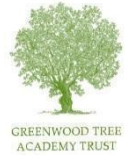




Frome Valley First School

News Weekly



Star of the Week

Congratulations to the following children who are the Stars of this week.

'Star of the Week'

Reception: Jessica

Year 1: Ella

Year 2: Jayden

Year 3: Millie

Year 4: Molly



Change of Parent Drop in Date

We apologise, but due to an unexpected event we have to change the date of the parent drop in once more. The new date is next **Tuesday 8th May**. There is an early morning session from 8.15 – 8.40am and an afternoon session from 2.15 – 3pm.

There are often many parents that would like to speak to the teacher so we ask that parents write their name on the whiteboard in the classroom as they arrive. Teachers will then speak to parents in order of their arrival!

Please remember that if you wish to speak to your child's teacher for longer than a few minutes then we are happy to arrange a separate time.

We apologise for any inconvenience that the change of date may cause.

Year 4 – Hooke Court Visit

This is the week that we are all hoping for fine weather as our Year 4 class visit Hooke Court for their two night residential.

A few reminders for the Year 4 parents:

On Wednesday, the children need a **named away day packed lunch** (all other meals are provided). Please can this be handed in along with any bags of sweets (also named) to Miss Carter-Grogan or Mrs Nicol.

We need an **administering form** completed for any medication. Wednesday morning will be a little bit chaotic, so it may be easier to complete the forms before that day. Please collect forms from the school office.

We hope that Year 4 have a fantastic time and come back with lots of wonderful memories.

Year 2 SATs

Year 2 SATs will be taking place during the **week beginning 14th May**. It is extremely important that children are not late and, where ever possible, are in school, as we know that children have a much better chance when they participate with their peers.

Thank you for your help.

Second Hand Uniform

Second hand uniform will be available until this Thursday. We still have a large variety of items including small football boots and summer dresses.

First Aid Wrist Bands – for Head Injuries

From today, we are replacing head injury stickers with a purple wristband. If your child has a head injury at school, you will still receive a head injury leaflet and completed first aid form, but your child will also be wearing the wristband as an easily notifiable way of advice.

May Day Celebrations

All classes are starting to practise their May Day dances, with Year 4 working on plaiting the Maypole! On May Day, girls can wear summer dresses (not too long) and boys can wear smart trousers (not jeans) and a smart shirt, or the children can just wear school uniform. Children can come into school wearing these clothes and keep them on all day.

Please remember that if the weather is warm, children will be outside for quite a few hours so sun cream and a sun hat are essential.

May Day: Thursday 24th May at 1.30pm

Reserve May Day: Friday 25th May at 1.30pm



All are welcome to this special event.

PTFA News

It's the school disco next week!

All year groups are once again invited to the school disco on **Friday 11 May** from 3.15pm until 5pm. Revolution Disco are back by popular demand with lots more games and prizes in store for the children. The school office has emailed out disco permission slips today. Please place completed slips in the 'drop off' boxes outside classrooms, along with a £3 contribution per child, by Wednesday 9 May. Don't forget to Gift Aid too!

Dress down day on Friday 11 May

This dress down day we're hoping for donations of bottles, gifts or children's toys and games for a 'family tombola' at the Barn Dance in July. Please avoid giving any food or drinks with a 'use by' date before August 2018. We really appreciate your continued support. Thank you.



Milk at Break Time

We would like to remind parents that if your child is over five, you have the option to pay for them to have milk at break time. Please visit www.coolmilk.com and select 'Register your child for milk', then follow the online instructions.

Bank Holiday

A reminder that next **Monday 7th May** is a Bank Holiday, so school is closed for the day. We hope that everyone enjoys the extended weekend.

Nut Free School Lunches and Snacks

A reminder to everyone that we have a child in school who has a very severe nut allergy. Please ensure that all lunches and snacks do not contain nuts. Thank you for your help.

