



St Nicholas C of E Primary School

4th October 2019

Term 1

Newsletter 2

What a busy two weeks at St Nicholas it has been! I can't believe that this time last week that we were busy enjoying our Launch event. It was wonderful to see so many of you at the service, despite the rain, and then joining us for our celebrations into the evening. There was a lovely atmosphere in school with everyone enjoying the stalls, Mr Moore's band, Greg's food and all of the games. A huge thank you has to go to Friends of St Nic's for organising then event, to the school staff for running many of the stalls and also to Mrs Maidment for her lovely cake. We now can't wait for the next party in December!

On Thursday, the Year 3 children had a fantastic day at Stonehenge (avoiding the rain) and from the work I have seen today, they have clearly learnt lots of amazing facts too! Years 1, 4 and 5 have also been out having fun, visiting authors and illustrators as part of the Bath Literacy Festival. Well done also to our Year 4 maths teams who competed in the Maths challenge and had amazing results.

Thank you to all of the parents who joined us for our Harvest celebrations. The children sang beautifully and had prepared some wonderful things to share with everyone. We are very proud of them all and hope everyone who attended enjoyed the service. The donations kindly sent in will be collected by Somer Valley Foodbank next week.

Finally, I would just like to say huge congratulations to our newly appointed school House Captains: Harry, Kelly, Connor, Ruby, Chloe, Harrison, Maxinne and Kinga. Also our Head Boys and Head Girls: Connor, Harrison, Chloe and Poppy. All of the speeches the Year 6 children gave were amazing but these were the children that were voted for by their peers. Well done.

Have a wonderful weekend, hope you manage to avoid the rain and remember to like and follow our new school Facebook page.

Kirsty Biss



Save the Date

Wednesday 8th October
3:00 Reception Classes Welcome meeting
Friday 10th October
8:55am KS2 Celebration Assembly

House Points



This Week - Overall

Huish	167
Foxcote	182
Tyning	150
Ludlow	171

Class Attendance

Cam	96.5%
Lox	92.9%
Brue	97.5%
Dart	96.9%
Avon	91.1%
Kennet	94.4%
Mells	97.2%
Yeo	96.4%
Severn	98%
Huntspill	98.1%

House Captains, Head Boys and Head Girls

Congratulations to our newly appointed house captains and head boys and girls. All the children who gave speeches were fantastic and it was a difficult choice for the staff and children who all had a vote.

Head boys and girls: Connor, Harrison, Chloe and Poppy.



House Captains: Harry, Kelly, Connor, Ruby, Chloe, Harrison, Maxinne and Kinga.



Outside School Achievements

Ellis: Grade 3 Trampoline



Our Values

The children in Mells class have been busy writing their class prayers this week. Edward Creed wrote a beautiful prayer which included some of our values and he received a head teacher award for his amazing effort and understanding the importance of them. Well done Edward!



A Time To Talk

In each class ask your child about:



Cam/Lox: What vegetables did Oliver eat in the story of 'Oliver's Vegetables'?

Brue: : What happened at the Great Fire of London?

Dart: Which countries make up the United Kingdom?

Avon/Kennet: How can we learn new spellings?

Mells: How many days are in a leap year?

Yeo/Severn: How would you feel if you had to be evacuated in WW2?

Huntspill: What can you find out about Henri Matisse?

Maths Challenge

Huge congratulations to Maisy R and Regan S for coming 4th out of 28 schools and well done to Alfie M and Joseph M for beating 13 other schools. They had to complete challenges involving lots of problem solving and quick thinking! We are all very proud! - Ms Hinchliff

Friends of St Nic's

WOW, what a party! It was lovely to see so many of you enjoying yourselves with your families and friends. Mrs. B's bar and Greg's diner seemed to be a real hit and we loved dancing to Mr. Moore and his fantastic band. Huge thanks to all the staff who helped us - we could not have run the stalls without them! The total raised will be shared soon - we're sure it will take us closer to our yurt and pizza oven, but it was just nice to have a great evening all together.

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Equalities Team

Our equalities team have already been working very hard this term. They are organising an 'Odd Socks day' on the 12th November in support of Anti-bullying week which is 11th-15th November. There will also be an assembly on the morning of the 12th. More details to follow.



Eco Team

Welcome to our Eco Team. They will be working together to consider the environment in everything the school does.



Time to Pray

Time to Pray is every Monday 8:45-9:15am. Everyone is welcome to come along. Please meet in reception with Jane Van Haaps who is also available should you require further information.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CHILDCARE
Tamzen
at
St Nicholas Primary School, Radstock
AVAILABLE FROM
SEPTEMBER 2017
(term time only)

MONDAY TO THURSDAY
8am - 8.45am
3.30pm - 5.45pm
FRIDAY
8am - 8.45am
3.00pm - 5.45pm

0-12 YEARS
Come join the FUN!

Tamzen is run by Fully qualified, Ofsted registered, and experienced children's Tammy and Zena.
For more information or to register for a place please e-mail: tamzen826@gmail.com
or call Tammy: 07971 379 358 or Zena: 07790 067 065

School Council

We would like to introduce our School Council members who will be representatives for their class at future meetings over the next year.



Class Awards

Star of the week

Maths Magician

Wizard Writer

CAM

Logan S

LOX

Amber V

Theo C

Fionnuala K

DART

Jack G

George W

Freddie B