

Newsletter

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OAKFIELD ACADEMY
BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE

Charterhouse 2024



Just some of the fantastic memories
created by our Year 7 pupils at
Charterhouse last week.

All pupils and staff enjoyed an amazing
experience.



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If you would like further information on any of the items in the newsletter, please contact the academy office.

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FROM SELWOOD TENNIS CLUB O P E N D A Y - Sunday 23rd June
11am—5pm ALL WELCOME Come along and try tennis for free and
enjoy a Caribbean BBQ plus games and entertainment.

THE READING AGENCY

2024 Summer Reading Challenge
 Delivered in partnership with libraries

Marvellous Makers

Join FREE at your library Get rewards for reading!

summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

Family activities Science Boost

EXPLORE SCIENCE AND NATURE TOGETHER

Family pond dip and allotment explore
 Sunday 9th June, 10-12

Family bug hunts and pond dips
 Wednesday 10th July, 1:30-2:30
 Wednesday 10th July, 3:15-4:30

Rocket launching (at Children's Festival)
 Sunday 21st July, 11am-1pm

BOOK FREE TICKETS:

[@scienceboostcic](https://www.facebook.com/scienceboostcic)

More news from Enterprise Week



Pupils in 6S explore their baking skills to produce cakes to sale



Just some of the fantastic items that were produced to sell at the Year Six Enterprise Day.

The total raised was **£1,260-50**—a fantastic achievement and a brilliant result for all of Year 6's hard work and great support from parents.



Year 8 Mendip Rounders Tournament

The Year 8 Rounders Team represented Oakfield at the Mendip Tournament this week. Our team put in a stellar performance showing incredible teamwork and adjusting their fielding as needed. Their batting sought the spaces in the oppositions' fielding so many rounders were scored.

Rosie developed a very strong and consistent bowling style. Hannah's backstop throws to Maddie on 2nd post were powerful with Tillie backing up 2nd. Hannah moved with energy constantly to support her team where needed. Maddie held strong as Team Captain getting many out at 2nd post. Luna was on 3rd post, getting the opposition out and thinking quickly to support the team. Lily S held strong on 4th post getting the opposition out and stopping them from scoring. The deep field was covered excellently but Lily V, Tillie, Mia and Lilya. Incredible catches were made by Lilja, Tillie and Lily V.

Our first game was against The Blue School. With a very strong start, Oakfield won 9 1/2 - 4. This gave the team confidence to go on and win 10-1 against the hosts, Hugh Sexey. Their winning streak continued with a 6 1/2 - 1 win against Fairlands.

The final match was vital for a win because Oakfield and Selwood had won all of their games. The pressure was on for both teams to get a win. It was a very competitive and well matched game, ending in a win for Oakfield 6 1/2 - 5.

Oakfield won the Mendip Tournament overall with a stunning display of teamwork and determination. The team should be very proud of themselves. Well done team Oakfield.

The Year 8 team were: Rosie C, Maddie H, Lilya M, Luna P-T, Hannah P, Lily S, Tillie S, Mia S and Lily V.

Miss Pullen, The PE Department



New Chair of Governors

We are delighted to announce that Melody Hunter-Evans has been voted in as Oakfield Academy's new Chair of Governors.

She takes over the post from Kate Hellard who is sadly leaving the Governors after a number of successful years, working tremendously hard to support our Academy in many ways. Melody, who has children in Year 5 and Year 7 is really looking forward to the challenge, and wanted to thank Kate personally for her wonderful support.

YEAR SEVEN CINEMA TRIP

WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY 2024

Please can we politely request that payment of £4 for this trip is made as quickly as possible. Thank you.



On Thursday and Friday we welcomed Year 3 pupils from local First Schools for a Taster Morning at our academy. They enjoyed a variety of activities, including Science and DT.

They all left very excited about their experience.



LIBRARY NEWS



INFORMATION BOOK AWARD

2024

SHORTLIST!

BROUGHT TO YOU BY:



8-12

SHORTLIST
AVAILABLE IN
THE LIBRARY
TO READ AND
REVIEW!

Win £1000 for the school library!



This summer, the big schools prize has returned, offering five schools the chance to win £1,000 in National Book Tokens and a year's free membership to the School Library Association; PLUS one overall winner will also receive £500 to help them create a fun and welcoming library space for all.

Nominate a school and if yours is one of the five winning entries, you'll also receive a £100 National Book Tokens gift card to spend in your favourite bookshop.

<https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools-prize>

All books must be returned to the library by Wednesday 10th July

Any lost books will need to be replaced before the end of term.

THANK YOU!



TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM RECEPTION

Oakfield Academy

Summer Bingo

Friday 5th July 2024



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Doors open 6.00pm, eyes down at 6.30pm.

Bingo books £1.00 each,
or 6 for £5.00.

Hamper prizes. Raffle.
Special flyer game.

Entrance tickets £1.00 per person to be
bought in advance and will be deducted from
the price of Bingo Books.



We are always grateful for donations of prizes or items that can be used in raffle hampers. If you are planning a cupboard clear out please consider donating to our FRIENDS, items can be dropped in Reception at any time. THANK YOU.



BOOK NOW
TO AVOID
MISSING
OUT!



The Merlin Theatre
Bath Road, Frome



The Unusual Adventures
of
ROBIN HOOD
A MUSICAL PLAY FOR A FAMILY AUDIENCE

Wednesday 24th July 2024
6pm

www.merlintheatre.co.uk

Adult £12 - Child/concession £10 - Family £42

SEND Coffee afternoon

Thursday 27th June from 2pm
will be a focus on Reading at the
Academy

with Mrs Roynon, Head of English
and Mr Gary Smart, SEND Trustee.

All parents are welcome to attend.

Please contact Tracey Malley -SEND
Admin Support if you would like to
attend this event.

Diary Dates

18 Jun	Primary School Athletics Festival at Oakfield Academy
27 Jun	SEND Coffee Session (subject tbc)
28 Jun	"N" Tutor Groups Cake Sale
28 Jun	Welcome Session for Yr 4's
1 Jul	Welcome Evening— Yrs 5, 6 & 7—3.30pm-4.30pm Yr 4— 6.30pm for 7.00pm start
2 Jul	Yrs 5 & 6 Sports Day (info from PE Department shortly)
3 Jul	Transfer Day Yr 5 -> Yr 6 Yr 6 -> Yr 7 Yr 7 -> Yr 8 Yr 8 -> Frome College
3 Jul	Yr 7 visit Westway Cinema & PE activities afternoon
4 Jul	General Election Day (Polling Station— open as usual)
5 Jul	FRIENDS Bingo Night
9 Jul	Yrs 7 & 8 Sports Day (info from PE Department shortly)
10/11 Jul	'One Love' Summer Show
12 Jul	"S" Tutor Groups Cake Sale
12 Jul	Public Consultation Meeting - School Streets—details tbc
18 Jul	Parent Book Look 3.15pm-4.15pm
19 Jul	Yr 8 Take Your Child to Work Day
22 Jul	Yr 8 Presentation Evening at The Memorial Hall, Frome
23 Jul	Yr 8 'Leavers Trip' Chessington World of Adventure
24 Jul	Last day of Term, finish 12.15
25 Jul	Uniform available to buy 9am—3pm
26 Jul	Uniform available to buy 9am—1pm
2 Sep	INSET, Uniform available to buy

LOST PROPERTY

**We have a large amount of unclaimed lost property.
If you are missing any items, please collect it from
Reprographics.**

Have your say



Frome Community Survey

Frome Town Council have launched an online survey to find out about the priorities of people in Frome and to build up a picture of our town. A printed version is available from Frome Town Hall.

As a thank you for taking part in the survey, entrants will be entered into a prize draw, with the chance to win a £100 voucher to spend on food at Culverhill Co-op in Frome.

Survey closes 30th June 2024

bit.ly/FromeSurvey2024



Frome Made differently
TOWN COUNCIL

FROME MUSICAL THEATRE COMPANY SPELLBOUND 2024

PRODUCTION OF



BOOK BY
DAVID GRIEG

MUSIC BY
MARC SHAIMAN

LYRICS BY
SCOTT WITTMAN
MARC SHAIMAN

BASED ON THE BOOK BY ROALD DAHL

SONGS FROM THE MOTION PICTURE BY
LESLIE BRICUSSE
AND ANTHONY NEWLEY

8TH TO 10TH AUGUST 2024

Performances at 7pm each evening and matinee Saturday at 2pm

01373 462795 www.fromememorialtheatre.org.uk

Box Office Monday to Saturday 9.30am - 1pm

Tickets £12 Concessions £11 Under 16's £10

This amateur production is presented by arrangement
with Music Theatre International
All authorised performance materials are also



WWW.FROMEMTC.CO.UK