



St Nicholas C of E Primary School

8th February 2019

Term: 3

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School Message

Dear Parents

I hope everyone enjoyed the snow last week. I also hope that everyone has had the chance to read our Ofsted Report. If you didn't receive your copy please let us know - spare copies are available from the office.

I was very pleased to go along and support our Youth Speaks teams last week. They made excellent informative speeches and were outstanding ambassadors for our school.

Our gymnastics team also took part in the Norton Gymnastics competition and performed exceptionally well.

It was a fantastic turnout for Avon's family lunch. There were lots of positive comments about the food from the parents which I have passed onto our amazing chief Greg.

We have had a lot of illness this term and would ask you to continue to let the office know the details of the illness. It appears we are over the worst of this now so we should see attendance increase with your continued support.

Congratulations have to go to the Year 6 pupils for committing to the revision sessions offered, it is a near full turn out and they are all studying so hard. Thank you for supporting them by encouraging them to attend.

Have a lovely weekend

Nicki Smith

House Points



This Week - Overall

Huish	77	953
Foxcote	84	1301
Tyning	77	1021
Ludlow	108	1426

Class Attendance

Frome	84.3%	87.3%
Tone	97.1%	92.2%
Somer	96.8%	86%
Dart	81.9%	89.1%
Brue	83.2%	99.1%
Avon	95.6%	98.8%
Mells	99%	94.2%
Kennet	97.1%	99.2%
Yeo	97.9%	93.1%
Severn	98.5%	94.9%

Extreme Weather Conditions

Whenever possible, we will endeavour to open school. However, in extreme conditions, it may be necessary to close. If there is any doubt we will:

Advise Parents/Carer by text of any closures and information will be posted on the Banes council website.

www.bathnes.gov.uk/school-closures

Gymnastics Team

On Monday 28th January, two teams of five set off to Writhlington Gymnastics Centre to compete in Norton Gymnastics Competition. The first team, which included Lexie, Jemima, Chloe, Kinga and Evie, took part in floor and vault. The second team, Kelsey, Olivia, Emma, Ruby and Kelly, took part in floor and vault too. All the people tried their best and they were all amazing.

Lexie - Year 6

Save the Date

Wednesday 13th February

2:15pm Year 1 Parent Event

Thursday 14th February

Rags to Riches collection

2:20pm Year 6 Parent Event

Friday 15th February

9:00am Spirit of St Nicholas

3:05pm **END OF TERM**

Tuesday 26th February

5:30 pm Beam House Meeting

Wednesday 27th February

Year 2 trip to Cardiff Castle

Friday 1st March

Year 4 trip to Roman Baths

Outside School Achievements



Darcey Dix has achieved her Stage 3 Swimming award. She has worked extremely hard so well done Darcey!

Harry B has not only achieved his Learn To Swim Stage 1, but has also gained his 5 metres award which is Excellent !

Congratulations to both of you!

A Time To Talk

In each class ask your child about:

Frome/Tone: What clothes do you wear in the summer and the winter?

Somer: Who wrote the Gruffalo?

Dart/Brue: Can you describe slime? Can you make it yourself with flour?

Avon: How many hours in 4 days?

Kennet/Mells: Can you name any Roman battlefield Weaponry?

Yeo: Can you remember any facts about plastic bags/What do you think about the 5p charge ?

Severn: Describe the present and past tenses we have learnt this week.



Dance Umbrella

Year 2 and 4 will be participating on Wednesday 27th March at the Bath Forum at 6:30 pm

You will be allocated one ticket via school but further tickets can be purchased from Friday 8th Feb from

www.bathforum.co.uk

Tel 0844 888 9991

Tickets will be priced at : £7.50 adults £5.00 concessions

"Rags2Riches"

Rags2Riches collection will be **Thursday 14th February**.

Please see leaflet that came home on Tue regarding what can be donated. Many of you are having a spring clean of the wardrobes, so please consider donating to school to help support this fundraising event.

Bags can be dropped off at school from **Monday 11th Feb** but before 9am on the collection day.

Many thanks for your support.

St Nics Fundraisers "

Class Awards

	Star of the week	Maths Magician	Wizard Writer
Frome	Harriet V-H	James C	Thomas B
Tone	Sienna U	Evie N	Evie E
Somer	Jay R	Carter H	Ella T
Dart	Harrison	Alisha H	Connie-Mae
Brue	Zachary	Lexie	Amy F
Avon	Zemirah W	AJ B	Henry W
Mells	Crystal M	Kylan H	Jacob D
Kennet	Karis B	Ella K	Macie D
Yeo	Evie R	Mia K	Andreea S
Severn	Ciprian I	Freya V-H	Keira C