

# Frome Valley First School News Weekly



#### Textile Recycling

A reminder to all that this is the week that we are collecting items for 'Textile Recycling'

We have a growing pile of bags outside the school office. Please can all donations be with us by the end of this **Thursday**. If you are unsure if an item is acceptable, please speak to the staff in the office.

# DASP Music

If you would like your child to learn an instrument in September, please could you apply online at www.daspmusic.co.uk by June 16<sup>th</sup> 2017.



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DASP Music are also, from September 2017, offering a **NEW** after

school general music class aimed at KS1 children (Reception Class, Year 1 and Year 2). Full details are in the flyer that we are today emailing home to all parents. Please note that all bookings need to be made directly with DASP Music.

# <u>Year 3 Music for all – Guitar lessons</u>

**A Guitar Performance** by Year 3 for all Year 3 parents will be held on **Tuesday 4th July at 9.30 am.** Unfortunately, it has to be at this time as this is when the music teacher is available.

## **Continuing to Learn**

At the end of the 10 sessions, 6 pupils will be selected to continue in a weekly small group lesson in Year 4. Most likely, these 6 children will continue learning the guitar but should this instrument not be available another instrument will be learnt. The children will be selected based on the talent and enthusiasm they have shown during the current sessions in Year 3. The 6 chosen children will be informed at the end of the 10th lesson.

Please let Mrs Palmer know if your child is keen to continue. Should more than the 6 children selected want to continue, it is possible to arrange another small group session in Year 4 at a small cost to parents.

# Class Photos

On **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June**, we have the photographer in school to take class photos. A proof will then be sent home for parents to see and then order if they wish.

## Reception Class – Visit to Moors Valley

Please can all outstanding permission slips and contributions be returned to the school office as soon as possible. *Please note that the deadline to order an away day packed lunch has now passed and any further orders can not be accepted.* 

#### Reception Class 2017 – 2018

This week, we welcome to school for the first time the children that will be in the Reception class this coming September. The children will be spending time in the classroom with Miss Padfield and Mrs Trent whilst the parents spend time learning about the transition into school. We hope that they all have a very enjoyable time in school over the next few weeks leading up to Transfer Day, when they spend the whole day with us.

## The Emergency Services Family Fun Day

Kings Park Bournemouth

11am – 4pm

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

## Beauty and the Beast

Rehearsals for the children in Year 4 are in full flow. Now it's time to start thinking about all the other classes.Later this week there will be a notice outside of each classroom advising of costumes that are required. Year 4 have their outfits made for them by our costume designers Mrs Sparkes and Mrs Arman.

Costumes don't need to be sent into school as children will need to wear them for the full dress rehearsal on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July.

#### New Arrivals!!

The Reception class are currently very excited as they are awaiting the arrival of several new members to their class!! The new arrival may start small, but grow incredibly quickly. They are of course the chicken eggs that they are looking after in an incubator in their classroom. In 21 days, they turn from eggs to adorable balls of fluff. After spending a couple of weeks at Frome Valley, they will then move on to a life on the farm.

#### PTFA News

Calling all budding bakers! After the success of the homemade cakes at May Day, we are again going to be selling them on sports day. So please if you are able "On Your Marks, Get Set, BAKE!" Can we ask that all cakes are brought into school on sports day.

We are also going to be holding an exciting raffle at sports day with the main prize being an adult entry into Dorset County Show!



