



NEWSLETTER

9th October 2015

PARENTS' EVENING 13th & 14th OCTOBER

Parents' evening will be held next week on **Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th October**. Letters have been sent out; please ensure you have returned your appointment slip to make a time to meet with your child's class teacher.

OPEN MORNING – 16th OCTOBER

Join us on **Friday 16th October** for our open morning. Starting at 9:15am with Celebration Assembly followed at 9:45am with a short 'Meet the Head' session, afterwards you will have the opportunity to join your child in the classroom and do some activities together.

LET'S GO FLY A KITE



Tickets are now on sale to Yr 5 and 6 parents for the KS2 performance 'Let's Go Fly A Kite'. Performances will be on **Tuesday 20th October at 2pm** and **Wednesday 21st October at 6pm**. Please ensure you return your slip to **order tickets by Wednesday 14th October**.

Remaining tickets will go on general sale from noon on **Thursday 15th October**. The cost per ticket is £1 for adults and 50p for students/OAPs.

SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

A reminder for parents of Year 6 children that you need to apply for your child's **secondary school** place by the **deadline 23:59 on 31st October 2015**.

Look out for the secondary school open evenings so you can go along and visit, see what it is like and speak to staff before the application deadline. Further information is available on our website and from School Admissions by telephoning 01275 884 078.

PREVENTING THE SPREAD OF ILLNESS



As we approach the colder months and see an increase in sickness bugs, please help us prevent the spread of illness. Please do not send your child to school if they are unwell. If your child develops symptoms of diarrhoea and/or vomiting you should keep them off school until they have been symptom free for at least 48 hours.

Good hygiene is important to stop the spread of infection, especially hand washing, frequently and thoroughly with soap and water, particularly after using the toilet and before eating.

Please help us keep a healthy school this winter. Thank you.

INSET DAY - FRIDAY 23rd OCTOBER

A reminder that Friday 23rd October is an inset day and school will be closed for staff training. The last day of term for children is **Thursday 22nd October**. We are **back** at school on **Monday 2nd November**.



SCHOOL CHRISTMAS DINNER

Please ensure you **return your child's order slip** indicating if a Christmas dinner is required by **Monday 19th October**.

RECEPTION CLASS PHOTO



The Weston Mercury will be coming in to school on **Tuesday 20th October** to take a group photo of reception class children. The Mercury will be publishing a special reception class photo feature from schools across North Somerset. **If you do not want your child included in this photo please inform your child's class teacher.**

THANK YOU FROM FOOD BANK

The Dreamers Club visited Weston Food Bank on Monday to deliver all the fantastic harvest donations. They were gratefully received by Food Bank. Thank you to everyone who contributed.



HALLOWEEN CAKE SALE

The Dreamers Group will be holding a **Halloween** cake sale on **Thursday 22nd October 3pm-3:30pm** in the Reception playground. Cakes will be on sale at 50p per cake. Please come along and enjoy some **spooktacular cakes!**

E-SAFETY FOCUS

Talking about what your child does online – the **www** approach



Who do they connect with online?

Children don't think of people they've "met" on the internet as strangers. Talk to your child regularly about who they communicate with in the digital world. By taking an interest in your child's online friends it can reveal if they are vulnerable.

Where do they go online?

Talk about what sites they visit and what they love about them, if they know you understand they are more likely to come to you if they have any problems.

What do they do online?

Regularly talk to your child about what they do online. Check that the websites, social networks and games they're using are suitable for their age.



FAMILY LINKS PARENTING COURSE

We are planning to run a **new Family Links Parenting Course in the New Year**. It is a fantastic opportunity to improve family relationships, meet new people and gain an understanding of your child's behaviour.

If you are interested and would like more information see Fiona Bennett/Judy Holden in school or phone 427130.

FAMILY FOREST SCHOOL

Thank you to everyone that took part in our Family Forest School sessions, they were a huge success. **We will be planning more sessions to start again in the Spring**. If you are interested in taking part please contact Judy on 427130.



SPORTS NEWS

We played two sports fixtures against Windwhistle School this week.

Our Netball team played a great game, the final score was 7-1 to Windwhistle, but it was a much closer game than the scoreline suggests. Well done team BPS, you all played brilliantly.

Our Football team drew 2-2 against Windwhistle; our goal scorers were Ty (6a) and Hayden (6b). The man of the match, as voted for by Windwhistle, was Ty. Everyone played a fantastic game, well done team BPS.

ROLL OF HONOUR

Class Certificates

1a	Dawid and Shyanna
2a	Leland and Gracie
2b	Celeste
3a	Amy and Chloe
3b	Amelia and Ruby
4a	Jakob and Harry
4b	Isobel, Terry and Taya
5a	Carmen and Yannis
5b	Charlie-Louise and Jackson
6a	Charlie
6b	Lilygrace and Ellison

Better Learners Certificate

1a	Lillie and Alannah
2a	Lexii and Isabelle
2b	Marlena, Lucy and Caiden
3a	Shaun and Precious
3b	Gabriela and Jonathan
4a	Destiny and Ashley
4b	Brandon, Tyler and Chloe
5a	Kyle and Chloe
5b	Jamie-Lee and Tia
6a	Reece
6b	Haydn and Tilly-Ann

Maths Certificate

William (3a), Kira (3b), Cherry-Mae (4b), Radiyya (4b), Logan (4b)

Pink
Billy (1a), Kaiden (1a)

Dark Green
Alfie (2a)

Light Blue
Gracie (2a), Emily (2a)

Dark Blue
Dawid (1a), Mattea (2a)



FREE Zumba class at
Windwhistle Primary School
Wednesday mornings 9.15am-10.00am

It's FUN, it's FREE so come along and dance to great music whilst burning lots of calories!

Everyone Welcome.

Contact Carly on 01934 427134 to find out more.

DIARY DATES:

October 2015

13 th	Parents Evening
14 th	Parents Evening
16 th	Open Morning
20 th	KS2 Performance "Let's Go Fly A Kite" 2pm
21 st	KS2 Performance "Let's Go Fly A Kite" 6pm
22 nd	Dreamer's Club Halloween Cake Sale 3pm
23 ^d	Last day of term / Inset Day - school closed for staff training
31 st	Deadline for Secondary School Applications

November 2015

2 nd	Back to school
16 th	School Photographs

December 2015

7 th	Christmas topic starts
11 th	Christmas Fair 1:30pm-3:30pm
17 th	Christmas Dinner
18 th	Last day of term

January 2016

4 th	Inset Day - school closed for staff training
5 th	Back to school
25 th	Parent Questionnaire Out
15 th	Deadline for Reception 2016 Applications

February 2016

9 th	Dreamer's Club Pancake Sale
9 th	Parents Evening
10 th	Parents Evening
12 th	Last day of term
22 nd	Back to school

March 2016

3 rd	World Book Day
25 th	Good Friday – school closed
28 th	Easter Monday – school closed

April 2016

1 st	Last day of term
18 th	Back to school

May 2016

2 nd	May Day Bank Holiday – school closed
9 th	KS2 SATs Week
27 th	Last day of term

June 2016

6 th	Back to school
13 th	Yr 1 phonics screening tests
20 th	Arts Week
30 th	Sports Day

July 2016

1 st	Sports Day (alternative date if postponed on 30 th due to bad weather)
4 th	School Reports out to parents
4 th	Summer Fair 1:30pm-3:30pm
5 th	Year 6 Transition Day / Move Up Day
11 th	Year 6 Residential Week
13 th	Parents Evening
21 st	Inset Day - school closed for staff training
22 nd	Last day of term / Inset Day - school closed for staff training