



# SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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#### Important Dates For Your Diary:

Friday 27th October Inset Day

#### **Tuesday 7th November** Y5 trip to Skillzone

**Thursday 9th November** Y4 & Y5 trip to Stroud Literature Festival

Friday 10th November School photos—individual & siblings

#### School disco

Tuesday 14th & Thursday 16th November Parents Evening

## Reception

Well done to our Reception children for a fantastic first term at school. We're amazed by how well every single one of you have settled into school life.

In class, all sorts of learning has been happening including Phonics, Maths, digging, building, making, investigating, exploring and learning all of our routines and expectations.

What a super start Reception, we're excited to learn more with you next term!



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#### Family Support Worker

As you all know, Mrs Millward has taken over this role from Mrs Young. In addition to being our Family Support Worker, Mrs Millward is also a valued TA and of course, a parent at the school.

To ensure that we are maximising her time and supporting this role, we will now be operating an appointment only system. If you need to arrange an appointment, this can be done via the office or by emailing Mrs Millward on her FSW email (detailed at the bottom of this page)

We obviously appreciate that some matters will arise that need urgent attention. If this is the case, you will need to pop to the office or email highlighting that it is urgent.

Mrs Millward is a fantastic addition to us in this role and we want to ensure that she has the time and space to assist you all equally.

Please also find a link below to the Glosfamilies Directory which is a resource of local services and things to do.

https://www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk/kb5/ gloucs/glosfamilies/home.page

## Safeguarding

Today is an inset day but all of the staff are in school.

Inset days are varied depending on what we need to achieve. This morning, we have received entire staff Safeguarding training from the Local Authority.

The rest of the day will be spent ensuring we are ready to welcome you all back for the new term on Monday 6th November.

Our next inset day is Monday 8th January.

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## Football Tournament

Another week, another sporting event! This time it was a football tournament for our KS2 girls.

Our team of 10 girls played with amazing spirit and enthusiasm. In the first match, they scored an incredible 6 goals!

Throughout the rest of the tournament, they managed to draw 0-0 and then unfortunately, lost 1-0. Considering that many of these girls only play football as a hobby, we could not be prouder of the way they came together as a team. We saw some real talent shining through!

Well done everyone.



## **PTFA Events**

The PTFA are delighted to announce our school disco on Friday 10th November.

Tickets are on sale now for just £4 which includes a drink & 2 snacks!

Get those party outfits and disco shoes at the ready!

If your child is in Reception,

you will need to stay with them but all other parents are welcome to drop and go!

## PTFA Update

The PTFA would like to say a huge thank you to each and everyone of you that supported our 2 recent events. We are delighted to announce that the following amounts were raised:

- Cake/Uniform Sale £249.10
- Pig Racing Night £1009.11

What a fantastic start to our fundraising!

# Value Certificates

#### Reception

**Josh** has shown the value <u>resilience</u> for being really brave when having his flu spray.

Atlas for being a wonderful <u>reader</u> and working really hard to learn his sounds. Year 1

Alice has shown the value <u>responsibility</u> for building a beautiful hobby horse in Countryside Skills.

**Victor** for being a wonderful <u>writer</u> and adding lots of adjectives to his Autumn Object Riddle. **Year 2** 

**Harry S** for being a wonderful <u>interpreter</u> in RE and explaining his ideas.

**Aviya** has shown the value <u>resilience</u> with her writing in both English and history.

#### Year 3

**Charlotte** has shown the value <u>courage</u> starting in her new class/school.

**Cece** has shown <u>responsibility</u> being a good friend and supporting a new pupil.

# Year 4

**Samara** for being a wonderful <u>reader</u> during guided readed.

**Lilia** for showing the value <u>resilience</u> when helping n the Open the Book Worship. **Year 5** 

**Corin** for showing the value <u>respect</u> by always being polite and respectful in class.

Elijah for being a wonderful <u>swimmer</u> and showing perseverance in the swimming race. Year 6

**Rory** for showing the value <u>responsibility</u> with his fantastic ideas, focus and presentation. **Dexter** for being a wonderful <u>philosopher</u> with his super reflections in RE.

## School Governors

We would like to welcome our new Co-Chairs of Governors, Claire Bosworth and Clare Papper.





They have both been part of our Board of Governors for some time and we have no doubt, they will both be

We would also like to extend our thanks to Sam Attrill and Helena Gauterin who are stepping down from the position of Co-Chairs.

They have been a great asset to the board over the last few years and we are very grateful for their time working with us.