

Newsletter 3

Dear Parents



I would like to mention the recent subscription for children to use **Mathletics** at home. There are many pupils who are spending lots of time on this, and we are already seeing improvements in maths as a result! I hope you are finding it a very useful way to encourage practising maths. This has all been possible owing to the very kind offer from the PTA to pay for the subscription. This is just one way that the PTA enriched the learning of pupils last year. Along with that they have also paid for the fantastic recent playground markings along with many other items, visits and experiences for pupils. The **PTA AGM** is coming up soon, on Monday 15th October here at school. Please do come along as we need to keep up the momentum of the PTA! This is because their support really does positively impact our children, and it is also a great way to get to know other parents. Thank you again to the PTA and all its supporters who work so hard.

Harvest

Thankyou to all parents that have already donated dried and tinned goods for the Harvest service next week. Please keep the donatons coming in as the project that we support is so grateful for what we can give.



Just as a reminder, we are holding separate infant and junior Harvest services on Thursday 11th October. Parents are very welcome to attend. The junior service is at 9:10 am and the infant one is straight after (with a short gap for swap over) at 9:50 am.

Starting School

If you have a child who was born between 1st September 2014 and 31st August 2015, you need to apply for your 2019 Reception school spaces now!



Applications are already open, and close at 23:59 on 15th January 2019. You can apply and find further information at www.n-somerset.gov.uk/admissions

Diary Dates

<u>Event</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Harvest Service at Winford Church for Years 3,4,5,& 6	Thursday	11 th Oct	9.10am
Harvest Service at Winford Church for Reception, Years 1& 2	Thursday	11 th Oct	9.50am
PTA AGM	Monday	15 th Oct	8.00pm
End of Term disco	Thursday	25 th Oct	4.45-6pm
End of term	Friday	26 th Oct	

Celebration Assembly Certificates

<p><u>Lion</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Sam for excellent work in phonics this week. He listened very carefully to blend sounds together and match them to the correct picture. Olivia for great singing in music this week. She has enthusiastically joined in with all the harvest practices.</p>
<p><u>Leopard</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Tilly for having a super week! She has performed our harvest song beautifully and has earned many housepoints for her amazing attitude, focus and contributions during phonics. Well done Tilly. Rebe for always being so understanding of other people's feelings. She is a very kind member of Leopards and it is such a pleasure to have her in the class.</p>
<p><u>Panther</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Millie for showing great perseverance and determination to get the hang of partitioning numbers into tens and ones. She really impressed Mr A by never giving up! Charlie for working very hard this week at improving his speed and his concentration when working. He has shown how patient and determined he can be. Well done!</p>
<p><u>Tiger</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Laila-May for being a delight in Tiger class and she will be greatly missed by the whole class. Keep up the great work in your new school. Hannah for showing happiness and positivity within the class. Hannah always enters the classroom with a great attitude-a super role model.</p>
<p><u>Jaguar</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Ailsa always works co-operatively with others when working in partnership and in groups. She shows a great sense of leadership and also compromise to ensure everyone has a part in the task they are doing. Keep it up! John has shown such a brilliant sense of determination during the team skills tasks in P E this week/ He didn't give up even though his team had to start late and he worked co-operatively ensuring his team stayed motivated with his positive comments. Mrs Hayward was very impressed!</p>
<p><u>Lynx</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Saskia for always showing an enthusiastic and positive attitude to her learning. Saskia works hard, listens and is eager to join in with discussion. Keep it up! Mia is always ready to learn and wants to challenge herself everyday. She listens carefully to feedback and because of this, she makes great progress.</p>
<p><u>Puma</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Cassidy for impressing Mrs Buncombe with his determination in mastering factors and multiples. Jackson and Finley H for their interested and good questions related to our WW1 topic.</p>
<p><u>Footballer of the week</u></p> 	<p>w/e 05.10.18 Well done to the Football teams for coming 1st and 2nd in the tournament this week. Also the rugby team for coming second in the Chew Valley touch rugby tournament yesterday. For great play, also a special mention to Kai and Thomas C.</p>