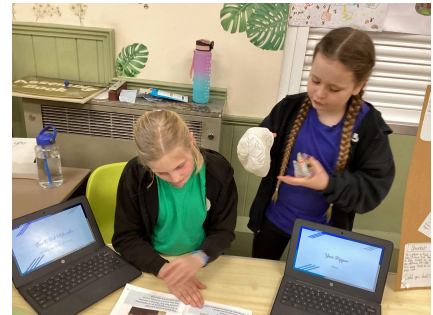




There has certainly been a lot going on in the last week of Term 3. On Tuesday, Dillon's Mum came into Cherry Class to teach the children all about Lunar New Year. Read, which you can read about below. On Wednesday, Jill and Martine from the NSPCC came in to work with children from Year 2, 5 and 6, teaching them how to stay safe.

Then on Thursday, Chestnut Class held their amazing Learning Exhibition, which parents and other relatives were invited to attend. The rest of the school visited it this morning. We are all extremely impressed with the amount of learning that has happened this year in Year 5 and the enthusiasm and knowledge the children demonstrated when sharing their work.



We wanted to say a huge congratulations to Mrs Evans, who has completed 6 months of training to become a Thrive Practitioner. The Thrive Approach is a specific way of working with children that promotes mental wellbeing. Mrs Evans is currently training all staff members in the Thrive approach which will prove invaluable for children at Clutton Primary.

We also said a sad goodbye to Mr Burke and Miss Olivey today, who have been our wonderful PGCE student teachers in Oak and Maple Classes for the last few months. We wish them lots of luck in their next placement and their future careers in teaching.

Finally, we wish you a very restful and safe half term break.

Mrs Cowgill and Mr Turull





Cherry Class Celebrate Lunar New Year

This week Cherry Class has been celebrating the Lunar New Year - the year of the Dragon, which starts on 10th February. The highlight of the week was a visit from Dillon's Mum and Dillon's baby brother Finn, dressed in his New Year outfit. They told us how they celebrate the new year in their family and taught us a new year's song in Mandarin. It was fascinating to hear all about their traditions, and to compare their new year's eve with ours. Dillon's granny kindly sent the Cherries a colourful activity decorating Mandarin characters and a money envelope too, which is traditionally given to children in Taiwan and China as a new year gift. This week the Cherries have also made their own paper lanterns, cooked up some stir fry noodles (which were delicious!) and made medals to celebrate the animal zodiac year in which they were born.

Thank you so much Dillon for helping your Mum tell us all about the Lunar New Year, and for being our expert this week!



Enrichment Friday update for term 4

Group 1 will continue with PE.

Group 2 will continue with swimming.

Group 3 will have DT cookery. Please can parents from this group make the cookery payment on Parent Pay for this term. Thank you.

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.

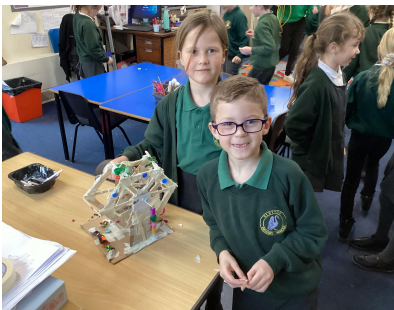
[PH Sports Online Bookings](#)

Congratulations to **RUBY** House for gaining the most house points this term. You will enjoy your house treat one day next term, more information to follow.



Year 2 DT Ferris Wheels

You may remember last week we showed you photos of the ferris wheels that Willow Class have been working on in their DT sessions. Here are their finished products!





Certificates of the week

Head Teacher Awards

Congratulations to Roman, Reuben, Zander, Lottie, Brooke, Enya and Dillon 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, Freddie, Teddy, Roman, Toby, Rosa and Otilie.

Doodle Tables - Eddie, Livie, Louie, James, Sophie, Jess and Pippa.



We have also added extra Doodle Maths certificates for children who consistently use it but don't necessarily get enough stars to win the class certificate - congratulations to Noah who wins the effort certificate this week.

Other Awards



Flossie and Albie brought in their swimming certificates to show everyone and Alfie showed his football trophy.



CLUTTON PRIMARY SCHOOL'S SPRING BULB SHOW

Saturday 9 March 2024 in the school hall, for all children to enter.
Organised by both Clutton Horticultural Society & the School.

All entries should be brought to school either on Friday 8 March (mark with your name and class so it's entered into the correct section) or on the Saturday between 10am and 11am ready for judging; prizes will be Awarded.

Entry is free and the Show opens to all @ 2pm.

There will also be an exhibition of children's school art and craft work .
Refreshments will be available, plants for sale and a raffle of Easter eggs.

Schedule:

1. Bowl or pot of daffodils (all children were given bulbs last autumn so please bring them even if the flowers are going over or not fully in bloom)
2. Hyacinth in a pot (every child was given a bulb for this last autumn and has, hopefully, been bringing it on ready for the show)
3. Vase of spring flowers arranged by the children
4. A miniature garden: Key Stage 1, Infants
5. A miniature garden: Key Stage 2, Juniors
6. A decorated egg: Key Stage 1, Infants
7. A decorated egg: Key Stage 2, Juniors
8. A flowerpot man: Key Stage 1, Infants
9. A flowerpot man: Key Stage 2, Juniors
10. An Easter bonnet (decorated hat): Key Stage 1, Infants
11. An Easter bonnet (decorated hat): Key Stage 2, Juniors
12. An animal made fruit and/or vegetables: Key Stage 1, Infants
13. An animal made fruit and/or vegetables: Key Stage 2, Juniors



Notices

- **Absence** - if your child is unwell and cannot attend school, please leave a message with the details of the illness, so we do not need to contact you to clarify. We need this information to update registers and for attendance meetings with the EWO.
- **Forest School** - Willow Class will be having Forest School on a Wednesday afternoon next term. An email was sent this week with information.
- **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 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
Wednesday 28th	Year 5 and 6 gymnastics competition

March

Thursday 7th	World Book Day
Saturday 9th	Clutton Bulb Show
Friday 15th	Comic Relief (Red Nose Day)
Monday 18th	Year 6 residential
Tuesday 26th	Dance Umbrella @Forum in Bath
Wednesday 27th	Maple Class Learning Exhibition to parents



Both & North East Somerset
**Violence
Reduction
Partnership**

Knife Crime Awareness Event for Parents and Carers

The B&NES Violence Reduction Partnership (VRP) are running a series of knife crime awareness events throughout February and March.

These events will take place in schools across the area. The first event will be held at Writhlington School on February 22nd (17.30 to 19.30), followed by Hayesfield Girls School on February 29th (18.00 to 20.00) and Cameley CEVC Primary School on March 18th (18.00 to 20.00).

The events are aimed at parents and carers who would like to know more about the dangers of knife crime or are concerned that their children are at risk. They aim to increase awareness of key issues surrounding knife crime, empowering you and your children to make informed and positive decisions to stay safe.

You will have the opportunity to hear from guest speakers with lived experience who have been personally affected by knife crime. There will also be a presentation by Street Doctors followed by a panel discussion with the opportunity to ask questions.

For queries, please email VRU_Events@bathnes.gov.uk
Or book your ticket now on Eventbrite:

Writhlington School, 22nd February, 17.30 to 19.30
<https://KnifeCrimeAwareEventWrithlington.eventbrite.co.uk>

Hayesfield Girls School, 29th February, 18.00 to 20.00
<https://KnifeCrimeAwareHayesfield.eventbrite.co.uk>

Cameley Primary School, 18th March, 18.00 to 20.00
<https://KnifeCrimeAwarenessCameley.eventbrite.co.uk>

Bath & North Somerset VRP
<https://bcssp.bathnes.gov.uk/vru>



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[Relaxed Saturday Cinema](#)
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NEW! Starter String Group @Hayesfield Bath

Come and learn violin, viola, cello or
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with your friends at low cost!

Who: Key Stage 2 complete beginners

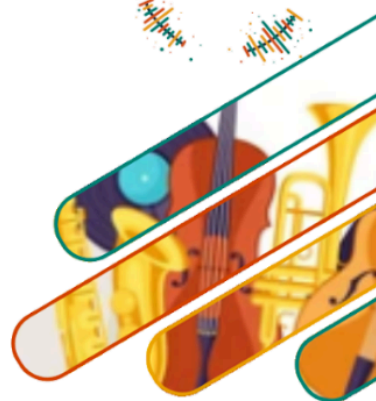
Where: Hayesfield School, Bath

When: Wednesdays 5.45- 6.45pm

Start Date: 21st February

Cost: £41.50 per double term
Free for pupil premium

Instrument hire also available



To book a space:
<https://www.wema.org.uk/register>

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