

Frome Valley First School News Weekly



"Together, with God's love, we learn, nurture and grow, without limits."

Welcome Back,

We hope that everyone had an enjoyable week, spending time with family and friends over the jubilee weekend. The second summer half term is here!! In 34 days of school, we have: Sports Days; class trips; starters sessions (for the new Reception children); Transfer Day; Celebration Assemblies; the school play and our Year 4 Leavers Assembly. It really is going to be a busy seven weeks!!

Star of the Week

Congratulations to the following children who are the:

'Stars of the Week'

Reception: Lacey

Year 1: Leo Year 2: Billy Year 3: Jaxson Year 4: Jayden T



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News from St Aldhelm's

Time 4 U

St Aldhelm's Church are running a new **Tuesday morning drop in coffee stop** in St. Aldhelm's Church, running 8.30am to 9.30am.

FREE tea, coffee and biscuits. An opportunity for some quiet time or to have a comfortable chat before beginning the rest of the day. Please do come along.

Year 3 trip to Dorchester Museum

Year 3 are visiting Dorchester Museum on Thursday 23rd June. Please can all permission slips and payments be made as soon as possible. Thank you.

Reception Class trip to Moors Valley

The Reception class are visiting Moors Valley on Wednesday 29th June. Please remember that if you require an away day lunch we need to know by **Monday 20th June.**

PTFA News

Over £1000 raised last month!

Thank you for everyone who handed in their 'Big Bean Bag Bucket Challenge' sponsorship forms. We raised a whopping £505.50! And that's without Gift Aid. During May, the local Co-op – with the help of



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Reception mum, Mary, and her colleague Lindsay – raised £230 for us from a tombola and book sale. Well done ladies! May Day refreshments and the 'days out' raffle raised a further £275 profits. What generosity from our Frome Valley families yet again – helping to rise £1010.50 for our new library. Thank you for your continued support!

Nearly new book donations needed for the new library

Alongside brand new books, can you help support the school by donating good quality, age-appropriate children's books for the new library? Both non-fiction and fiction books please. Just hand them into your child's class teacher. Thank you.

'Your school lottery' winners

Congratulations to Ms C and Ms P who were both lottery winners over the half term break. Can you buy a month's worth of tickets to give just one last push to get us up to the £4000 we need for our new school library? It's £1 a ticket.

Can you help keep the PTFA going?

Hopefully you've seen the huge number of benefits that having an active PTFA Committee at your child's school brings. Please consider joining us this half term so that you can help carry on the PTFAs rewarding work during the next academic year when your three-strong team drops to just one - our Treasurer, Liz. A PTFA Committee really needs a minimum of six key members to function effectively – alongside a group of regular volunteers to help at events and bake

sales. <u>All</u> fun **PTFA** sponsorship **activities**, wacky dress down days, raffles, Christmas fairs, refreshment stalls, after school events (such as discos and magic shows) and general fundraisers **will stop completely from September onwards** without you! Please contact the office for more information.

Diary Dates

June

21st – 27th - Scholastic book fair in school

22nd – Sports Day 9.15am (Reception class, Years 1 and 2) all welcome

22nd – Sports Day 1.15pm (Years 3 and 4) all welcome

23rd – Year 3 trip to Dorchester Museum

28th – Celebration Assembly 2.15pm (Reception class, Years 1 and 2) – all welcome

29th - Celebration Assembly 2.30pm (Years 3 and 4) - all welcome

29th – Reception class trip to Moors Valley

July

4th and 5th – Parent interviews (Reception class)

7th – Transfer Day

8th – Dress rehearsal for the school play

12th - Parent drop in 8.15 – 8.40am (Years 1 – 4)

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13th - Performance 1 - school play 6pm - Crossways village hall

15th - Performance 2 - school play 6pm - Crossways village hall

18th - Performance 3 - school play 6pm - Crossways village hall

19th – Year 4 trip to Moors Valley

20th – Eco schools day

21st - Year 4 leavers service 2pm

21st – Last day of term

22nd – 31st August – summer holidays

September

1st - Staff training day

2nd – Children return to school

Nut Free School Lunches and Snacks

A reminder to everyone that we are a nut free school. Please ensure that all lunches, snacks and drinks do not contain nuts. Thank you for your help



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