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Thank you to everyone who came to support the school fayre on Saturday and to all the staff and PTFA who gave up their valuable time to ensure everything ran smoothly and the sun even shone for us! We managed to raise £1040 which will go towards our play equipment fund.









Our school week began with Head Boy and Head Girl interviews. There was a strong field of confident Year 5s to choose from, many of whom had spent lots of time preparing speeches. After lots of deliberation, we were able to choose our new representatives which will be announced next week in our Pride of Clutton Awards where our current Head Boy and Head Girl, Milo and Chloe will do a formal handover.

On Tuesday we welcomed Jill Scarborough from Midsomer Norton Library to our assembly to promote the summer reading challenge. We encourage all children to take part in this FREE activity. Pop into any of the local libraries (Midsomer Norton, Paulton, Keynsham) to sign up. Please see further details at the end of the newsletter.

Our Year 6 children are exhausted! They have given their all this week, first performing 'The Lion King' to the whole school on Wednesday afternoon and then to parents and family on Wednesday and Thursday evening under very hot conditions. We'd like to say a massive congratulations to each and everyone of them and also to Mrs Shaw who directed and produced the play with Mr Rideout, Mrs Willcox for making all the staging and costumes and to all the parents and staff who helped with scenery painting, refreshments, face painting and backstage. We couldn't have done it without you. Please see the pictures below.

A recent whitepaper released from the Government states that children need to be in school for 32.5 hours a week. All this means is that from September, children need to be in school from 8.45am and registers will be taken at 8.50am. Gates will continue to open at 8.40am as normal. Please note anyone arriving after 8.50am will be marked as late.

Finally, after a fantastic year of sporting achievements and more pupils taking part in extracurricular events and clubs than ever before, we're pleased to say that Clutton has been awarded the coveted School Games Gold sportsmark award which you will see proudly displayed in the school reception area and on our school letters.



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#### **Dentist Visit**

On Thursday, Maple and Cherry Class had a visit from a dentist. They learnt all about Tilly the tooth and how she stays healthy. The children learnt that it is best to clean your teeth twice a day, with a pea-sized amount of toothpaste, and that it is better not to rinse out your mouth with water afterwards because that washes the fluoride away. They also learnt how to make good food and drink choices for your teeth, and how to replace sugary foods and drinks with healthier choices, such as choosing cereal with no added sugar.



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### **Cherry Class Weather Presenters**

This week Cherry Class has been learning about weather forecasts and thinking about different kinds of weather. The children have had a go at being television weather presenters, reporting from Clutton School on our local heat wave and advising their viewers on ways to keep cool in the heat. Some children made their own television screens, complete with a remote control and were going around Cherry Class broadcasting their weather messages. Their advice is to wear sunscreen, remember to wear a hat and to drink lots of water.







## Well-being Day

We have been busy planning a well-being day for Tuesday. Children are welcome to come to school in their own clothes but they do need to be appropriate for forest school and yoga activities and also taking into account the heatwave.. We would also appreciate a donation of any fruit on this day and if you have any spare beads at home that we can use for the craft that day it would be very much appreciated. Thank you.



#### Year 3 and 4 QuadKids



A huge well done to the Year 3 and 4 QuadKids team who competed in an athletics competition over at St Benedicts School. The team had to compete in four competitive events along with a variety of other activities. The team consisted of; Rocco, James, Harry, Finlay, Georgie, Frankie, Lola, Kira & a special well done to Elsie, who finished 5th overall in the girls' category. Thanks to all the parents who came to cheer them on in the heat.



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## Lion King- Year 6











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## Certificates of the week - Final ones of the Year!

#### **Head Teacher Awards**

Allanah, Juno, Jaz, Toby and Harry are the recipients of the Head Teacher award this week. Congratulations!

#### **Doodle Maths & Doodle Tables**

Top Doodlers this week are Mia, Connie, Molly, Henry, Damon and Mollie. Top for Doodle Tables were James, Connie, Maddie, Esme, Joshua and Autumn. Well done all of you! Molly and Alfie hit a fantastic milestone both achieving a 365 day streak on Doodle Maths.







Congratulations to

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who have won the house cup this term.

You will receive your house treat next week.



Well done to Hattie and Jess who have achieved their bronze citizenship award. Chloe, Paige, Lottie, Finley and Harry received their awards too.



Hannah, Georgie, Esther, Orla, Hera and Juno celebrated their latest Brownie awards. Maddie, Pippa, Georgie and Kira showed their gymnastic awards. Oli and Eric shared their martial arts awards. Awesome achievements, well done everyone.







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## **Cleaning Supervisor**

Can you keep our school clean and tidy for our pupils?

We are looking for a Cleaning Supervisor to join our team from September.

Working 10 hours per week after school from Monday to Friday at £9.99 plus benefits

If you are interested or know of someone who might be, please contact the school office for further information.

#### **Notices**

- Dinner Menu Choices Please remember to book every week by Thursday for the following week's choices. Unfortunately, options can no longer be changed after this day.
- **School Day** From September the school day will begin at 8.45 with registers being taken at 8.50. Gates will open at 8.40 as normal.
- Volunteers if you would like to become a volunteer within the school which means you can attend
  school trips and activities, and offer ad hoc help, then please contact the school office and we will
  provide you with details of how to apply for a DBS certificate there is no cost involved.
- Wendy Rogers Memorial fund we are very grateful for all the contributions we received we have raised over £300. The school will purchase a Cherry Tree to plant in the school grounds in the autumn and we are liaising with the Parish council over plans to place seating within the park.

### **Diary Dates**

Tuesday 19th July Wellbeing day (children to wear own clothes)
Wednesday 20th July Pride of Clutton Awards 9.30am - invite only
Thursday 21st July Year 6 leavers' assembly 9.30am -invite only

LAST DAY OF TERM

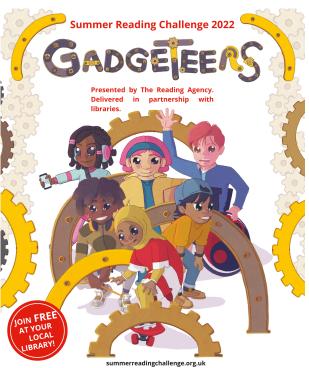
Thursday 1st September INSET DAY 1 Friday 2nd September INSET DAY 2

Monday 5th September School starts back for all children

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Running in all Libraries, on the Mobile, and Community Run Libraries Saturday 9 July - Saturday 3 September 2022















