

School Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all enjoying the glorious weather we are having!

STAFF CHANGES

As well as saying goodbye to Mrs Hannam at the end of this month we are also saying goodbye to Mrs Dann our Teaching Assistant in Reception and Mrs Alison Hambly our Teaching Assistant in Class 2. We would like to wish them well for the future and thank them for all their hard work over the last year. We are having a collection for these members of staff, if you wish to contribute to these please call in at the school office. Thank you.

SWIMMING PAYMENT REMINDER

May I remind all parents in Class 3 who have not paid for swimming to please forward payment to the school office as soon as possible. The total cost being £6.20 for Term 5 & 6. Thank you.

PILNING CARNIVAL

Well done to St Peter's for winning 'the best float' at Pilning Carnival. It was a fantastic day and all the children who participated looked amazing! Thank you to Friends of St Peter's for their time and hard work in putting together such a great float.



SPORTS DAY

Please make sure your children have suncream and a hat on Sports Day. Please also remember to provide them with a bottle of water as it looks like it's going to be hot!



KS2 Thursday 2nd July 1.30 pm Parents are welcome.

KS1 Friday 3rd July 1.30 pm Parents are welcome.

FESTIVAL OF YOUTH SPORTS – VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

In the Volleyball tournament on Saturday 20th June we went to Yate Outdoor Sports Complex to play volleyball. First we walked around the athletic track and saw Kris Akabusi. Jasmine Gurney and Jake Bevan played really well and helped us to win every match played. Chloe Wrighton and Tom Croft were good at umpiring and scoring. Francesca Dunford worked her socks off! We had a great day.

Report by Chloe Wrighton

YEAR 6 CAMP – by Ms Urry



Year 6 had a fantastic time on their camp to the Forest of Dean in June. We tried all sorts of activities, including trapeze, abseiling, fencing and much more!

REPORT BY LOUISE & ELLEN YEAR 6

We had a great time trying out lots of activities that we have never tried before, our favourite being the fencing and abseiling. We made lots of new friends and learnt about 'drop bears'! (Year 6 children will know what we mean!) The Disco on the last night was cool! Even Ms Urry was up dancing to the 'macarena'!

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PARENT GOVERNOR NOMINATION

We would like to welcome Kate Jenkins our new Parent Governor. Kate has a daughter in Class 2 and a son soon to be starting in Reception. Welcome aboard Kate!

DINNER MONEY

From September 2009 dinner money fees will be increasing from £1.55 to £1.60 per meal. Therefore, if you pay weekly the amount will be £8.00. (Cheques made payable to 'South Glos Council'. To help the staff in the office, please could you send in your money in a secure envelope with your child's name and class on the front. It is really important not to give loose change to the teachers as this can get lost in transition to the office. Your cooperation in this matter would be much appreciated.



INSET DAYS

Please make sure your diaries are updated to note that St Peter's return to school on the 7th September. The 3rd and 4th September will be Inservice Days.

BRADLEY STOKE FOOTBALL TOURNAMOUNT

Year 1's had a fantastic day at the Bradley Stoke Football Festival. We were joint winners, scoring loads of goals and playing with great sportsmanship. We received a giant trophy which is displayed in the cabinet in the entrance hall. Players also received medals, tracksuit tops and a goody bag.



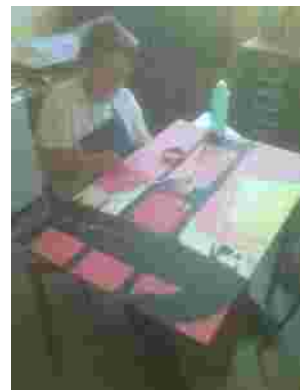
RECEPTION FATHER'S DAY PARTY

Reception Class held a Father's Day party on the afternoon of the 18th June. All the children decorated fairy cakes and made jam and cheese sandwiches which were eaten in copious amounts! All the Dad's were very enthusiastic in joining in the activities of junk modelling (some very competitive Dad's!) painting, computers, playing with water etc. Thank you all for coming, the children had a wonderful time!

VISIT TO WARBURTON'S NEW FACTORY

Emily Coote, Ffion Parry, Shiro Cox and Lewis Hendy were chosen from a group of 15 children to attend a painting class by Pippins Design Co where the children helped paint pictures of Thornbury Castle, Cabot Tower and the Severn Bridge. These pictures have been put on display in their new factory. We were able to keep one picture which was of a farm, which will be on display in school. The four children along with Mr Purvis and Ms Tearle attended the grand opening of the new factory whilst meeting the Warburton family, finishing with lunch and a tour round the factory plus a free goody bag!

Wishing you all a safe and happy summer holiday!



Mr Keith Tinline-Purvis
Headteacher

