



Weekly Update: 20th May 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 25th May 3.15pm: Tea and scones in hall with Jubilee Display

Thursday 25th May: Noodles icecreams (Free) for all pupils ☺

Friday 27th May: PTA Raffle & Jubilee competition prize giving

HALF TERM (30th May-3rd June)

Monday 6th June: Additional Day for the Queen's Jubilee (School Closed)

Week beginning 6th June: Year 1 Phonics Screening

Thursday 9th June: Class photos

Thursday 9th June 5pm: Year 6 residential parent/carer meeting

Thursday 16th June: Camelot & Discovery Class Trips

Thursday 16th June: Scarecrows to be brought into school for Curry Rivel In Bloom

Friday 17th June: PTA Father's Day Stall

Friday 17th June: Anti-racism workshops led by Young Somerset for all classes

Sunday 19th June (1-5pm): Curry Rivel Open Gardens, including our school garden

Thursday 23rd June: Pippin & Maigold Trips

Friday 24th June: Gala Trip

w/b 27th June: Assessment week

28th June- 1st July: Year 6 Residential to Huish Woods

Saturday 2nd July: School Summer Fete (Details to follow)

Thursday 7th July: Year 7 Transition Day & New classes morning

Tuesday 12th July: Sports Day

Friday 15th July: Reserve Sports Day

w/b 18th July: Reports out to parents

Monday 18th July 7pm: Year 6 Showcase

Wednesday 20th July: Leavers' service (TBC)

Friday 22nd July: End of year assembly

Friday 22nd July: Last day of term

Monday 25th July: INSET Day

Tuesday 26th July: INSET Day

Monday 5th September: Start of Autumn Term

INSET Dates for Academic Year 2022/23:

Thursday 1st September 2022

Friday 2nd September 2022

Friday 21st October 2022

Tuesday 3rd January 2023

Monday 17th April 2023

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Curry Rivel in Bloom

Mr Silver and the gardening club are working with Gina Beauchamp (Curry Rivel in Bloom) to prepare our school for 'Open Gardens' on the 19th June (1-5pm). We will be serving cream teas here at the school. Thank you to Northwing Nursery for donating plants for our borders and hanging baskets.

PTA

The PTA school disco was such a success; it was wonderful seeing the children (and adults) having so much fun. The PTA are now getting ready for the Jubilee raffle (Next Friday) and the Father's day stall. Please save the date (2nd July) for our Summer Fair. PTA are looking for these items for the fair, if you are able to help:

- Plant pots
- Tombola prizes
- A giant Jenga set to borrow
- Cakes (For 1st July)
- Gazebos to borrow

If you have a small business and would like to have a stall at the fair, please contact the PTA:

curryrivelppta@outlook.com

Poetry

All classes have been immersed in poetry in recent weeks, with outstanding poems being read aloud by pupils in celebration assembly today. Miss Tucker has selected a few of these for you all to enjoy:

Walking A Dog

By Edie and Ailsa (Year 1)

Try not to fall over
 Rest your long legs
 It is tricky to walk a dog
 Care and give a tasty dog treat
 Keep the dog on the red lead
 You must not let it go on the rushing road

HARD

By Azalea (Year 1)

Help me do my maths.
 A teacher can help me right now.
 I want to give up.
 Doing lots of practice will help.



The ride of a lifetime

By Connie (Year 4)

As I clambered on oblivion trembling with fear,
An announcement came out ringing in my ear,
There was an error with the cart we were in.

Everyone got off,
With curiosity and even more fear,
As we waited, I could hear screaming ringing in my ear,
Time seemed to slow down as we waited in fear.

Soon it was over and we were all safely back in.

Soon we were high in the air,
My face as white as a sheet,
I shut my eyes the whole way through
I knew it was a ride I would repeat.

Condition

By William (Year 5)

As the Asthma attacked,
I absorbed the air,
The pain I felt,
The agony of air.

One day I'm in heaven,
The next I'm in hell, helpless and hurt,
My heart with no air,
Will I die? No, I will not,
I will survive.

Breathe where are you,
Without you I have no view,
You have to do this,
Let me breathe you through,

Everyone knew I will survive,



Everyone knew I can contain it,
Everyone knew I can control it
- But me.

Growth

Noah And Alfie

How it started,
Young - planting small seeds,
The year where the growth started...

Adapting - finding our strengths,
Learning: learning phonics - learning life skills - learning for the future.
Our seeds have grown - but not enough.

The years flying by...
Yet the seeds are not quite there yet.
Learning fractions: the growth of the tree is $\frac{3}{5}$...

Years that have gone by - years.
The seed - no more a seed.
A tree - an apple tree.

War in Harmony

By Oscar and Sam.

BANG! BANG!
Bullets piercing perilous peace,
Melody being silenced by the ongoing hate,
The dance of death shall be suppressed.

The enemy advances like a shadow of the night,
Destroying all in sight,
Civilians seek refuge as the dissonance of bullets,
Invades,
The song of death diminishes all freedom

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SchoolMoney

We really appreciate your patience as we solve SchoolMoney issues- generally it is working well, but we are aware that for some reason some clubs and Maigold swimming seem to have disappeared from the App- we will be resolving these issues early next week. Some people have sensibly asked why clubs are not on consecutive weeks- this is because we have staff meetings and training each week, so we work clubs around these dates. Please note that the Fizz Pop Science club (Years 3-6) must be booked through the company (Leaflets went out this week), but here is the link if you missed it:

www.fizzpopscience.co.uk (Click on 'Cloud' to sign up)

Clubs- Reminders of dates

Country Dancing	25 May 8 June 15 June 22 June 29 June 6 July	Athletics	12 May 26 May 9 June 16 June 14 July
Funky Feet	9 May 16 May 13 June 20 June 4 July 11 July	Fizz Pop Science	8 June 15 June 22 June 29 June 6 July
Mindfulness in the orchard	12 May 26 May 9 June 16 June 14 July	Spanish	17th May 24th May 14th June 21st June 12th July
Rounders	9 May 16 May 13 June 20 June 4 July 11 July	Gardening	16 May 23 May 13 June 20 June 4 July

Just to clarify, pupils will be brought to the back entrance (Water Street) when they finish their after school clubs. Staff will open the gate at 4.30pm and see your children to parents/carers- they will not need to buzz. By using the back gate we maintain good security for our Little Pips children who leave at 4.30pm. Please remember, parents/carers cannot park cars in the rear carpark.

Headteacher:



Don't forget the Jubilee Competition

Entries to school by Wednesday 25th May please, so we can set up the displays.



On Wednesday 25th May, come and enjoy a cup of tea and scone in our hall straight after school- there will be a display of the children's creations for you to view.

Celebration

We were able to welcome parents/carers to our celebration assembly today. Well done to the following pupils:

Class Cup Awards

Pippin: Henry

Maigold: Alex

Gala: Finley

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Discovery: Poppy

Camelot: Sophia E

Blenheim: Meg

Running Rockstars:

Gala: Arya

Discovery: Toby

Camelot: Amy

Lunchtime stars

Pippin: Eddie

Maigold: Izabelle

Camelot: Hugo

Blenheim: Jacob

100 Merits: Sophie & Tiana (Discovery)

Outstanding Poets

Pippin: Edie & Ailsa

Maigold: Millie & Azalea

Gala: Brooke & Finley

Discovery: Connie & Beth

Camelot: Akaisha & William

Blenheim: Noah, Alfie, Sam, Oscar, Taliyah

100 trophies on Transum Maths: Jacob P (Blenheim)

Have a restful weekend.

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