



February is here at last! Sadly, Helen from the Dogs Trust was ill so unable to deliver the workshops on Monday and Tuesday but these will be rearranged for later in the year. However, Key stage 2 were party to a musical treat on Thursday morning. Please read all about it below.

Sign up sheets for sheets for Parents' Evenings taking place the first week back after half term will be out on the playground before and after school next week. If you are unable to make either day for any reason, please contact your child's class teacher and they will try and accommodate you on a different day.

Similarly, if you do not drop or pick your child up from school please email the school office with your desired date/time and we will do our best to fit you in. Please note that any requests via email will not be looked at until after 9am on Monday morning.

Thank you to everyone who has already filled out our parent questionnaire. It is really useful for us to see all of your comments, some of which we are already acting on.

***Mrs Cowgill and Mr Turull***

### **String Quartet Performance**

On Thursday our children in Rowan, Sycamore, Chestnut and Oak were treated to a wonderful interactive concert performed by 4th Year students, Rosanna, Tom, Lizzie and Jacob from the Royal Welsh College of Music in Cardiff. Rosanna and her string quartet had a captive audience as the children were mesmerised by the beautiful music made by the talented students. Our hall has extremely good acoustics and it really did sound incredible. The children responded very well to questions about the mood of the music, the rhythms they could hear as well as listening to the versatility of the two violins, viola and cello. They were treated to a wide range of pieces including Pachelbel's Canon, Mars from Holst's planet suite, the lively Pizzicato Polka by Strauss and even the theme from Star Wars. Rosanna and her friends were really impressed with the responses from our very knowledgeable children and would love to return one day. We hope they have inspired some more of our children to learn a stringed instrument!





### **Football**

The Year 5 football team headed to Welton Primary for a league match on Wednesday. Seeking revenge for a narrow loss in the tournament before Christmas, Clutton dominated from kickoff with two early goals from Carpenter. Clutton did well to control the game on what was a small and bobbly pitch.

After sustained pressure before the break, Welton got a goal back with a free kick that found a way around the wall. The second half started like the first with Clutton coming out the blocks with two further goals, one from Clarke and the other from Carpenter to complete his hattrick. Godwin was solid in goal throughout, making some stellar saves and the back three of Saunders, Deacon and Price were ever-present throughout. Clutton still have three remaining league fixtures as they look to retain their league title for the third year in a row.



### **MULTI SPORTS CLUB**

There are still spaces for the multi sports club which runs on Thursdays 3.15-4.15. Click on the link below to sign up.

[PH Sports Online Bookings](#)

### **School Nursing Webinar**



Please find details below for a FREE emotional health and well-being webinar that school nurses are holding on the 8<sup>th</sup> of February from 13:00-14:00 for parents/carers who have concerns/ worries about their children's emotional health. If you would like to attend the sessions, please click on the links below to sign up.

[https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/emotional-health-and-wellbeing-webinar-for-primary-school-aged-children-tickets-773058898977?aff=odd\\_tdt\\_creator](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/emotional-health-and-wellbeing-webinar-for-primary-school-aged-children-tickets-773058898977?aff=odd_tdt_creator)

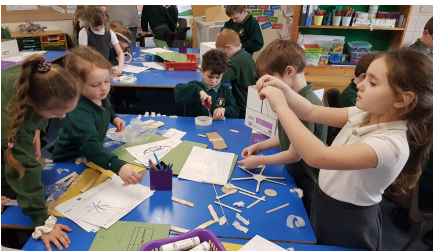




### Year 2 DT Ferris Wheels

This term Willow class have been exploring wheel mechanisms in order to design their own ferris wheels. They are working in teams to select appropriate materials, build and test a moving wheel so that they can make and evaluate a structure with a rotating wheel.

We have been so impressed with the ideas and engineering skills they have developed to create their ferris wheels. Wednesday will be their last session to finish off and decorate their model and they are so excited to see the end result of their hard work. A big thank you to Mrs Gange and Mrs Horler for volunteering on a Wednesday afternoons to help them construct their visions. Your help is very much appreciated. See their progress below and next week we can share the finished product.



### February Half Term Holiday Drama Club

Chew Magna Baptist Church, Bristol, BS40 8SP

Tuesday 13th February 2024, 10am-4pm

£24 (plus booking fee)

There will be 2 separate groups running: **Juniors** is for ages 6-9 (school year groups 2 -4) and **Seniors** is for ages 10-13 (school year groups 5-8).

[www.valleyartscentre.co.uk/Events/holiday-youth-drama/](http://www.valleyartscentre.co.uk/Events/holiday-youth-drama/)





## Certificates of the week

### Head Teacher Awards

Congratulations to Katie, Travis, Fraser, Nancy, Thomas, Sammy and Elsie for receiving the Head Teachers Award this week.



### Doodle Maths



Well done to everyone that completed their Doodle Maths and Doodle Tables this week.

The children with the most stars in their class are:

**Doodle Maths** - Dillon, Sammy, Travis, Harry, Joshua, Rosa and Leighton.

**Doodle Tables** - Eddie, Livie, Finlay, Sophie, Tommy and Leighton.

## Other Awards



Addy brought in her gymnastics certificate.  
Charlie, Evie and Esme their swimming awards.





### Notices

- **Appropriate clothing** - As the weather is colder and wetter, please can you ensure your child has a pair of named wellies in school and wears a coat.
- **Jewellery** - small stud earrings only please.
- **School Day** - Begins at 8.45am and ends 3.15pm. The gates close at 8.50am each morning.
- **School Pick up** - Please remember to inform the school if collection arrangements are different from normal.
- **Please do not allow your child to climb on the school wall, fence or gates. Thank you.**

### Diary Dates

#### February

Wednesday 7th	NSPCC Speak Out and Stay Safe workshops
Thursday 8th	Chestnut Class Learning Exhibition to parents
Friday 9th	LAST DAY OF TERM 3
Monday 19th	TERM 4 BEGINS
Wednesday 21st	Parents evening - 3.30 - 7pm
Thursday 22nd	Parents evening - 3.30 - 5pm
Tuesday 27th	Rowan Class trip to Cheddar Caves
Wednesday 28th	Willow Class trip to SS Great Britain



## **Youth Participation Group** **New Members Welcome!**



### **What?**

**This term's agenda will have a focus on our new website.  
Pizza and games included.**



### **Where?**

**Time Out Youth Centre,  
Keynsham**

### **When?**

**6th February,  
5:30pm - 6:30pm**

**Contact Us:**  
**Email: [sendias@bathnes.gov.uk](mailto:sendias@bathnes.gov.uk)**  
**Website: [sendiasbathnes.org.uk](http://sendiasbathnes.org.uk)**