

FRIDAY FLYER

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week the children elected their representatives for this year's School Council, Eco-Committee and House Captains. These roles are important in delivering our school values of 'care' and 'belong'. We are sure our new representatives will do an excellent job of helping us in our aspiration for continuous improvement. Mr R Stead



On Wednesday, Class 5 did their first Forest School Session of the year with Mr Wedderkopp. The weather was extremely lovely for this time of year and we all enjoyed being outdoors. We started with a classic game of '1 2 3 WHERE ARE YOU!' and then gathered around the fire circle. We then had a choice of either: medallion making, fire lighting, bird-watching, conker-run making and/ or mud kitchen. Mr Coupe and Mr Wedderkopp said that the class were fantastic and cooperated, compromised and played together nicely. by Verity & Kitty

In order to make the new children in Class R feel welcome, Class 2 children have become mentors. Each Class 2 child has a Class R friend to look out for and check that they are ok on the playground. The mentors have shared books with their Class R friends and are soon going to help them with some number work. Through doing this we are showing the children that they are cared for, they belong and



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that they can aspire to be like their Class 2 mentors.

Mrs Nicholls

Summer Reading Challenge

Congratulations to all the children who took part in the Summer reading challenge this year. We have had so many certificates and medals brought in by proud children, and all children who took part were celebrated in assembly today. As English coordinator, I am so pleased to see the fantastic efforts children have taken to keep up their reading over the holidays. Can I also say thank you to the parents with helping the children in completing the reading challenge. *Mr Penny*

On Wednesday, we went to an enjoyable (but hot!) Sports Festival at Kingsmead School. We did many sports activities, but at the end we were very tired and we were very happy to flop down on the coach seats and rest! We did rugby. football, netball and basketball and it was so fun we didn't want to go back to school.

by Isla V and Missy, Class 3

Opening Hours School - 8.45am - 3.15pm Office - 8.30am - 4pm Morning club - 8am Clubs 3.15pm -4.30pm **Toasties** 3.15pm –4.30/5.45pm Pre-School: 8am-4.30pm

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Diary Dates

Friday 27th September at 2pm Harvest Festival at St Michael's Church. All welcome. PLEASE DO NOT ARRIVE AT THE CHURCH BEFORE 1.15pm AS THERE WILL BE A SERVICE TAKING PLACE.

Thursday 3rd October

Year R to 2 Trip to Contains Art, Watchet.

Friday 4th October Year 5 & 6 Trip to 'We the Curious' Bristol.

Friday 18th October Individual photos

Monday 21st October 9.30am Prospective Parents School Tour (for children starting school Sept 2020)

Parents' Evenings for Year 1 to 6: **Tuesday 22nd October** 3.30pm to 6pm

Thursday 24th October 5pm to 7.30pm

Friday 25th October Inset Day. School closed to pupils.

Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November Half Term Break

Wednesday 6th November 9.30am

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FOREST SCHOOL WEDS 25TH SEPT **CLASS 4**

House Points	Weekly Total	Half Term
London Plane	199	393
Cork Oak	219	456
Blue Cedar	252	477
Horse Chestnut	232	471

OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Pre-school	Phoebe and Ivy for being enthusiastic with their writing.
Class R	Jesse for great team work and consideration of others.
Class 1	Amelie for being so kind and considerate towards those that needed help. Charlie for being so enthusiastic and giving everything 100%
Class 2	Merryn for some great adjectives in her work.
Class 3	All of Class 3 for enthusiastic participation in our sports festival at Kingsmead and also being fantastic Romans. Isla V for wonderful descriptions in her writing this week.
Class 4	Adri for his superb descriptive writing when describing the setting of Pompei. Tilly for focussing well and working hard in all areas of her learning.
Class 5	Isabelle for her supportive and caring attitude all week.
Class 6	Martha for her consistent focus and hard work in all lessons.



WEDNESDAY 2ND OCTOBER FROM 8AM IN SCHOOL HALL BREAKFAST FOR ALL

Bacon Bap £2.00 Sausage Bap £2.00 Pastry £1.50 Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate £1.00 Julce 50p

MSA

This is a reminder to Year 6 parents that they need to apply for a place for secondary school for their child by 31st October. Please go via the link below to complete the online process:

https://www.somerset.gov.uk/education -and-families/starting-at-a-secondary-or -upper-school-in-september/



Milverton Recreation Ground. 12 - 4 PM Sunday 22nd September. Entrance free, café and bar open. Sellers from 11 AM and only £5.

MILVERTON PARISH COUNCIL

PARISH CLERK

There is currently a <u>VACANCY</u> for the position of Clerk to the Parish Council.

This is a part-time (10 hours per week) post

Application Forms and details of the post are available to download on the Parish Council website: <u>www.milvertonpc.org.uk</u>

Further information can be obtained from the Deputy Clerk (email address: milverton.pc@gmail.com) or by telephoning 07770 477480

Applications must be received by 16th October

The Parish Clerk is responsible for organising all meetings of the Council, publishing agendas and minutes, dealing with correspondence, liaising with other organisations, overseeing certain projects, and assisting the chair in public meetings. In addition, the Clerk will manage and work closely with the Responsible Financial Officer who will be responsible for the financial administration of the Council.

The Clerk works from home and must be computer literate. Attendance at the evening meetings of the Council is a requirement of the position. Meetings take place monthly, normally on the first Monday of the month. Attendance at extraordinary meetings and site meetings may be required.