



Class 3 trip – residential info

We had a great time with Rodmarton on Monday, children from both schools have had the chance to request room buddies, so nice to see them choosing from across both schools.

I will be travelling to the residential by car in case of any emergencies. We are requesting that children do not take any electronic devices with them including smart watches. I will be logging into email whilst away and also posting updates on Facebook when signal allows.

I am putting together a snack box for the residential, I know a number of you have mentioned about sending any snacks or treats. We are not near any shops and we are not running a tuck shop but I thought it would be nice to have a shared snack/treat box that the children can all have access to. If you would like to add to this box it will be in the porch next week. PLEASE REMEMBER NO NUTS!

Year 6 leavers service at the Cathedral – Wednesday 12th June

The children had a great day with friends from Meysey Hampton on Wednesday, it is so lovely to see our children enjoying these experiences with friends at neighbouring schools.

Readathon

Well done to everyone who took part in the readathon, all children who entered were put into a year of reading prize draw and we have just found out that the following children have won a prize – these will be delivered to school soon. Well done to Lizzie, Paul, Lottie and Erin!

District Sports

All of the KS2 children did amazingly well at the District sports event at Farmors school yesterday and their behaviour was impeccable. Well done to Olivia, Nellie and Freddie H who have got through to area sports next week – a great achievement.

Ice-cream Thursday

Thursday is ice-cream day this term, if your child would like an ice-cream after school please bring 50p with you at collection.

D-Day

It was so lovely to see the work that the children had done on display at the village event last week that I know a number of children attended. We had many lovely comments about their work, much of which is now on display in the hall.

School Fete

If you have any books, teddies, bottles or old uniform please feel free to start to bring those into school now. If you can keep plants and cakes until the day before I would be very grateful. If you have offered to help with a stall then please speak to Mrs Gray or a member of the PTA for more information. If you have not yet signed up but can help on the day or have any donations then it is not too late to join in. Raffle tickets have now been sent home with all children and there is a box in the porch for any returned stubs.

Colour Run

The colour run is TOMORROW – there will be over 250 children running from the 6 schools and we are delighted to have started this annual event that sees our small schools work together. We have over half of the school taking part which is amazing! If you would like to donate and help the school by clicking here

https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/downampneycolourrun2024?utm_medium=campaign&utm_content=campaign%2Fdownampneycolourrun2024&utm_source=copyLink&utm_campaign=pfp-share

Timings for the runs – please ensure that you have left enough time for parking and also to register and warm up.

12:30 for Reception

1:00 for 1/2,

1:45 for 3/4

2:30 for 5/6

Friday 19th July

On the last day of term all parents are invited to the Year 6 leavers service followed by a whole school talent show then open classrooms where you can look at your childrens work and chat to your child’s current and future teachers.

Road closure and possible water works

We have been notified that there will be a road closure on Monday May 24th from Meysey Hampton to Down Ampney and that this should only be for one day. We have also had notice that water is being turned off in the village next Tuesday 18th but they currently do not believe it will affect school during school hours – we have been in contact with them extensively regarding this.

Key Dates	
15th June	Small school fundraising event - Colour Run
17 th – 21 st June	Careers week
18th June	Rounders Year 5/6
20 th June	Area Sports
24 th - 26 th June	Residential for Class 3 (more details to follow)
26 th -28 th June	Commonweal open days
28th June	PTA school quiz night - POSTPONED
Week of 1st July	Crypt Open day
2 nd and 3 rd July	Farmors Induction Day
6th July	School Fete
10th July	Schoolbeat visit for class 3
10th July	Year 2/3 multisports
July 11 th and 12th	Deer Park induction days
15th July	Make the rules day
19th July	Last day of term for pupils – 1:15 p.m. finish Year 6 leavers service @ 9:30am
22nd July	INSET day