about a 'Colour Collec-A beautiful skirt that swishes in the breeze. The colourful worry monster is fluffy in the trees.

The beautiful peg-jog so blue and black-eyed and cool. The yellowness of a banana as light as blonde hair. A pretty, purple flower, shining in the light. The goldenness of the crayon, brighter than the night.

The smooth rainbow coat, wet from the rain. The small blue cube, the size of your thumb. The redness of the rucksack, that is angry. A green welly boot, covered in mud.

The beautiful butterflies, as gentle as the sea. Covered in leaves, the funky friendship tree. The purple, blue flowers rising up to the sky. The multi-coloured calming box, helping us not cry.

The peach, rhyming kangaroo, soft to stroke. The multi-coloured pencils, drawing the cork oak. The blue paper butterflies, quietly watching the fun. The golden shiny horn, sparkling bright like the sun.

A stranger called this morning. He didn't leave his name. We now live in the shadows. Life will never be the same.

tor' during their poetry unit of work. First, they wrote their own poems. Then they worked collaboratively in small groups, using sentences they had written, to create a verse each. We worked together to edit the sentences so that some would rhyme. I hope you enjoy it. The class worked incredibly hard during the unit. Mrs McDonagh

Class 1 wrote a class poem



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# Diary Dates

**Forest School Wednesdays:** \*\*Monday 21st June—Class 3\*\*

23rd June—Class 2 30th June—Class 1 7th July—Class R 14th July—Class R & 1 21st July—Class 2 & 3

Monday 14th June \*Science Fair entry deadline\* Don't forget to submit your entries! Please bring them to vour classes.

**Tuesday 15th June** Class R group photo

### Friday 18th June

KS1 School Games Day Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school

#### **Monday 5th July**

Whole School Soft & Real Archery sessions Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school

#### Wednesday 7th July

Year 6 secondary transition day Move-up day in school

Mon 12th & Tues 13th July Year 6 Performances at 6pm

Monday 19th & Tues 20th July Year 6 day trips to Kilve Court

Wednesday 21st July Year 5 trip to Kilve Court

Friday 23rd July Inset Day





House Points	Weekly Total	Half Term
London Plane	118	963
Cork Oak	224	1191
Blue Cedar	249	1379
Horse Chestnut	209	1133

Class R were very lucky to raise caterpillars and see them turn into butterflies last half term, supporting our work on 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle. All 5 butterflies hatched ready to be released on 'Break the Rules' day and we threw them a little party, alongside our party for Mrs Lewis's birthday! We loved watching them change and grow and hope that they are very happy in their new home in our outdoor area. Thank you very much to Elsie and her family to providing us with this super opportunity! Mrs Smith

# **OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK**

**Pre-School Jasmine** and **Nina F** for their amazing effort in dough disco this week.

**Class R Eddie** and **Harrison** for their excellent team work building the 'London Tower' and sharing their knowledge of turbines and supports so clearly.

Class 1 Isla for her excellent attitude towards her Maths this week. She has listened really well and worked hard with her reasoning tasks.

**Class 2 Dougie** for putting his hand up in class so much this week.

Class 3 Lewis, Lena and Teddy for their excellent work with possessive apostrophes in English this week.

**Class 4 Isabelle** for being so helpful and kind to her classmates during Forest School.

Isla S for her participation in Maths this week, well done Isla, keep answering those questions!

**Class 5 Mia P** for her contributions during Playground Leader Training this week.

Class 6
Oscar for increased confidence and contributions in Maths this week.
Daisy for being a thoughtful, caring member of Class 6 and always looking out for other people.

Class 4 enjoyed their Party of all Parties Forest School this week and all parties have lots of games! Class 4 enjoyed musical statues, blind man's buff, pass the parcel and an epic game of Frisbee. Other activities also ensued such as jewellery making, pond dipping and whittling. Class 4 have really enjoyed all Forest School sessions this year and would like to say a massive thank you to Mr Wedderkopp for organising them for us.

Mrs Nicholls















Somerset County Council have asked us to issue this reminder:

Now that we have left the EU, we would like to remind you that most EU citizens living in the UK (as well as those from the EEA and Switzerland) need to apply to the EU Settlement Scheme to gain Settled Status so they can continue to live and work in the UK after 30 June 2021.

If EU citizens miss the deadline, they could lose their existing rights like living and working here, access to free health care and benefits. If they have children, they may need to check if they need to apply for them too. Apply today at <a href="https://www.gov.uk/EUSettlementScheme">www.gov.uk/EUSettlementScheme</a>

#### Deadline 30 June 2021.

Local charity Diversity Voice, in partnership with Somerset County Council are working with the Home Office to provide help from regulated advisors for those who need it, including vulnerable people and employers. They can provide posters, hand-outs for service users and 1:1 help for applicants in any language. There's no charge for this service.



We are delighted to tell you that Mrs Atterton has had a baby daughter. Thea Ivy Violet Atterton was born on Friday 14th May at home. Welcome to the world, Thea!

Contact euss@diversityvoice.org.uk or 0300 075 0105





## **Sports Leader Training**

On Wednesday 9th June Class 5 did sports leader training. We did lots of activities including 'Nemo Tag' and 'Mine, Mine, Mine'. Through these activities we were learning how to be sports leaders. We learnt that it is important to be at a similar height as the smaller children so you can get their attention. We had to learn to speak up, but not too much otherwise they might think they were getting told off! The class also had to learn to set up the games quickly and explain the game clearly so the children understood. Also, if they are nervous we will encourage them to help to build up their confidence. Through this experience, we were led by a wonderful person called Jane. All of year 5 really enjoyed this experience and can't wait to put it to work later in the year.

