

Your Weekly

UPDATE

Spring 2018 WEEK 5



Week Ending: 2nd February 2018



CONGRATULATIONS

We are delighted to announce the safe arrival of Baby Scandrett - the latest addition to the federation team! Baby Nala arrived safe & well on Friday 26th January. Our love and congratulations to all the family and we look forward to meeting Nala soon.

EXTENDED DAY

Our Breakfast and After School provision is growing in popularity. We currently offer Breakfast Club every morning from 8.00 and After School on Tuesdays and Thursdays until 5.00pm. Additional after school sessions will be offered should we get enough interest. We do currently have availability for some of the sessions; if you would be interested in booking any spaces, then please speak to Mrs Baynes or Mrs Loftus and ensure to give at least one day's notice of your requirements.

YEAR 6 SATS

Thank you all for attending the Year 6 SATS meeting, we hope you found it helpful. Key Stage 2 SATs take place during the week beginning 14th May, and we will send further updates home as appropriate.

PTA CAKE SALE

Please be advised that the PTA will be selling cakes during the Open Afternoon, please see the attached poster.

OPEN AFTERNOON FOR ALL CLASSES

We would like to invite families to view your child's work on Monday 5th February from 2.30. We will also have the school nurse available to discuss her services as well as a representative from Exmoor National Park. The PTA will also be serving refreshments in the hall! We look forward to seeing you.

PRE-SCHOOL OPEN AFTERNOON

We would like to invite families to visit the Pre-School on Monday 5th February from 2.30 to see what your child has been working on this term and to talk to the Pre-School staff about future topics.

SPARE SWIMMING KIT

We currently have no spare swimming kits in school. If anyone has any old swimming kit that is still in good condition that they are willing to donate to the school then we would be very grateful.

SPORTING UPDATE

We were sorry to have to cancel our attendance at the Y5/6 football tournament on Monday but events conspired against us. We will attempt to run an alternative competition later in the year. South Molton Primary also had to postpone our scheduled Year 3/4 match due to poor pitch and weather conditions. This fixture will be reorganised as soon as possible.

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

As we approach the end of the financial year, please can everyone make sure their school accounts are brought up to date as soon as possible? Cash receipts are generated by the School Pay system, so please request these for your own records should you require them. The schoolpay system holds details of amounts owing, or do check with the office.

RISING 3's

Children who turn 3 this term will automatically qualify for their free 15 hours of childcare from April.

Please investigate the Childcare Choices website to see if you can also qualify for an additional 15 hours, making 30 in total. Applications for the

additional funding need to be made **this term** in order to be in place for April. The website also has details of how to apply for Tax Free Childcare which can also benefit some families.



Spring Term Achievers

Weekly Achievers

Class 1 Achiever: Naomi C

Class 2 Achiever: Samuel S

Class 3 Achiever: Matilda S

House Points

Totals so far this term

Ruby 115

Emerald 64

Amber 112

Sapphire 132

FUTURE DATES AND EVENTS **SPRING 2018**

Spring Term 4th January -29th March
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Swimming - Thurs 11th Jan to Thurs -Thurs 29th March

(not including 15th March, Heatree Trip Week)

Mon 5th Feb - School Open Afternoon at 2.30

Mon 12th - Fri 16th Feb - Half Term Break

Thurs 22nd Feb - Parents Evening

Thurs 1st Mar - Parents Evening

Wed 14th - Fri 16th March - Heatree Trip

Mon 12th March - Yr 1 Multi-skills

Friday 23rd March - Wellington School 'Come & Sing'

Thursday 29th March - Easter activities and assembly

Tue 17th April - Children return to school

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School Blog: www.bishopsnympton.edublogs.org

PTA
CAKE SALE
MONDAY 5TH
FEBRUARY

Dear Parents/Guardians

We are asking if children can bring some cupcakes into school on Monday 5th February.

We will then sell them at Open Afternoon for 50p each.

All proceeds from the sale will go towards new equipment for the School and Pre-School.

Thank you PTA