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NEWSLETTER - 14 June 2019

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The school is echoing with the sound of beautiful singing as our children start to learn the songs for the summer performance and the choir prepare for next week's Combined Schools Concert. Meanwhile, Swallows class continue to make big strides with their ukulele playing and sight reading—very impressive. What a musical school!

Today marks the start of the Chipping Sodbury Festival and our children get to experience a range of wonderful activities including: Explorer Dome (Year 6), puppet making (Year 5) and meeting an author and illustrator (Year 2). Our thanks go to parents helping with transport to enable our children to take part. Next Saturday, it will be the Carnival and our thanks go to the fabulous team working on the float. If your child is taking part in this fun day they will need to come dressed in beach wear.

Congratulations to Year 5 and 6 who took part in the pedestrian road safety training so sensibly and carefully they all passed. Well done!

Our value this term is TRUTHFULNESS.

Diary Date reminder: On **Wednesday 19th June 3:30pm** you are warmly invited to an e-safety meeting at St. John's Mead. This is a chance for parents to hear the latest advice about keeping your children safe online. Please let us know if you are able to attend.

District Sports: Mon 17th June and Wed 19th June

Good luck to all our athletes representing Horton at District Sports next week. If your child is competing you should have received an email with all of the details. Please let us know if they can attend as soon as possible. Speak to Mrs Wootton if you have any questions.

Chipping Sodbury Festival Combined Concert– Friday 21st June

There are still lots of tickets available in the school office. The tickets are limited to 2 tickets per family due to the available space at the town hall. Any spare tickets will be allocated on a first come– first served basis.

FOHS - Entry to the Chipping Sodbury Carnival– Saturday 22nd June

A reminder that this year's carnival is taking place on Saturday 22nd June. Please let school know as soon as possible if you wish your child to take part in the float. Mrs Wootton will be in the playground in the mornings with a sign up sheet!

Whole School Trip to Bristol Aerospace– Tuesday 25th June

Please send in payment for this trip as soon as possible, if you have not already done so. The cost of this trip has already been heavily subsidised by the local council and if we do not receive sufficient funds then this trip will have to be **cancelled**.

Summer Show

We are very excited to tell you that this year's Summer Show is called 'Aladdin Trouble!' a children's version of the classic Panto. There will be a dress rehearsal on **Tues 2nd July** at the village hall at 2pm. For the main event, children need to arrive at the village hall on

Wednesday 3rd July by 5.30 for a 6pm start.

Class Summer Showcase

Each class will be holding a Summer Showcase, where the children will present their learning and share their books with parents and guardians. Please let your child's class teacher know if you are able to attend.

Owl Class (Y5/6) Fri 28th June 9.00-10.00

Swallow Class (Y3/4) Thurs 4th July 2.30-3:15

Robin Class (KS1) Monday 8th July 2.30-3:15

Sports Day

This has been rescheduled for **Tuesday 9th July at 1pm**. Fingers crossed for better weather!

Reading Awards

Congratulations to all our children for their great efforts with both reading and number clubs. Well done to: John and Isaac (Venus, 30 reads); Kiki, Isabel, Chloe, Daisy, Connor and Niamh (Mars, 60 reads); Mia (Mercury 100 reads) and Pascal who achieved the Jupiter 150 reads this week. Well done everyone!

Number Club Super Stars

Well done to for their efforts in maths resulting in achieving their number clubs this term.: Archie N, Finnley T, Pascal, Jack, Cooper, Amy, Niamh, Amelia, Riley, Lotty and Harriet.

Congratulations to Jamie, Woody, Bethany and Harry who have all been stars of the week this term for their great efforts and positive approach to learning.

Diary Dates

Mon 17th June District Sports Field Events 4:00pm - 5:00pm North Nibley Primary School

Wed 19th June District Sports Track Event– 6:30pm - 8:00pm KLB

Wed 19th June e-safety meeting– 3.30pm at St John's Mead

Fri 21st June Chipping Sodbury Festival Combined Choir Concert

Sat 22nd June Chipping Sodbury Carnival

Tuesday 25th June Whole School Trip to Bristol Aerospace fortnight.

Friday 28th June Owl Class Summer Showcase 9.00-10.00

Tuesday 2nd July 2pm Summer Show Dress Rehearsal—Village Hall

Wednesday 3rd July Summer Show 6pm Village Hall

Thursday 4th July Swallow Class Summer Showcase 2.30-3.15pm

Monday 8th July Robin Class Summer Showcase 2.30-3.15pm

Wednesday 17th July Swallow Class Ukulele Concert

Friday 19th July Leavers' Service 2pm at St. James the Elder

Payment Reminder

Please could parents of children attending our Y5/6 residential camp make their final payments by 12th July at the very latest.

School Dinner Money Increase from September onwards to £2.30

FOHS

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 9th July at 8pm at The Dog in Old Sodbury. All welcome.

Academic Year 2018/2019

03.06.19	Start of term 6
17.06.19	District Sports Field Events 4.00 to 5.00 p.m. North Nibley Primary School
19.06.19	District Sports Track Event 6.30 to 8.00 p.m. KLB
19.06.19	E-safety meeting led by LA adviser at St. John's Mead 3:30pm
21.06.19	Chipping Sodbury Festival Combined Choir Concert
22.06.19	Chipping Sodbury Festival
24.06.19	No swimming for Year 1, 2, 3, and 4
25.06.19	Whole School Trip to Aerospace Bristol
01.07.19	No swimming for Year 1, 2, 3, and 4
02.07.19	Summer Production dress rehearsal - Village Hall 2.00 p.m.
03.07.19	Summer Production at Village Hall 5.30 p.m. for 6.00 p.m. start
08.07.19	No swimming for Year 1, 2, 3, and 4
10.07.19	FOHS - Cattle Country Year 6 leavers party 4.30 to 6.30 a.m.
15.07.19	No swimming for Year 1, 2, 3, and 4
19.07.19	TBC Year 6 Leavers' Church Service - 2.00 p.m.
19.07.19	End of Term 6 for children
22.07.19	INSET DAY
23.07.19	INSET DAY
23.07.19	End of term 6 for staff

Academic Year 2019/2020

02.09.19	Start of Term 1 Inset Day staff only
03.09.19	Start of school for children
25.10.19	End of Term 1
04.11.19	Start of Term 2
20.12.2020	End of Term 2
06.01.2020	Start of Term 3 INSET day for staff only Inset Day Staff only
07.01.2020	Start of school for children
14.02.2020	End of Term 3
24.02.2010	Start of Term 4
03.04.2020	End of Term 4
20.04.2020	Start of Term 5
22.05.2020	End of Term 5
01.06.2010	Start of Term 6
20.07.2020	End of Term 6

