

7th June 2024

**Our School Christian Vision: 'Working together to build a firm foundation for learning and caring.'**

*Rooted in Matthew 7 24 – 25: 'Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock.'*



## CHRISTIAN VALUE OF THE TERM: TRUTHFULNESS

### Message from the Headteacher

This week many of the children have been completing their summer assessments. The children have all shown great resilience in doing this and have tried their very best. Year 4's have also been completing the Government's multiplication tests online and we have been impressed with their knowledge. As a result of this some children may receive summer packs in order to secure certain times tables in readiness for Year 5. Next week our Year 1 children will be completing the national phonics tests on a one to one basis with their teachers.

Talking of resilience, our Year 6 children have completed their residential this week showing great team work, problem solving skills and kindness to one another. We are incredibly proud of all of them and look forward to hearing about their week upon their return to school. A huge thank you to all of the staff who took time away from their own families to look after the children this week.

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Reception's Rainforest Cafe on Thursday. I know the children all thoroughly enjoyed sharing their learning with you.

Before signing off I do have to give a big shout out to Mr Bamford, whom some of you may remember from a few years ago, who has informed me that he reads our newsletter weekly to keep up with our St John's news!

Have a lovely weekend!

*Mrs West-Gaul*

### Dates for Your Diary

JUNE	
w/c 10th	Year 1 Phonics Check Week
13th	Year 6 Moving Up Celebrations at Bath Abbey
19th	Sports Day
JULY	
5th	PTA Summer Fete
11th	Year 6 Production, 6pm
19th	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly, 1.45pm

### Hot Chocolate Friday



## Awards of the Week

Well done to all of our pupils who have achieved an award this week!

	Star of the Week	Star Readers
<b>Acorns</b>	Miley Ronan	Niamh Emilia
<b>Ash</b>	Izzy	James
<b>Birch</b>	Eric	Harry
<b>Chestnut</b>	Sam	Riley
<b>Elm</b>	Jaxon	Samantha
<b>Hazel</b>	Jack B	Elise
<b>Holly</b>	Rhodri	Charlie
<b>Maple</b>	Poppy Mae	Oliver
<b>Oak</b>	Dilly	William
<b>Pine</b>	Rex	Finley G
<b>Rowan</b>	Bella	Rocco
<b>Sycamore</b>	Isaac	Hanna
<b>Willow</b>	Tyler	Poppy



### Forever Sport Stars of the Day:

Year 6 Sycamore - N/A  
Year 6 Willow - N/A  
Year 5 Pine - Sydney and Pheobe  
Year 5 Rowan - Rocco and Nola  
Year 4 Maple - Reggie  
Year 4 Oak - Dewet and Maisy  
Year 3 Hazel - Charlie and Elise  
Year 3 Hollie - Sophie and Caiden  
Year 2 Elm - Matilda and Lola  
Year 2 Chestnut - Sunny and Callie  
Year 1 Birch - Harlowe and Toby  
Year 1 Ash - Hugh and Melania  
Reception - Jacob, Lyla, Noah  
and Jenner

**Great Work!**

## Rotakids

The Rotakids are delighted to announce that they will be hosting a second-hand stall at this year's PTA Summer Fete.

All money raised will be donated to the school's chosen charity, which will be decided through a school-wide vote over the coming weeks.

The Rotakids would be extremely grateful if anyone has any books, jigsaw puzzles or games that they would be happy to donate for this cause.

We have already begun collecting these items and if you would like to contribute, could donations please be handed to either Ms Moody or Ms Banwell.



## Learning in Year Six

Year Six have had an amazing week away on their end of year residential. They have taken part in canoeing, climbing, abseiling, target sports, team building challenges and many more activities.

They should all be extremely proud of the resilience and independence they have shown.



## Reading in Year Four



This term, Year 4 have been exploring the genre of science fiction.

Our book, *The Wild Robot* by Peter Brown is all about a robot who finds herself on a deserted island after the cargo ship she was on is hit by a hurricane.

In Forest School, we took the idea of a wild robot and either created our own, depicted scenes from the story or in some cases - chose to be the wild robot ourselves!



## Acorns Learning Celebration



Acorns had a brilliant time at the Rainforest Cafe Thursday afternoon!

Everyone helped to get things ready and this included making Monkey Munchie cakes! We took the orders and served the grown ups while also enjoying some of the food and drink on offer!

It was also a lovely chance to share our work with our grown ups and show them around the different areas of the classroom. We finished with a performance of our version of the cancan and loved watching all our adults joining in!



# SUMMER FETE

Friday 5th July  
3PM Onwards

ST JOHN'S C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

**FREE ENTRY**

JOIN US FOR LOTS OF FUN!

- BBQ •
- Bar •
- ice creams •
- fun alley •
- soak a teacher •
- entertainment •
- raffle •
- Football Tournament •
- and much more!

**SO MUCH FUN!**

For more information email [stjohnsmsnpta@outlook.com](mailto:stjohnsmsnpta@outlook.com)

ST JOHN'S PTA  
**DONATIONS NEEDED**

For our Summer Fete

**IF YOU HAVE ANY SURPLUS**

- **TEDDIES FOR TOMBOLA**
- **BOTTLES FOR TOMBOLA**
- **OLD CROCKERY**

**WE WOULD REALLY APPRECIATE THEM.**

**THERE WILL BE A BLUE BIN OUTSIDE THE OFFICE FROM 20TH MAY**

# ST JOHN'S FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

**DATE** **JULY 5TH 2024**

**TIME** **KICK OFF: 3:30PM**

**MORE INFO:**  
6 a side (Teams of 7)  
£20 per team  
Submit entry form by 14th June

**PTA Sumer Fete - Friday 5th July**

Children will be coming home with an envelope and raffle tickets, we are hoping each child can try and sell them between now and the summer fete.

If you do manage to sell them can you please secure the raffle slips and money back into the envelope and post through the white pta postbox outside the school office.

Thank you for your continued support.





# AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Our after school clubs are designed with an emphasis on fun. With a variety of sports clubs delivered throughout the academic year, there will be plenty of opportunities for your children to be active and to fall in love with sport.

## St. John's, MSN

### MONDAY

- Reception to Year 2 Football  
- Years 3 to 6 Football

03/06/2024 to 15/07/2024

Cost - £24.50 in total for 7 weeks (£3.50 per person, per session)

Time - 3pm to 4pm

Capacity - 18 children per club

### TUESDAY

- Reception to Year 2 Tag Rugby  
- Years 3 to 6 Cricket

04/06/2024 to 16/07/2024

Cost - £24.50 in total for 7 weeks (£3.50 per person, per session)

Time - 3pm to 4pm

Capacity - 18 children per club

### WEDNESDAY

- Reception to Year 2 Dodgeball  
- Years 3 to 6 Jailbreak

05/06/2024 to 17/07/2024

Cost - £24.50 in total for 7 weeks (£3.50 per person, per session)

Time - 3pm to 4pm

Capacity - 18 children per club

\*If you are booking onto a club after the start date, please note that the price is automatically adjusted on the booking page.

**TO BOOK:**



<https://bit.ly/2uhWE00>



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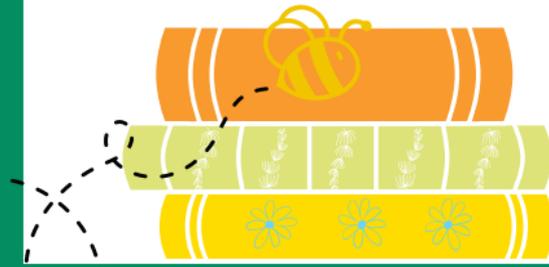
Bath Central Library

# the Wonderweeds Storytime

Claire Brown

Join us for a special interactive storytelling of 'The Wonderweeds'. Author Claire Brown will bring the weed characters to life; opening our eyes to the wonders of weeds and wildlife. Suitable for parents/carers with children.

Bath Central Library  
Saturday 8 June, 10.30 - 11.00am



Bath & North East  
Somerset Council

Improving People's Lives

Festival Of Nature, 1 - 9 June, is the UK's largest free celebration of the natural world.



Bath & North East Somerset Libraries

## Gift a Costume

Donate your unwanted kids costumes to us!

We're creating dressing up corners in our children's libraries and we'd love some costumes to get us started!

### Where can I donate?

- Bath Central Library
- Keynsham Library
- Midsomer Norton Library



### What do we want?

- Good quality, clean kids costumes such as princess dresses, mermaid tails, tutus, pirate/superhero/police/nurse/vet outfits.
- Accessories in good condition such as wings, tiaras, capes, masks, swords, hats, deely boppers etc

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Please hand your donations into a member of staff from 27 May - 29 June.

### Keynsham Library

#### Nature Trail for Kids

Mon - Sat During opening hours 10 - 15 June

#### Baby Bounce and Rhyme

Tuesday 9.30 - 10.00am 21 May  
10.30 - 11.00am

#### Centenary Storytime: The Very Hungry Caterpillar & Where the Wild Things Are

Thursday 11.00 - 11.30am 23 May

#### Sensory Space, for families with children and young adults with sensory needs

Mon - Sat, Book a Session via Eventbrite

#### Board Game Saturdays

Saturday 12.30 - 4.00pm 25 May

### Midsomer Norton Library

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w/c  
10 June



## BE A CHORISTER FOR A DAY at Wells Cathedral



SATURDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2024

Wells Cathedral invites boys and girls between the ages of six and nine to come and meet the Choristers, find out about Chorister life, and sing at Cathedral Evensong



<https://wells.cathedral.school>

For more details, and to book your place, please contact: [musicoffice@wells cathedral.org.uk](mailto:musicoffice@wells cathedral.org.uk)



[www.wells cathedral.org.uk](http://www.wells cathedral.org.uk)





**Mini Mojos** **SUMMER Holiday Clubs**

Childcare Vouchers Accepted

St John's Primary School Midsomer Norton

Tues 30th July – Fri 2nd Aug  
Mon 5th – Fri 9th Aug  
Mon 12th – Wed 14th Aug

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS

**10% off Early bird discount**

BOOK NOW

Happy Mojos



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<https://happymojo.childcare-online-booking.co.uk/index.php>




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ACTIVE. HEALTHY. HAPPY.

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Find out what Clubs, Hubs & Camps we have available at your school and in the local area at [www.bristol sport foundation.org](http://www.bristol sport foundation.org).

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**SUMMER SUNDAYS IN BATH**

**WHAT'S ON**

<p><b>JULY 2024</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FREE CHARITY POP-UPS •</li> <li>• FREE ARTS AND CRAFTS • MR DOODLE •</li> <li>• MUSEUM LATE OPENINGS • LIVE MUSIC •</li> <li>• GARDEN THEATRE FESTIVAL •</li> <li>• BATH INDEPENDENT MARKET •</li> <li>• BATH ON THE BEACH • BATH OLYMPICS •</li> <li>• BATH VINTAGE &amp; ANTIQUES MARKET •</li> <li>• BIODIVERSITY BENCHES •</li> </ul>	<p><b>AUGUST 2024</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FREE CHARITY POP-UPS •</li> <li>• FREE ARTS AND CRAFTS • LIVE MUSIC •</li> <li>• MUSEUM LATE OPENINGS •</li> <li>• BATH ON THE BEACH • TREE WALK •</li> <li>• BATH VINTAGE &amp; ANTIQUES MARKET •</li> <li>• MASS DOG WALK • MR DOODLE •</li> <li>• BATH CITY ZIPLINE •</li> <li>• BIODIVERSITY BENCHES •</li> </ul>
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AND LOTS MORE... AND LOTS MORE...

**EVERY SUNDAY SOMETHING DIFFERENT!**

**SUPPORTING LOCAL CHARITIES**

- BATH IN BLOOM • JULIAN HOUSE • SHARE AND REPAIR • TRANSITION BATH •
- BATH ASTRONOMERS • BATH CATS AND DOGS HOME •

BROWSE ALL SUMMER SUNDAYS EVENTS AT [WELCOMETOBATH.CO.UK/SUMMER-SUNDAYS](http://WELCOMETOBATH.CO.UK/SUMMER-SUNDAYS)



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