



St Nicholas C of E Primary School

April 7th 2017

Term: 4

Newsletter: 7

Mrs Smith's Message

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Bingo last night. It was a lovely fun night which I hope you all enjoyed. A huge thank you to the fundraisers for all their hard work and to Mr C for his excellent calling.

Thank you to those parents who came to Parental engagement, it was good to hear your feedback. I know that we have many more plans ahead so please come along and chat to us about your ideas.

I am very grateful for all the feedback from parent's regarding the year and 4 classes in 2017/8 (our current year 2 and 3). All of your comments have been really helpful in coming to a decision. I can now confirm that the children will remain in the current classes next year so we will have two year 3 classes and one year 4 class.

We wish a fond farewell to Mrs Pottage and Mrs Vranck today. We all wish them well for the future and thank them for all the help and support they have given the children.

Have a lovely Easter

Nicki Smith



House Points

Foxcote	100
Huish	74
Tyning	51
Ludlow	37

Class Attendance

Yeo	97.6%
Kennet	97.3%
Dart	96.2%
Severn	95.8%
Avon	95.4%
Somer	94.8%
Brue	92.6%
Frome	90.5%
Tone	89.4%

Save the Date

Please make a note of the following dates:

Monday 24th Apr: Term 5 Starts.

Tuesday 25th Apr: Y3 Avon Parents' Event 2:00-3:00pm.

Wednesday 26th Apr: Y1 Somer Trip to SS Great Britain.

Friday 28th Apr: KS2 Celebration Assembly

Monday 1st May: Bank Holiday

Friday 5th May: Y1 Somer Parents' Event 9:00-10:00am.

+ KS1 Celebration Assembly

Monday 8th May: Y3 Avon: Bath Fashion House Museum Visit

Tuesday 9th May: Tuesday Tea with Mrs Smith 9:00am.

+ Y5 Yeo Parents' Event.

Thursday 11th May: Y4 Kennet Parents' Event 2:00pm-3:00pm

Friday 12th May: KS2 Celebration Assembly.

Monday 15th May: Y6 SATs Week.

Friday 19th May: KS1 Celebration Assembly.

KS2 ONLY Term 5 School Meals

Next term the prices for School Dinners for Term 5 will be:

Mondays	£9.60	*Please remember to deduct any trips or such when paying in.
Tuesdays	£12	
Wednesdays	£12	
Thursdays	£12	
Fridays	£12	
Everyday	£57.60	

*If your child would like school meals everyday you are welcome to pay in one £57.60 payment, or if you prefer, send in weekly £12.00 payments on Mondays for the week ahead. Cheques payable to BANES.

End Of Term

As the weather improves, we just have a few notices for when your child comes back from the Easter Break.

Pupils need to be in correct school uniform EVERY-DAY.

- Please ensure your child has a named (non-branded) sunhat in school. Please do not send in expensive 'flat peaks' as we cannot accept any responsibility for any missing hats.
- School shoes should also be plain black, not coloured, strappy or opened toed.
- Lost property is now out on display at the front of school outside the hall. Please feel free to rummage through. The lost property is regularly checked, unfortunately a high number of clothes are still being found without names, meaning we cannot hand them straight back.
- At the end of this term water bottles will be taken home, but when we come back they will need to be brought back. Please make sure they are named!
- Sun screen should be applied before school and children are welcome to bring in cream for lunchtimes but will need to apply it themselves.
- The girls may want to wear their school summer dresses. The navy or pale blue check ones are fine.
- Hair should be tied back if long with a plain navy bow. No 'Jojo' bows please. Hair should be cut into a short, but not 'skinhead', style and should not have any shapes or patterns in it.

It's incredibly important to be sure to label all your children's clothes.

Thank you and have a great Easter Break!

A Time To Talk



In each class ask your child about:

Frome/Tone: Retell a traditional story from this term.

Somer: What can you find out about the SS Great Britain?

Dart/Brue: Can you remember a fact we learnt about the endangered shrine?

Avon: What is the longest river in the world?

Kennet: What were the differences between Spiderwick Chronicles movie and the book?

Yeo: Why do we associate bunnies, eggs and chicks with Easter?

Severn: Should children do homework during the holidays? Discuss?

Y1 Somer

Many thanks to Joseph Maidment's Mum Leanne for coming to speak to Somer class about her job as a scientist.

Thank you to her for all she brought to show them and experiment with. They looked fantastic in their little scientist body suits. Some future scientists in the making!

School Nurse

The School Nurse, Clare Traub, is offering a drop-in consultation for parents and carers after school on the 28/04/2017. Clare is available for an hour to offer advice around any health concerns you may have. Common issues that are raised are healthy eating, emotional health, dental health and continence. Look forward to seeing you there.

Spirit Of St Nick's

During the assembly one child from each class was presented with a trophy for their work, outstanding achievements and overall commitment to St Nicholas during Term 5. They will keep the trophy until the next Spirit of St Nicholas Service which will be held at the end of each term.

Winners for this term. Well done everyone.

Frome: Olivia

Tone: Rio

Somer: Alfie

Dart: Summer

Brue: Vinnie

Avon: Owen

Kennet: Josh

Yeo: Ella

Severn: Paige

Well done everyone!