

St Nicholas C of E Primary Scl

6th March 2020

Term 4

Newsletter 2

School Message

Well done to our Netball and Gymnastics teams who all competed so well and missed out on medals by a tiny amount.

The situation with Coronavirus is a fast changing picture. I would like to reassure parents that I read the government updates each day and act accordingly. In assembly on Monday I reminded the children of the importance of handwashing and coughing and sneezing into a tissue. If anything changes I will inform you as soon as I am able and will use group call, our Facebook page and our website to send any urgent messages. In the mean time it is business as usual.

We had a fabulous day on Thursday. Everyone looked spectacular in their costumes and the potatoes were amazing! Many thanks for supporting this fun day. The winners of the potato competition will be announced in assembly on Monday.

Thank you all for ensuring your children attend school and arrive on time it makes such a difference to their learning—a special mention this week to Cam, Avon and Kennet classes who all had 100% attendance, well done!

Please note that there has been a change of time and date to our Easter Service, this will now take place on Friday 3rd April at 9.15am at Trinity Chapel.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Nicki Smith

House Points



This Week - Overall			
Huish	41	1529	
Foxcote	38	1514	
Tyning	36	1373	
Ludlow	62	1571	

Class Attendance

Cam	100%
Lox	97.5%
Brue	98.8%
Dart	90.8%
Avon	100%
Kennet	100%
Mells	97.7%
Yeo	98.3%
Severn	97.4%
Huntspill	98.1%

School Reports

If you were unable to attend parents evening please make an appointment with your child's teacher to receive and discuss their report.

Easter Bonnet Parade Wednesday 1st April. Have you started your creation yet?

A note from the Office

Many staff and parents have raised concerns regarding the car park and how some children are running into the path of cars coming into school. Please ensure you supervise you children at all times.

Can you please ensure you let the office know if you are having difficult with payments for trips before the due date so we can work out a solution. All dinner monies has to be paid on the day or in advance. We have a lot of outstanding debt at the moment so will be contacting parents accordingly. If you have signed up for afterschool club please ensure you complete a permission slip each term. If we do not have a slip your child cannot attend.

Save the Date

Friday 13th March

Sports Relief Sponsored move a mile 8:55am KS2 Celebration Assembly

Tuesday 17th March

2:30pm Year 2 Family Event

Wednesday 18th March

12:00 Year 1 Family Lunch

Friday 20th March

Mufti Bring something from Easter Aisle 9:00am KS1 Mothers Day Service

2:15pm KS2 Mothers Day Service

Tuesday 24th March

5pm Easter Bingo

Thursday 26th March

9:00am Year 1 Parent Event

Friday 27th March

Year 5 trip to Eden Project 8:55am KS1 Celebration Assembly

Monday 30th March

9:00am Spirit of St Nicholas

Tues 31st March

9:00am Year 5 Parent Event

Wednesday 1st April

9am Easter Bonnet Parade

Friday 3rd April

9.15am Easter Service at Trinity Chapel 1pm Finish

TERM 5 STARTS 20th April

Outside School Achievements

A huge congratulations goes to Henry M who has been awarded his level 7 British gymnastics proficiency.

A Time To Talk

In each class ask your child about:



Cam/Lox: How many 3D shapes can you find around the house? Eg cuboid, cylinder, sphere, cube, prism?

Brue: Can you name any 3D shapes?

Dart: Can you log onto active learn and play a game?

Avon/Kennet: Who was Christina Rossetti? Mells: What did Romans use catapults for?

Yeo/Severn: How are objects used around your house?

Huntspill: How can we see?

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Friends of St. Nic's

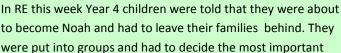
Easter Bingo

Tuesday 24th March Doors open 5pm

Eyes down 5:30pm | Food and drinks

Entry £2.50 on the door, raffle tickets £1

Our Values



items that they would take with them. The children were very sensible and choose essential things that they would need, these included first aid kits, sleeping bags, water and pictures of their families. Well done year 4.



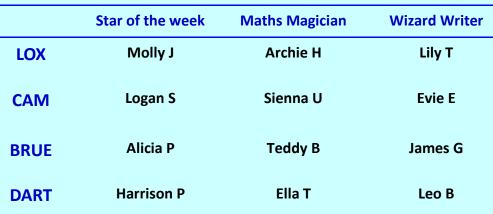


Art Event - Cancelled

Apologies but the Art Event planned for next week is cancelled due to staff shortage. We will let you know once this has been rearranged.



Class Awards





Girls Netball



On Monday 2nd March a team of 6 girls went to a netball tournament at Ralph Allen School. The team included Laura, Abi, Chloe, Gracie, Rhianne and Mesha. We won 3 of our games and narrowly lost 2. We all played exceptionally well as a team and had lots of fun!

Gymnastics

On Wednesday 4th March a team of level 1 and 2 gymnasts went to Writhlington Gymnastics Centre to compete in a year 5 and 6 competition. Our level 1 team came 4th place and our level 2 team came 5th. We all did very well and loved wearing our new leotards. A special well done also to Ruby who was 0.2 marks off an individual bronze medal.







CORONAVIRUS

WASH YOUR HANDS MORE OFTEN FOR 20 SECONDS



Hand-washing technique with soap and water



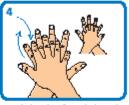
Wet hands with water



Apply enough soap to cover all hand surfaces



Rub hands palm to palm



Rub back of each hand with palm of other hand with fingers interlaced



Rub palm to palm with fingers interlaced



Rub with back of fingers to opposing palms with fingers interlocked



Rub each thumb clasped in opposite hand using a rotational movement



Rub tips of fingers in opposite palm in a circular motion



Rub each wrist with opposite hand



Rinse hands with water



Use elbow to turn off tap



Dry thoroughly with a single-use towel



Hand washing should take 15–30 seconds





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Adapted from World Health Organization Guidelines on Hand Hygiene in Health Care