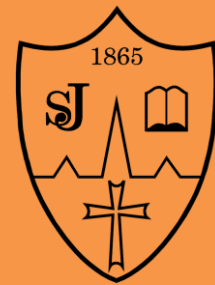


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Working together to achieve and enjoy



Issue 2 – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018

## THE NEXT FORTNIGHT AT A GLANCE....

Focus on: Co-operation – We share and co-operate with parents in learning and play

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> – PTA meeting Moran's 6:45pm

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> – Singing with Russell Burton (Pip and Jims') Multi skills coaching in Y2, Cheltenham Town Football coaching in Y6 **European Day of Languages and Reception Open Evening 6pm**

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> – Cheltenham Town Football coaching Y6

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> – Y2 Trip to the Black Country Museum

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> October – **School Photos – individual and sibling photographs**

Wednesday and Thursday Cheltenham Town football coaching for Y6 weekly

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> – **Parent Open Afternoon 2-3pm + National Poetry Day**

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> – PTA Boogie Night + Girl's Football Tournament + Y3 to Literature Festival and **Reception Parents' PlayPod Session 2:15pm**

We hope that the children have enjoyed their first few weeks back at school and are not too tired! The next few weeks are looking busy with trips to the Literature Festival, National Poetry Day and European Day of Languages – with events planned for all year groups, we hope that they enjoy them.

THE  TIMES  
THE SUNDAY TIMES

## CHELTENHAM

### Literature Festival



All years with the exception of Reception are taking a trip to enjoy the festival. They are all immersing themselves in great books! Learning to read and creating a reading culture is important to us!

Come to school dressed as a person from a different country, traditional dress, football kits, colours of a flag all welcome! Lots of languages and talks happening across the school.

A day to celebrate the magic and value of poetry! Come and join us for a look around the school in the afternoon between 2 and 3. Juniors will be able to tour with their parents; infants need to remain in class.

## Parent Questionnaire

Our parent questionnaire is attached. Please complete and return by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October so that the results can inform our school development plan. Copies can be collected from the office.

## Reception Open Evening

Come and join us on the 26<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm to hear about how your child will learn this year. This is a light hearted presentation to help you make sense of the journey that your child will take this year at school.

*'An excellent session that helped me to make sense of school for my son, thank you.'* Reception parent last year.



Some of our Year 1 pupils have enjoyed working co-operatively at one of our values areas in school.

Annabelle Southward, Isla Runciman and Novak Raznatovic enjoyed weaving together. Annabelle said that they were 'co-operating to get the job done.'



## Parking!

Please, please, please consider the safety of the children when parking. Double yellow lines are there for a reason! Please do not park on the cross hatch lines outside of school, or block in the crossing. Also turn off your engine whilst waiting as we would prefer our children to breath in unpolluted air when they leave after school...



## FROM THE OFFICE...

Please complete on-line flu immunization consent form. The children can only have the nasal spray if consent is given for each child.

Reminder, for Y6 parents, please complete Secondary transfer application online by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018.

## Congratulations to...

### Celebration Worship 14/9/18

#### Infants

**Class 1** - Not yet in worship

**Class 2** - Not yet in worship

**Class 3** – Sandra Grzech and Philip Healy

**Class 4** - Eve Roberts and Mia Tangye

**Class 5** - Amelia Henley and Heidi Dewhurst

**Class 6** - Luke Zurita and Itty Palmer-Powles

#### Juniors

**Class 7** - Kamara Haynes and Jett Kelly

**Class 8** - Bella Southward and Martha Ingram

**Class 9** - Sam Arthur and Frankie Quiddington

**Class 10** - Milly Dewhurst and Cillian O'Donnell

**Class 11** - No merits given

**Class 12** - Milo Moran, Francis Lloyd and Omar Abazied

**Class 13** - Betsy Mitchell and Martha Wiggins

**Class 14** - Oliver Hepworth and Ella Hardiman

#### Extra Certificates

Summer Reading Challenge - Amelia Rowlands, Heidi McKenzie, Erin and Alyssa Hemingway

Stage 4 Swimming - Arthur Slimmings

2 x Gold Synchronised Swimming Medals - Marianne Baker

Half Marathon Club - Arthur Slimmings and Owen Slimmings

Slimbridge Lego Award - Benji McKenzie

#### House points

**1st** - 133 - Earth

**2nd** - 94 - Water

**3rd** - 83 - Air

**4th** - 33 - Fire

### Celebration Worship 21/9/18

#### Infants

**Class 1** - Not yet in worship

**Class 2** - Not yet in worship

**Class 3** - Ava Cull and Scarlett Kilminster

**Class 4** - William Ward and Jessica England

**Class 5** - Erin Hodgkinson and Tom Ward



**Class 6** - Mollie Long and William Cubbins

**Juniors**

**Class 7** - Angus Bryan and Isabella Debney

**Class 8** - Libby Byrne and Alfie Brown

**Class 9** - Elodie Reisner and Miriam Samuel

**Class 10** - Seb Bodley, Tilly Collins and Amy Partridge

**Class 11** - Joe Heath and Hugo Mudie

**Class 12** - Eilidh Cattanach and Jude Kelly

**Class 13** - Jacqueline Chan and Jess Chicken

**Class 14** - George Nieve and Emily Holder

**Extra Certificates**

Gymnastics Silver Medal to Isabella Debney

Poppy and Itty Palmer-Powles for Blue Peter Badges

Congratulations to our infant play pod leaders who received their badges today.

Worship badges awarded to all of the new worship team this year - well done to you all for your hard work so far.

**House points**

**1st** - 127 - Water

**2nd** - 114 - Fire

**3rd** - 113 - Air

**4th** - 107 - Earth

