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This week is mental health awareness week. Mrs Willcox and Mrs Evans, as part of their role in the school, often work with children (individually and in groups) who may need a little extra support in this area - it's not always about academic achievement at school! As parents you may also feel worried about your own or your child's mental health and well-being. Please see the letter at the end of the newsletter for a list of organisations that are there to support you and your child/children.

We have had success on the football field this week in two separate events. Thank you to all the many parents and siblings who came to support Team Clutton - please see the writeup below. As well as thanking our staff at school for their time and effort coaching the teams, we must also say thanks to Clutton FC, as the majority of our children attend the club and have obviously received some great coaching there as well!

We have also been busy setting up our Instagram, Twitter and Facebook accounts so that we can be more active in sharing what we do at school with parents and carers, as well as with the wider community - further information on this next week when hopefully they can go live.

Finally, with the weather getting warmer, please remember to put suncream on your child before coming to school and ensure that they have a sunhat. And please remember that the school uniform policy is **all black** shoes or trainers with no visible logos and black soles. Thank you.

Mrs Cowgill and Mr Turull

This Saturday 20th May is World Bee Day. Cherry Class had lots of fun in Forest School this week learning about bees, making pine cones bees, playing bee games and making bee homes for the Forest School Area. Some of them did ask if they could come into school dressed as bees (like World Book Day) which would have been lovely, but sadly not a requirement of World Bee Day.







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Certificates of the week

Head Teacher's Award



Congratulations to Hollie, Jude, Delilah, Stanley and Summer for receiving the Head Teacher's award this week. Mr Wellington has awarded the Year 3 / 4 football team his certificate for their great performance this week.

Doodle Maths & Doodle Tables

Top Doodlers were Stanley, Molly, Oscar, Esme, Olive and Albie. Albie also received the trophy for most stars in the school. Top for Doodle Tables were Autumn, Connie, Orla, Maddie and Alfie.



Other Awards



Scarlett, Jake, Annabelle, Delilah and Abel brought in their swimming awards. Emily, Pippa and Erin showed their gymnastics medals and Spencer had rugby awards. Scarlett also brought in her Brownie Promise.

<u>Football</u>

Clutton has had what can only be described as a phenomenal week on the football field!

On Monday, Mr Wellington and Mr Smalley took a strong team to the Year 3/4 MSN football tournament at Norton Hill. The team finished the round robin competition on 10 points, meaning they won the tournament against some very strong opposition! This is amazing considering the majority of the squad were Year 3. The future is certainly bright.

Following this, on Tuesday, Mr Rideout took our Year 5/6 team to Norton Hill to wrap up the rest of their league fixtures. After an impressive win against Farrington earlier this year, Clutton followed this up with a 3-1 win, a 5-1 win and 0-0 draw. These results mean that Clutton have retained the Small School League for a second year in a row, being unbeaten in two years- an unbelievable achievement. Well done to all involved over the course of the season:



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<u>Year 5/6</u> - Joshua, Freddie, Connie, Samuel, Caleb, John, Frankie, Oscar, James, Finlay, Harry, Roman, Rocco, Henry, Ross.

Year 3/4 - Harrison, Tommy, Ashton, Tom, Henry, Teddy, Rosa, Finley, Arthur, Zach.



We need your help....

We are looking for volunteers (parents, grandparents, friends) to help us improve the look of our outside areas of the school from painting the pods, helping to create a memorial garden and anything in between! If you can spare a few hours of your time one weekend in June (TBC), please let the school office know. We really do appreciate any help you can offer. Mrs PC is also looking for a willing volunteer to paint an external wall in Cherry Class. She has the paint but needs a painter. Newsletter 31 - May 19th 2023



Do you want new goals at the park?

Then do a sponsored run!

Clutton park on Tuesday 6th June after school there will be a sponsored run around the field.

20 laps for 10+ years old, 10 laps for children 5-9 years old, 5 laps for children under 5 years old.

There will be a cake sale for spectators and anyone who wants to come along in the village hall, as well as a tombola and games too. There will be cones to mark the run and everyone who runs will get a certificate. All money is going to new goalposts at the park. If you want to take part, collect a sponsor form from The Cabin or Clutton Primary School.

All organised by Harry in Year 5.



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<u>Notices</u>

- **Awards** If your child received a cup or shield last year please can it be returned to school for this year's awards ceremony. Thank you.
- **Dinner Menu Choices** Please ensure bookings are made by Thursday for lunches for the following week. Unfortunately, options can no longer be changed after this day. Please note that if you book a meal and then your child brings in a packed lunch on that day you will still be charged for the booked meal if you pay for school lunches, unless your child is ill.
- **Parking** Please can we remind parents to be mindful when parking near the school, local residents driveways have been blocked on a number of occasions and cars are being parked dangerously close to the end of Broomhill lane making it dangerous for pedestrians. Please think before leaving your car in a place that makes it unsafe for our children accessing and leaving the school. This continues to be monitored by the PCSOs.
- School day Begins at 8.45am and ends 3.15pm
- **School pick up** Please remember to inform the school if collection arrangements are different from normal.
- **School lunches** From September paid school lunches will increase from £2.60 to £2.80 due to the rise in food prices and transport costs.

Monday 22nd May Wednesday 24th May Friday 26th May Monday 5th June Tuesday 13th June Thursday 15th June Friday 16th June Wednesday 21st June Wednesday 28th June Saturday 8th July Wednesday 12th July Thursday 13th July Monday 17th July Wednesday 19th July Thursday 20th July Friday 21st July

Diary Dates

Years 2, 5 & 6 gymnastic sessions in school Sycamore Class Learning Exhibition 2.30 pm End of Term 5 - PTFA tuck shop after school Term 6 begins Cherry Class trip to Chew Valley Farm New Reception Parents' meeting School Disco - tickets available soon Sports Day (TBC) Willow Class trip to SS Great Britain Summer Fayre 11am - 2pm Year 6 Production (evening) Year 6 Production (evening) Talent Show auditions Talent Show Finals Celebrating Clutton awards Year 6 Leavers' assembly END OF TERM 6

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SEND Local Offer Information Event Radstock Youth Centre - Friday 16th June, 10am - 12pm Come along to meet and chat to representatives from local groups, organisations and service WE WORK Blue Sky NOVA sendias Children's Learning Disability Service bathnes SOUTH CONNECT healthwatch Bath and North East Somerset evolve Bath and North East Somerset Libraries Carers Supporting WE MentoringPlus Independent Living Live Well B&NES Bath & North East **B&NES Parent Carer Forum** Somerset Council Youth Info B&NES O Improving People's Lives