

St Nicholas C of E Primary School

13th September 2019

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School Message



I was delighted to be able to take Diesel and Corey as my guests to the Roman Baths on Tuesday for the BANES celebration of their Ofsted on their special needs provision. The boys represented the school so well mixing with all the dignitaries, shaking hands and chatting about our school.

It has been a great week in school. The children are working hard and I was so proud Alfie and Regan, from year 4, today who had scored100/100 in their times-tables test in under 6 minutes. times-tables test in under 6 minutes. The aim is that all children in Key Stage 2 will be able to do this in under 3 minutes. Knowing their timetables is such a key skill if the children are to do well in maths. Thank you all, for helping your children learn their tables at home.

Have a lovely weekend. Nicki Smith

Invitation

We would like to invite all of our parents and carers to the New Building Opening, The Friends of St Nick's Fete and their Launch Party on

Friday 27th September, 2.30pm-7pm.

Entrance is **free** so come along with family and friends and enjoy some fun celebrating our fabulous community.

Timetable for the Launch Party

2.30pm Building opening ceremony (please note seating will be limited)

3pm(approx.) Fete opens

4pm Mrs B's Bar and Greg's Diner open (see menus attached)

5pm 'Horning Glory' (Mr Moores Band) start the party

5.45pm Grand raffle draw

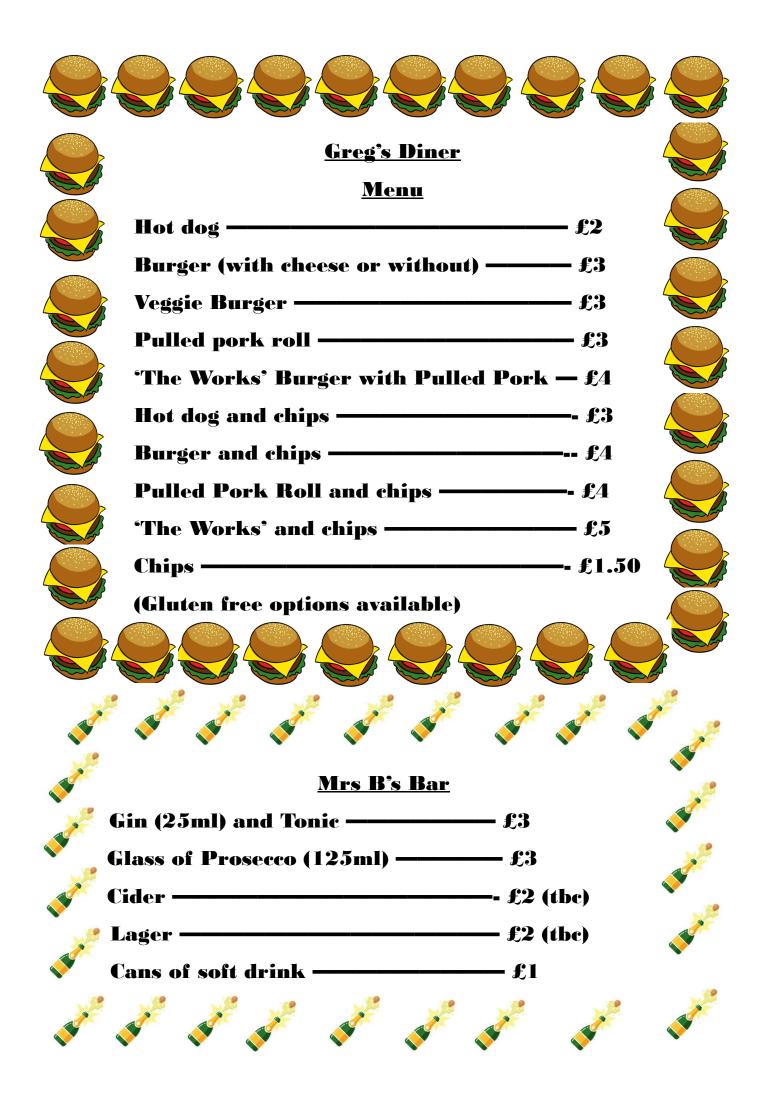
6pm 'Horning Glory' (Mr Moores Band)

7pm end.

Your School Needs You!

Do you have an hour to spare? Would you like to meet some other parents and have a laugh?

We really need help getting ready for the Launch Party and Fete if you could help please pop in any time on Monday 16th or Monday 23rd September or sign up to help on a stall with the office or on the Friends of St Nick's Facebook Page. Thank you so much.



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A Time To Talk

In each class ask your child about:

Brue: What different materials can you name?

Dart: Which 2D shapes can you see in your house?

Avon/Kennet: What do you know about the Stone Age?



Class Attendance

| Cam | 100% |
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| Lox | 97.1% |
| Brue | 98.3% |
| Dart | 91.9% |
| Avon | 95.9% |
| Kennet | 97.6% |
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Save the Date

Tuesday 17th September

3:45 Year 4 & 5 Welcome meeting

Thursday 19th September

3:45 Year 2 Welcome meeting

Friday 20th September

Mufti Day

8:55 KS1 Celebration assembly

3:45 Year 3 Welcome meeting

Tuesday 24th September

3:45 Year 6 Welcome meeting

Friends of St Nic's

Hello again, we hope you had a great summer and are now looking forward to the launch party! We are really excited about this event and can't wait for a fun, relaxed afternoon. The raffle is shaping up to be pretty special, with our amazing first prize of a Mulberry purse! There are many other fabulous prizes too with very generous donations from places like The Fromeway, We the Curious, The Entertainer, Centurion, 4th Avenue Motors and many more. Tickets will be on sale soon so watch this space!

In preparation for the launch party we have a further mufti day. This will take place on Friday 20th September and in exchange we would greatly appreciate any donation you could make towards the bottle tombola. Thank you in advance for your support.

We will also be holding launch party prep days, on Monday 16th and Monday 23rd September. These will be informal days with tea and biscuits, held in school and everyone is welcome to pop in and out as they please, even if you only have half an hour to spare. If we can make this a real team effort, it makes it quicker for everyone and it's nice to have company and a chat. If you can't make it on those days, please feel free to take a task home – e.g. folding raffle tickets is always a massive help and can be done in front of the TV! Please contact us if you can offer help from home at stnicsradstock.ptfa@gmail.com, via Facebook @friendsofstnics or grab one of us in the playground. Our photos are on the noticeboard if you're not sure who we are!

We hope you noticed the logo competition letter that was sent out by text earlier this week? We're looking forward to receiving lots of creative entries and announc-



| | Star of the week | Maths Magician | Wizard Writer | |
|-----------|------------------|----------------|---------------|--|
| Avon | Leo W | Zachary H | Rachel L | |
| Kennet | Milo J | Elijah R | Amelia D | |
| Mells | Harvey T | Jacob C | Henry W | |
| Yeo | Vinnie B | Mesha B | Lily G | |
| Severn | Charlie P | Karis B | Avalee M | |
| Huntspill | Bailey R | Laura B | Connor M | |

