

Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing this letter as I travel with our Year 6 children to the 'Leavers' Day' at Wells. The sun is shining and I feel sure that we're in for a great day.

The week started well with our first model making competition, organised by the School Council. The idea was that competitors planned and practised their model and then brought all the components to School and assembled it in 30 minutes. We saw a mixture of K'nex, Lego, Meccano and junk modelling. I know that we always say this but it was genuinely difficult to judge because the models were all so different and everyone had taken such care over them. However, in the end, choose we did and Emily won KS1 prize for the 'Hungry Caterpillar' and Daniel and Rubin for 'Mr Staddon, bowled out!'.

On what seemed like the hottest day of the year so far, we had our Foundation/KS1 and KS2 Sports Day. Both went very smoothly with all the children (and some parents!) having a go. A particular well done to those that took part in the long distance races – and to those that tried the sack race using rather size challenged sacks! All tried their very best, cheered on by a very supportive audience. Again, I'd like to say thank you to all the helpers and Peter Staddon, Alison Sauter, Jill Slade, Mandy Horsey and Ruth Shurley in particular.

I am finishing this letter as we return from Wells. We have had a lovely day with mini tours of the Cathedral and drama, dance, mine, art and environment workshops, finishing with a short service in the glorious Cathedral. The candle that we used in our act of Collective Worship this morning was our gift from the Diocese. Even in such a short time, our Year 6 have made new friends – some of whom they will be meeting again next term.

Don't forget our Summer Fair tomorrow – who needs Glastonbury when you can enjoy the stalls, country dancing, tombola and so much more right on your doorstep (with a much smaller entrance fee!). See you all tomorrow!

Best wishes

Amanda Tutt

Helping Hands:

Finlay, Henry, Katie J, Chloe C and Bethan for helping put the PA system away after Sports Day

Class Cups

Red Class: Archie for super grown up behaviour in class

Orange Class: Sam for a really clear storyboard with good speech bubbles

Yellow Class: Teigan for joining in well on sports day

Green Class: George for his improved ability in mental maths

Blue Class: Carenza for learning her lines for the performance and for her hard work and help on Sports Day

Merit Awards: Congratulations to Daisy and Nathan for completing their Orange charts

Lunchtime Good Behaviour Awards: Alex, Jordon, Sharna and Crystal. Mrs Moore says thank you for your good behaviour.

Letters etc sent out this week:

If you haven't received any of these, please check pupil's bookbags and classes (first!) before asking for an additional copy from the School Office:

Country Dancing Years 1-3 Tuesday 30 June 1.30pm

Lulworth Cove Reminder letters – the trip is next Thursday –

letters and contributions back asap please!

SUMMER WEATHER: Could parents please put named sunhats in the children's bags for use during hot weather. You may wish to put suncream on your child before coming to School.

OTHER NOTICES AND REMINDERS:

Bath & Wells celebrates 1100 years :

Saturday 20 June Choral Festival Wells 6.00pm Saturday 4 July:
Glastonbury Abbey 11.00am Children's Activities etc (see poster for more activities!)

As part of the 110th celebrations of the Diocese of Bath & Wells, during May and June this year Bishop Peter Price, the Diocesan Bishop is going to be walking round the diocese... Details of 'Peter's Progress' can be found on <http://www.bw1100.org/peters-progress/petersprogress1/>
Information on the dedicated 1100th website <http://www.bw1100.org/>

Car Treasure Hut Saturday 4 July Entry £5 per car

Meeting at Curry Rivel Car Park 6.45pm

Tel: 01458 259391 for entries by 1 July

(organised by United Reform Church)

et ready for the **FUN RUN in Curry Rivel** on **Saturday 11 July 2009** (at the Church Fete) 2.00pm start. Start and finish in Water Street – running on the road and footpaths – Young children must be accompanied: Entry fee: Adults £3, Under 16 £2, Under 6 free. Registration in the Village Hall on the day or by completing the form available from the School Office shortly.

St Andrew's Church Fete

Saturday 11 July starts at 2.00pm

RSPB Events:

Sunday 5 July Family Event at Greylake – no booking required

Various activities at West Sedgemoor from to 12 July

(see poster). Booking essential.

Information available on 07774 620879

Somerton Summer Arts Festival – 10 to 18 July 2009 –

Festival Programme on sale from Stationery House, Somerton and Williams Supermarket

Kilve Residential Courses:

Enrichment Courses in science, maths, English and history available at Kilve in October and November – leaflets available from the School Office.

Castle Cary RFC Summer Camps 09 – 20/21 August 2009
10.00am to 3.00pm. Age Group 11 to 15. Somerset Qualified

Coaches. 2 days fun for £40. Contact Viv Armson on 01963 379642 or Karen Travers on 01749 346059

Tales of the Riverbank: Summer Activities for 8 to 14 year olds Ridgway Hall and Cocklemoor River Bank – **Tuesday 28 July, Tuesday 18 August and Tuesday 25 August** 11.00am to 4.00pm
Admission free but numbers limited to 20 per session: Enquiries and bookings to Hannah Aitken on 01458 252463.

Modelling Competition

KS1 Winner Emily

KS2 Winners Daniel and Rubin

Participants: Keiran, Jodie, Katy and Isabel, Owen and Sam, Jonathan, Piotr, James and Kieran, Lewis

BUGFEST 4

SAT 8TH AUGUST 12-4pm

BUCKLERS MEAD SPORTS CENTRE Yeovil BA21 4NH

Stalls containing bugs, spiders, crafts, children's activities (for a small charge) is back in Yeovil.
Admission: ADULTS £2, CHILDREN £1 or free if in any fancy dress. One person is admitted FREE with this newsletter. Stalls still available. Contact Kara@bugfest.co.uk or visit www.bugfest.co.uk.

Congratulations to Astrid on passing
her food safety exam!

PTA SUMMER FAYRE 27 JUNE

TOMORROW

1.00pm to 4.00pm

Dates for your Diary

Saturday 27 June

Tuesday 30 June

Thursday 2 July

Saturday 11 July

Mon 13 to Wed 15 July

Wednesday 15 July

Friday 17 July

Tuesday 21 July

Tues 1 & Wed 2 September

Thursday 3 September

Summer Fayre 1.00pm to 4.00pm

Country Dancing for parents 1.30pm

Green & Blue Classes to Lulworth Cove

Church Fete & Fun Run

Parents' Evenings

Green Class Kingfisher Picnic 4.00pm

PTA Summer BBQ

Year 6 Leavers' BBQ

Likely Inset Days new School Year

Pupils start Autumn term