



Thank you to everyone who brought cakes for the cake sale. Today we were raising funds for the School Council who are hoping to raise money for playground equipment. We will let you know what we purchase in due course.

Last week we met with Melody Hunter Evans, the Children and Young People's project officer for Frome Town Council. Melody was keen to share some of the exciting projects happening in Frome at the moment and a link to the following website where you will find a directory for information you might need for your family. <https://www.frometowncouncil.gov.uk/find/> We have also attached a Love to Learn flyer, to this newsletter with details on how to access free courses for you and your family.

We currently have a parent vacancy on our Governing Body. Please contact the school office or our new Chair of Governors, Catherine Farmer, for more information. Should we have more than one person interested, we may need to hold an election for parents to select a candidate. The deadline for expressing an interest is Friday 13th October. Mrs Catherine Farmer will be available for any questions or queries about school on Wednesday morning before school in the playground.

We also have a vacancy for a midday supervisor, the advert for this can be found on the noticeboard. Please see the school office for more details.

We were really pleased to be able to welcome Mrs Ball back to Starling Class this week, who is starting to feel a lot better. The children were all very excited to see her! Mrs Ball hopes to restart her clubs later in October and we will let you have a date as soon as possible. Also returning this week was Mr Smith, who did some teaching for us at the end of last year. He will be joining us for a day each week to teach Music and French.

Mrs Phillips

Mr Turull

FOLS

FOLS AGM 9th October 7:30pm

If you would like to join FOLS then please speak to Belinda (Mason's mum) or Jen (Finn and Dylan's mum) or ask in the office for more info.

Good condition uniform wanted for pre-loved uniform sale later in the term. Please put your donations in the box outside the office.



News from the Classrooms



We've been continuing our Autumn topic this week by making lots of things for our autumn display and learning our song "Autumn leaves are falling down".



This week is very memorable as the Kingfishers continued to learn new sounds and read simple words for the first time. In maths we have started a new unit comparing weight, mass and capacity.



In Starlings this week we have written our own fairy tales with a twist. We then edited these and have published them ready to make a book for our story tree. Many children have taken to writing their own stories at home too.



Goldfinch class have started their new book 'The Tear Thief' for our whole class guided reading. They loved finding clues in the text and predicting who the Tear Thief might be and the reason why they are sneaking around taking tears. We can't wait to discover more next week!



This week, Swallows have worked incredibly hard in English on their letters as Roman soldiers. We also enjoyed a webinar from the BBC on a story writing competition we are planning to enter - watch this space!



Diary Dates

October

Wednesday 11th

Harvest services in St Giles' Church at the following times:
9.30am for Kingfishers and Starlings, 10.10am for Goldfinches and Swallows
The Tower Cafe in the church will be open and serving refreshments to families.
Europe day - more details to follow soon

Friday 20th

Individual photographs

Friday 20th

End of Term 1

Monday 30th

INSET DAY

Tuesday 31st

Start of Term 2 and Parents' Evening - more information to follow