



Dear Parents and Carers,
Next Friday, 27th May, we will be having our school celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. The children will be having a 'Street Fair' lunch together on the playground with decorations, songs and fun. The School Council have also organised an art competition, and entries are invited from all the children. The School Council will be judging the event and there will be a gallery displaying the best artwork in the hall. Our celebrations are just a forerunner to the programme of village events in Milverton (and other surrounding villages). Please do look at the listing in the Parish Magazine to see all the wonderful fun events that are planned during the half-term break.

Mr R Stead



In Class 1 we have been learning about The Fire of London and the impact this event has had on life today. We have immersed ourselves in this through our history, art and music lessons. We have been exploring collage as an art technique to produce a collaborative piece as well as exploring singing in rounds and keeping a beat with musical instruments for the song 'London's burning'.

Mrs Lewis & Mrs Atterton



It was another super morning at Forest School for Class R this week. In class, we have been learning all about habitats and minibeasts, so we had a fantastic time exploring around the Blue Cedar tree for all sort of bugs and insects before building our own bug homes. We also had the chance to make sticky weed and nettle cordial which we are looking forward to trying next week, once it's ready! The rest of our time was filled with games, giggles, hot chocolate and marshmallows. We can't wait to be back again.

Mrs Smith



House Points	Weekly Total	Half Term
London Plane	354	896
Cork Oak	287	812
Blue Cedar	278	873
Horse Chestnut	257	790

Diary Dates

Forest School

Wednesdays

25th May Pre-school

8th June Class 6

15th June Class 5

22nd June Class 4

29th June Class 3

Monday 4th July Class 1

Tuesday 5th July Class R

6th July Class 2

Year 4 Multi-skills

Festival at Kingsmead

Thursday 26th May

Whole School Jubilee

Party Lunch

Friday 27th May

Please provide your child with a party lunch on this day.

Half Term Break

Monday 30th May to

Friday 3rd June

Year 6 Photos

Tuesday 7th June

Year 3 & 4 Trip to

Taunton Museum

Friday 10th June

Vision Screening—Year R

Tuesday 14th June

MSA Break the Rules Day

Friday 17th June

School Games Day

Monday 20th June

(no parents)

MSA Summer Fete

Saturday 2nd July

School Open Afternoon

Thursday 7th July

Parents are invited to come in to school to view their children's work and meet next year's teachers.

Year 6 Play at 6.30pm

Thursday 14th July

Sports Day

Monday 18th July

(Weather reserve day Weds 20th July) Parents welcome

Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Last Day of Term

Friday 22nd July

OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Preschool	Joshua for outstanding effort in group times this week. Freddie for his number recognition.
Class R	Leonard for showing resilience and kindness when tackling a problem.
Class 1	Harrison for his fantastic focus and effort in all of his lessons. Rufus for his super writing about the weather for our poetry work. Well done to you both.
Class 2	Marnie for working really hard on her 'Rags to Riches' tale. It was written so well and a pleasure to read.
Class 3	Daniel for making excellent progress in his phonics lessons.
Class 4	Finn for the huge amount of effort and progress he is making in his learning, his relationships and his friendships. Well done, Finn - keep it going.
Class 5	Reuben for demonstrating, with great enthusiasm, his brilliant knowledge in Geography this week. Well done, Reuben!
Class 6	Bodhi please for his fantastic ideas in our persuasive writing this week.



Arthur and I do Fencing at Wellington Swords. We have done it for five months and last week-end was our first ever competition. We were using a type of blade called a Foil and each fight lasted until 5 points were awarded. Even though it was our first competition, Arthur and I won many of our fights. It was a good way for us to learn lots of new things as we fenced with people we had never fought before.

Isaac, Class 6

<https://www.wellingtonswords.club/>



On Thursday 19th and Friday 20th May, Class 5 had an amazing time making apple crumble. We made apple crumble because in World War 2, food rationing made cakes and desserts a rare luxury leaving households to create their own recipes. Apple crumble is one of the recipes that has survived WW2. It is a very simple recipe only using flour, butter, sugar and apples. Spices, rhubarb, blackberries and oats can be used to flavour this delicious dessert. Class 5 got to enjoy an apple crumble tasting session on Friday.

by Isla VH and George



On Friday the children in class 6 enjoyed an evening together to celebrate all their hard work and effort towards their SATs. It was a real pleasure to take them all out due to their exemplary behaviour and to see them having so much fun together.

Mrs Lewis



Evening Meet Up



Wednesday 25th May

19:00-21:00 @Toby Carvery

A support group for anyone supporting children with ADHD. A place where everyone is welcome.



Toby Carvery
Ilminster Rd
Ruishton
Taunton, TA3 5LU



MSA REMINDER

The lost property table will be out on the turning circle before and after school on Monday 23rd May—unclaimed and unnamed uniform will be sold for a donation to the MSA.

The Year 3 class took to the golf range for PE this week to try something new. First, they learnt the stance and used the putters at the putting range to hit the targets. They then practiced hitting down the tunnels for more accuracy. They used the irons to strike the balls for distance and get some height—the wind definitely helped them on their way! This got very competitive between all the teams as they all made progress moving their team cone further and further away. Ben was awarded the wristband for his striking stance, amazing listening and progress from start to finish.

Miss Storey



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18TH JUNE
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11-12pm Ages 11-13
12-1pm – Ages 14-16

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CHARITY CONCERT - (Guinebor Hospital Chad)

33 CLASSIC HIT SONGS BY IRVING BERLIN.....



Alexander's Ragtime Band
Heatwave

How Deep is the Ocean?

Blue Skies

Easter Bonnet

I've Got my Love to Keep me Warm

Top Hat, White Tie and Tails

Let's Face the Music and Dance

Puttin' on the Ritz

Steppin' out with my Baby.

and many more...!!

SATURDAY MAY 21ST 7.00 PM
WELLINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH
TICKETS ON THE DOOR.

Adults £5 Children £3 Family Ticket £15.00

With John Walker & friends and with David White as Irving Berlin.