

Combe St Nicholas C of E VA Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

12th October 2018



Tadpoles and Hedgehogs

News will be given to parents in the form of "Our Week in Pictures" via the school website. Please check Tadpoles and Hedgehogs' class pages for weekly updates.

School Open Morning

There will be an Open Morning at school on 7th November from 9:30 - 12:00pm. Everyone is welcome.



Tea Dance



The Year 5 & 6 children have been working hard during their PE lessons learning Ballroom dancing. They will be hosting a Community Tea Dance at the Village Hall on Thursday 8th November 2018 (1.30 - 3.00pm) for grandparents and members of the community.



We would be very grateful for donations of cakes/biscuits which can be brought into school on the Thursday morning. We also need Union Jack bunting and flags if you have any.



I have asked the boys to wear trousers and smart shirts/ties and the girls to wear dresses or skirts along with sensible footwear. They will need to bring their clothes into school with them, as uniforms will be worn initially.

Popcorn

Sophie in Yr6 will be selling her popcorn at the end of the school day next Friday, raising money for the Animal Sanctuary. Please give Sophie and her chosen charity lots of support.



Non Uniform Day

There will be a Non-Uniform Day on Thursday 25th October 2018 in aid of donations for the Christmas Fayre. The PFA would like gift bags with an item in it i.e. sweets, toys, toiletries etc. They can be for adults or children and any size. Thank you for your support.

Reminders

Stockland Cross Country - This is just a reminder to the children that have already received letters regarding **Stockland Cross Country Running** which is taking place next week, **Wednesday 17th October**.



PE Kits - It is really important that the children have their PE Kits in school every day. PE days could change dependent on the weather.



Parent Consultations - There is still enough time to sign up for a Parent Consultation with your child/children's teacher. **Monday 22nd October & Wednesday 24th October**. The signing-up sheets are in the school office.



PFA Meeting - There is a PFA Meeting taking place at school on **Monday 5th November (INSET DAY) @ 10am**. Please come along and give your support.

Friday 26th October
FREE OF CHARGE

Spooky Film Club (age appropriate for KS1 and KS2)

It starts at 5pm and includes hot chocolate, popcorn and a Pumpkin Competition



Friday 14th December
FREE OF CHARGE

Christmas Party School Disco in the village hall.

Separate times for KS1 and KS2 - times to follow



Saturday 1st December

Christmas Fayre from 10am - 1pm
HELPERS NEEDED



Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal 2018

Mr Edwards gave the KS2 children a talk in assembly this week regarding to the Shoebox Appeal, the details of which are below:

- In 2017 7500 shoeboxes were sent to Romania from the Ilminster warehouse.
- Coming home with your child today is a leaflet with suggestions for items which can be donated to fill the boxes going to Romania this year.
- If your child/children could bring into school any item(s) from the list together with any empty shoeboxes, the charity would be extremely grateful.



The items and shoeboxes must be in school by **Friday 9th November 2018**, when the boxes will be filled and brought into school so that the children can see how many boxes they have filled.

LITTLE LIGHTS

COMBE ST. NICHOLAS PRIMARY SCHOOL GOSPEL CHOIR

My name is Tim Heale and I am a gospel singer. I've been singing gospel for nearly 10 years. We are going to start up a Combe St Nicholas school gospel choir, 'Little Lights'.

So, reasons to sing Gospel: It's good news, it's exciting and it's cool. The plan is to learn a gospel song which we'll be able to sing on stage in front of an audience at Christmas.

You don't need to be able to read music. You don't have to have an amazing voice. You just need to want to be part of something. Hope to see some of you at our first rehearsal.

WHERE: COMBE ST. NICHOLAS PRIMARY SCHOOL

WHEN: THURSDAY EVENINGS 5.30 - 6.30PM

WHO CAN JOIN IN? ANYONE

(£1 Donations appreciated to cover costs)

Missing Jumper

Kaleb is missing his jumper. Could you please check at home to ensure that your child has not taken it home by mistake? Thank you.



16.10.18	Holyrood Open Morning
17.10.18	Stockland Cross Country (selected children)
18.10.18	Holyrood Open Morning
22.10.18	Parents' Evening (Late)
24.10.18	Parents' Evening (Early)

26.10.18 End of Term