



Frome Valley First School News Weekly



Stay And Play in the Reception Class

This Wednesday, 5th April from 2.30 – 3.15pm, the Reception class are holding a stay and play session for parents. Miss Padfield is inviting parents to come into class and help the children with making their emergency vehicles.

After School Activities

Forms for after school clubs are available on the carousel outside the school office. ***The Athletics Club has proved to be very popular and is now full.*** There are still spaces in all other clubs. If your child would like to trial a club before committing to the full half term, please speak to the staff in the office.

Citizenship Day

On the first day back after the Easter holidays (**Monday 24th April**), we are holding our Citizenship day. This is a day when we focus on anti-bullying and Global Citizenship. We would like all children to come to school wearing blue clothes. This is to remind everyone of our **NO BULLYING** ethos, as blue is the universal 'no bullying' colour.

Eco – Schools Walking Wednesday

Thank you to everyone that braved the rain last Wednesday and still walked to school. Despite the weather, we had an increase of 47% of children walking to school, in comparison to the previous week. Well done to everyone.



Sharing Assembly

A reminder that the Sharing Assembly for children in the Reception Class and Years 1 and 2 is this **Thursday 6th April**, at 9am in the school hall. For parents new to Frome Valley, Sharing Assembly is a chance for all classes to share what they have learned this term. We will also present the Citizenship Certificates for each class for children that have been particularly kind and helpful this term. We look forward to welcoming all parents, friends and relatives to these special assemblies.

At Sharing Assembly, we like to share in all the children's achievements. If your child has been awarded anything outside of school, please bring all certificates etc. to the school office.



Dorset County Hospital Cancer Appeal – 5p Challenge

Thank you to everyone that has so far donated their 5 pence coins. The class pots are slowly filling up. Please can any further donations be with school by the end of the week, ready to see how far we can go!!



Lost Property

We have quite a lot of lost property once more. Please have a look to see if anything can be claimed. Any items left by the end of the week will be disposed of. Thank you.

Milborne St Andrew Football Festival

Last Thursday, we had a team of seven boys and girls, from Year 4, take part in the Milborne Football Festival. They all played brilliantly coming second in the tournament. Congratulations to Ned who won player of the tournament because 'he put his body on the line for his team'!!



After School Cookery and Swimming

A reminder to parents that there is no after school swimming or cookery this week.

Paper Letters

We wish to advise parents that, after the Easter holidays, we will no longer be sending any paper copies of letters home from the school office. This includes News Weekly, trip letters etc. You will still receive some paper letters from class teachers.

Letters will be sent via eSchools and can be viewed in a number of ways. You can view letters via the app, via email or from the eSchools platform. Paper copies of letters will be available on the carousel outside the school office, or from the school office. If you need reminding of your eSchools login, please speak to the staff in the office.

PTFA Bingo

A huge thank you to everyone that attended the Easter bingo. There was a great atmosphere and everyone had a great evening. The prizes were amazing and we would like to thank you all for the donations which made them so good.

Can we also thank everyone who sent in cakes that were sold at the event there were some yummy looking cakes and they went down a treat! We raised an amazing £390! So thank you! May all on the PTFA wish you a relaxing Easter break and look forward to seeing you at our next event.



Milk Bottle Tops

We have an ongoing collection of milk bottle tops. If anyone knows of any group or charity that are collecting them, we now have a large black bag full. Please speak to the office staff if you would like them.

Young South West Rugby Camp

We have been asked to advise parents that the Rugby Camp can include 5 year olds from Year 1. If your child would like to take part please complete a slip and return to Young South West with either cash or cheque payment. We can also pass completed forms etc on to them, when they are in school tomorrow if needed.

Finally,

A reminder that this **Friday 7th April** is the last day of term. We return to school on **Monday 24th April**. We hope that everyone has an enjoyable and restful Easter break.