

Dear Parents/Carers

This week has been quite a jolly one – a feature of Summer terms I think.

Wednesday afternoon saw the children perform brilliantly in the KS2 Sports. It was a happy mixture of grim determination to win and to 'have a go' attitude with almost 100% of the children taking part. Well done to all the children – many of whom said "I'm really nervous" in the starting line, but still gave it a try. Thank you also to Mr Staddon and his team of helpers for ensuring that the afternoon went so smoothly and enjoyably.

On Wednesday evening, we welcomed the parents of our new children who are joining us in September. This was an opportunity to meet Mrs Kent, Mrs Harris and myself and to talk about the whole process of 'Starting School'. A number there were familiar faces – having one (or more) child(ren) at the School already, but for those new faces, I hope that you'll have the opportunity to meet again at the end of term barbeque on the 18 July.

The PTA are preparing for the final extravaganza of the year. I believe that this was a rip-roaring success last July, despite the fact that half of the West Country (and my previous school) were under water! We look forward to seeing you there – the live band will be returning by popular demand, so I think that it promises to be a very good evening.

Thursday night gave the Year 6 the opportunity to share with us their experiences at Kilve through their powerpoint presentation. I was very impressed both by their technological skills and their clear speaking voices. Well done all.

We are already planning next year's residentials and hope to let you know the approximate dates and costs before the end of the year (or very early next term) to help both your diary and your budget.

If you are going to Glastonbury or Wimbledon, I hope that you have a 'dry' time, and for those who are not, have a great weekend. On Monday Orange Class will be going on their trip to Weston-super-Mare; and Daniel and Kerry will be representing the School on the CLP visit to the London parliament.

Don't forget Year 6 Spirit of Wells visit on Tuesday, KS1 Sports afternoon on Wednesday 2 July at 1.45pm and the Curry Rivel Cricket Club KS2 Kwik Cricket tournament at Curry Rivel Cricket Ground on the same day.

Best wishes

Amanda Tutt

## **Helping Hands:**

Bethan for helping to put away chairs  
Leon for being kind at Sports Day

## **Class Cups!**

**Red Class:** Elissia for joining in all activities at Forest School

**Orange Class:** Tommy for hard work and good progress with writing

**Yellow Class:** Finley for making a real effort with his School work

**Green Class:** Lydia for all her hard work and help organising Sports Day

**Blue Class:** Daniel for settling into School well and demonstrating a positive attitude to class work/activity

**Merit Awards:** Congratulations to Elisha for completing her yellow chart, Chloe for completing her green chart and Jodie, Emily, Eoin, Lucy and Jade for completing their blue charts.

### **Henry Hound Award**

The Henry Hound award is going this week to Orange class. Congratulations on receiving this week's award from Jane the Caretaker for your **tidy** classroom.

### **Somerset Junior Try-a-Tri 08**

#### **Annual Somerset Junior Triathlon**

Sunday 13 July 2008 Millfield School 10.00am to 1.00pm for 10 to 14 years.

Bring your own bike and helmet. To register please go do

[www.bikesomerset.co.uk](http://www.bikesomerset.co.uk) More information available from 01823 355396

### **Somerton Summer Arts Festival**

#### **11-19 July 2008**

See poster in glass corridor: Fred Wedlock, Rock'n'Roll night, Belinda Evans with Stephen Marquiss, Kenny Ball and his Jazz Men, Julie Felix, etc Information from

[www.somerton.co.uk](http://www.somerton.co.uk)

### **Somerton Summer Arts Festival**

#### **Somerton Young Musician of the Year 2008**

#### **Monteclefe Junior School 7.00pm Monday 14 July**

*Entry rules and application form available from the School Office. Applications have to be submitted by **Saturday 28 June** latest.*

### **Yellow Class Jumble Sale in aid of class funds:**

Friday 4 July 2.30pm to 4.00pm. All Donations from Monday onwards: children's toys, clothes etc. Refreshments will be available.

### **Curry Rivel Flower Show**

#### **Saturday 2 August 2008 2.30pm to 4.30pm Village Hall**

Admission 50p. Accompanied children under 12 free

Entry booklets available from Curry Rivel Post Office – last date for entry 6.30pm to 8.00pm Thursday 31 July – *take entry forms to Village Hall.*

Word Search and Painting Competition invitations have already gone out to classes.

**LOST PROPERTY:** PE KITS AND WATER BOTTLES ARE MISSING FROM ALL CLASSES. PLEASE CHECK AT HOME. PLENTY OF LOST PROPERTY AGAIN – THIS WILL BE DISPOSED OF BY FRIDAY 4 JULY IF NOT CLAIMED.

### **BREAKFAST CLUB**

Now the building work has finished, parents are able to drop their children at the front gate of the School and can use the main hall door entrance round the side of the School.

## **St Andrew's Church Fete Saturday 12 July – All aboard the Ark!**

Please remember to return all the competition entries: masks, drawing, writing etc.

**All entries back to School by Friday 4 July.**

**New Autumn SCS menu and School Terms and Holidays including inset days has been sent out to parents and are available on the website.**

### **Kilve photo disc:**

Available to Year 6 parents only at a cost of £2.

### **Dates for your Diary**

Monday 30 June	KS2 Athletics HESSLVC 9.00am
Monday 30 June	CLP Parliament visit to London
Tuesday 1 July	Year 6 Spirit of Wells visit
Wednesday 2 July	KS1 Sports 1.30pm for 1.45pm start (reserve 3.7.08)
Wednesday 2 July	KS2 Kwik Cricket 10.00am to 4.00pm Cricket Ground
Friday 4 July	KS1 Hoop Ball Competition pm
Tuesday 8 July	KS2 Summer Show 1.30pm
Wednesday 9 July	Year 6 Induction Day HESSLVC & Swap Over Day C R
Thursday 10 and Friday 11 July	KS2 Summer Show 7.00pm
Thursday 10 July	2.00pm Swimming Gala HESSC
Friday 11 July	Year 6 French Day at Huish
Saturday 12 July	St Andrew's Church Fete 2.00pm
Friday 18 July 2008	Summer BBQ
Tuesday 22 July	Leavers' Evening 6.30pm
Wednesday 23 July	End of Year Service St Andrew's – to be confirmed
Open Evening HESSLVC	Wednesday 24th September 2008
Autumn Term starts	Wednesday 3 September (inset day)
Pupils return	Thursday 4 September
Inset Day	Friday 26 September

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