

MIDSOMER NORTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

JUNE NEWSLETTER



Mr Randell's Roundup!

Looking back over the last month, I can't believe how much has been going on! The photos in the articles below give a flavour of just how many extra-curricula events our children have been able to participate in. And, of course, that is all in addition to the school curriculum!

There is also lots to look forward to over the next few weeks starting with the summer fayre tomorrow. The weather looks somewhat temperamental so the fayre may need to be partially indoors – but we hope to see as many people as possible. Remember all funds raised by our amazing PTA will be going to fund the new linked climbing towers we will be installing in the lower playground. Next week, we have three school trips, Shuffle Up day and Sports day! Then in the last week of term our Year 6s will be performing Annie. As I type, I can hear the children rehearsing and it sounds wonderful!

Today, our children were informed of their class and their teacher for next year. On Thursday, it is Shuffle Up day: Year 6 children will attend their new secondary school. All other children will go to their usual class in the morning to be registered before everyone 'shuffles up' a year to meet their classmates, their teachers and any other adults working with their class. The children return to their usual class for the end of the day. Drop off and pick up arrangements remain the same.

Your child's school report will be sent home on Monday 11th July. If you would like to discuss the report with your child's class teacher please do feel free to make an appointment.



Platinum Jubilee!

We had a wonderful day celebrating the Queen's platinum jubilee! From crown making, a picnic outside, a parade it was a great day enjoyed by all!





We have had a great term with lots of trips to Hope Nature Centre, Mendip Activity Centres, Bath Recreation Ground, our forest school and the local library. We have been fortunate to have companies visiting the school for activity days and sporting events.

A very big thank you to all the parents and staff that help on these trips! We can certainly see they



As you may be aware Mercury class created a film with local film maker Howard Vause and through association with the MSN Community Trust.

We received the fabulous news that we've won Best Animated Short at Cotswold International Film Festival!

With comments that it is a 'Wonderful watch!'



Some of our children have been working hard in their sports outside of school this term. These two children are an excellent example of this. They both excelled in their recent martial arts tournament - well done to all of you taking part in activities outside of school.



When your child misses just...	10 minutes per day
That equals to...	50 minutes per week
Which is...	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year
And over 13 years of schooling that's...	Nearly half a year!



When pictures say a thousand words...
The year 5 and 6's (and teachers) had an amazing time on camp. They enjoyed so many activities like archery, dam building, duck racing, night lining, many walks in the woods, den building and a firm favourite... the camp fire with face markings from the charcoal and having a sing song!



Please remember we are part of the Astra Recycling scheme. Our textiles recycling bin is located at the top of the stairs by the office.

Please feel free to donate any of the below items at your convenience, we welcome donations from the whole community. All monies raised will go to Midsomer Norton Primary School.

We accept the following wearable items:

- All men's, ladies and children's clothing including School Uniform
- Paired Shoes
- Handbags, bags, ties and belts
- Bed clothes, towels, soft toys



Dates for your Diaries!

- 5th July – Trip to The Newt (Year 3/4)
- 7th & 12th July – Shuffle Up Day
 - 8th July – Sports Day
- 12th July – Quad Kids Athletics (Year 3/4)
- 13th July – Euros Girls Football Festival
- 19th July – Longleat Trip (KS1 & Reception)
- 20th July – Year 6 Production of 'Annie'
- 21st July – Year 6 Celebration Assembly
 - 21st July – Last day of school!

**A BIG THANK YOU TO BATH STONE PROPERTY FOR FUNDING THE SCHOOLS FOOTBALL KIT!
HIS MAKES A BIG DIFFERENCE TO THE CONFIDENCE OF OUR CHILDREN.**



It's not just about property!

We donate 1% of our fees to local schools...

Thank you for helping us raise over £2000 so far!

Contact our team to find out more 



CREATIVE MINDS

Summer club

AT THE HIVE PEASEDOWN ST JOHN

£2 off per child per day with school code **Cre8Minds**

JULY 25TH-29TH
AUGUST 1ST-5TH
AUGUST 22ND-26TH

for more information please email creativemindshc@gmail.com

THIS SUMMER'S ACTIVITIES

Arts & Crafts Treasure hunt Fun and Games

Find us on Facebook Holiday club Creative minds

Made with PosterMyWall.com

Are You Interested in Being A School Governor? Do you know anyone who has considered taking a voluntary role in the community that has a spare 1-2 hours a month? We have the perfect opportunity for you to make a difference!

Become a school governor!!

Being a part of the Governing Body would give you the opportunity to help to shape the future of Midsomer Norton Primary School and have an influence on Midsomer Norton Primary for generations to come. If you would like further information on what being a governor entails please contact our clerk on dnicholls@midsomernortonprimary.co.uk

Contacting the School

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions and concerns. We are proud to offer an open door policy and encourage families to talk with us, if ever the need arises. From lost toys to personal circumstances, we are always happy to help or book appointments with other members of staff that can help!

Office – 01761 412 289

Or

office@midsomernortonprimary.co.uk

Participate in the 'BUGGY BLOC' at Bath Carnival 2022

After a two-year hiatus from the streets of Bath, the Carnival returns to our city centre on Saturday 9th July to bring together people across BANES for a FREE celebration of culture, creativity and diversity

- Local families are invited to join the Buggy Bloc in the carnival procession which will follow a route throughout the city centre. A super easy and informal way for parents and young children to take part in the fun on the day.
- Theme: Mother Earth and Natural Habitats, so get into the spirit by dressing up think jungles, oceans, mammals, fish, birds, reptiles, gardens, bugs, anything goes! (See photos below for inspiration).

ABOUT THE EVENT

- Carnival procession from 15.00 to 17.30/18.00
- Festival at Sydney Gardens from 10.00 to 22.00, with fun themed activities for children, adults and families
- After-party at the Komedia in the earlier hours

So, don't forget to save the date in your diary and come join the fun!

HOW TO JOIN THE 'BUGGY BLOC'

- Complete the sign-up form called 'Join our Family Buggy Bloc' through this link: <https://www.bathcarnival.co.uk/join-the-parade-1>
- Arrive at Bath Rec Ground on Saturday 9th July between 13:30 – 14:30, and you'll be directed to the starting point with all the other families.

If you have any questions please email info@bathcarnival.co.uk



MEMORY MAKERS' WALK



Support Winston's Wish by taking part in the Memory Makers' Walk, a 3km family-friendly sponsored walk through the enchanting Leigh Woods. The story of Mark Lemon's *The Magical Wood* will be acted out along the way, bringing to life this story about loss, friendship and hope.

Sunday 17 July 2022
10am – 3pm
Leigh Court, Bristol

A unique occasion for family and friends to come together to cherish memories of loved ones who have died, while offering the space to create new memories on a magical trail full of wonder and hope.

Registration fee: £10 per adult,
 £5 for 10-18 yr olds, free for under-10s

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