



USL Primary News **Term 5 School Newsletter 26 : 14th May 2018**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Next Class Worship
Y5J – 22nd May, at 9.55am and parents/carers are welcome to attend.

Tempest Photography
Monday 21st May - Y6 Leavers Photos and Class Photos with Tempest Photography.

SPORTS NEWS

Archery Report – Wednesday 9th May
Deer Park Archers Club
 9 children represented USL at the first ever Gloucester district archery competition. The children got taught how to hold the bow and arrow correctly and were given tips to help them aim more accurately. All of the children had three rounds of 3 arrows to shoot at the big targets. If they hit the board they scored a point and the point increased as the arrow got closer to the centre, with a maximum of 10 per arrow. The sharpest shooters were Finley, Logan and Lucas. Overall out of 15 schools, we came 7th. The top two teams were through to represent Gloucester in the Level 3 tournament in June. Well done to George, Lottie, Thomas S, Logan T, Gabriella, Olivia, Lucas and Finley D.

Tag Rugby League
Match 3 v Robinswood
Thursday 10th May
 On Thursday, we played in our 3rd of 5 league games. The first half went really well and we found ourselves 8-5 up at half time. In the second half we improved further with some superb rugby and the final score was 18-10 to us. Tries came from George (3), Troy, Rio (4), Jamie, Will (3), Jonas (3), Olly (2) and Josh. This was a great victory against the team who we lost to last year. We gained a bonus point for winning

Our Governor of the week this week is Mrs Kat Wood

Kat is a Staff Governor and a member of the Curriculum Committee. Kat has been teaching for 14 years and 9 of them have been spent here at Upton St Leonards, Kat is currently a year 4 teacher working alongside Mrs Young.
 Kat says “I became a governor because it gave me an insight into how my school is run and managed and allows me to play a greater role within the school community.
 I live in Abbeymead and I am mum to two girls aged 10 and 6. When I’m not teaching, I enjoy running, going to the gym and reading a good book!”



It’s BACK!

We hope that Friday 6th July is in your diaries..... Happy Circus will be at Upton. Only a few tickets left !!



Design a Programme competition:
 Sheets for the children to design are now available from the School Office for just 50p. The lucky winner will have their design on the front cover of the circus programme.

Big Pedal

Here are the results for the Big Pedal for this year -

- KS1
- YRC - 149 journeys
- Y2H - 148
- YRL - 141
- Y1B - 123
- Y2A - 63
- Y1GT - 28

- KS2
- Y3T - 116 journeys
- Y5J - 87
- Y3M - 66
- Y4P - 61
- Y5W - 43
- Y4WY - 38
- Y6L - 34
- Y6S - 31



Well done to everybody who took part, especially children in YRL and Y3T who won a prize for their classroom. Please try to encourage your child to start the day with a healthy scooter or bike ride whenever possible.

by 5 tries or more and now sit comfortably top of the table with two matches remaining. Well done to George (c), Will, Rio, Luke, Jamie, Olly, Jonas, Kamea, Josh and Troy.

Karate news

Congratulations to Aimee on achieving her blue belt in karate at the weekend.

Jujitsu Competition

Congratulations to Charlie D on winning a runner up medal and to Sydney on winning bronze in a Jujitsu competition at the weekend.

OPEN THE BOOK

Thank you our Open the Book Team, who told "On the Road to Emmaus" in whole school worship on Friday.

NOTICES & REMINDERS

Menu this week

Week 2 of the menu



Chess News

Well done to Jaime A, Sophie W and Aubrey, who all played in the Gloucestershire Chess Megafinal on Saturday and all qualified for the Gigafinal in July, with Jaime and Sophie winning Suprema titles. Also, Congratulations to the Upton Team who recently won the best school team shield in a competition at Sir Thomas Rich's School.

More Chess News

On Tuesday last week our Chess teams hosted a competition involving teams from Parton Manor and Elmbridge. The tournament was very closely fought, with some excellent games played by all sides. After 3 rounds the final standings showed that Upton A team had won the tournament with Upton B finishing 3rd. Well done to all the players involved.

Great Bristol Family Mile

Well done to Scarlett, Cobey and Harlow on taking part in the Great Bristol Family Mile at the weekend.

PTA Film Night



The PTA are holding a Film Night for children in years 5 and 6 this Friday, 18th May. The children can come to the school hall straight after school and there will be hot dogs for sale before the film – Paddington 2 – will be shown at 4pm. Popcorn and sweets will be on sale too – please bring a maximum of £2 for these. Please collect your children from the main entrance at 5.50pm. The children have brought home a slip to indicate if they would like a hot dog – please pay the PTA volunteers in the hall.

The Royal Wedding Celebration Lunch

Don't forget that this Friday the 18th May we are inviting the children to...



Dress to impress in red, white & blue and join us for a picnic style Royal Wedding Celebration Lunch.

Feast on a selection of...

Filled sandwiches and wraps, Cheese straws, Sausage rolls, Cheese and pineapple, Pizza fingers, Crudities and breadsticks with hummus.

Followed by Harry and Meghan's Strawberries and Butter Cream Wedding Cake.

Bookings as usual at £2.20

(Infants are entitled to free school meals)

Please bring in £1 per child for Non-uniform Day

Upton St Leonards Village Day 2018

Superheroes required for the annual village day celebrations on Saturday 16 June 1pm – 4pm. We hope that there will be lots of children to represent our school at the forthcoming 'Upton St Leonards Village Day.' We want as many pupils as possible to come along dressed as superheroes to be part of the Superheroes Parade that will take place on the day. If your child would like to take part, please notify the office so that we have an idea of the names and numbers of pupils planning to take part. Thank you.