



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Where we care about our learning and each other"

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Important Term Dates

Monday 1st June
Inset Day

Wednesday 3rd June
YR Countryside Skills
Y2 Countryside Skills

Thursday 4th June
YR Countryside Skills
Y2 Countryside Skills

Monday 8th June
Y5 Mary Poppins Trip
Y6 Swimming

Tuesday 9th June
Y6 Leavers Service—Gloucester Cathedral

Wednesday 10th June
YR Countryside Skills
Y2 Countryside Skills

Thursday 11th June
Y5 Skillzone
YR Countryside Skills
Y2 Countryside Skills

Student Spotlight

Myffi in Y5 recently competed in a Judo competition at Leonard Stanley School.

Competing with confidence and showing excellent sportsmanship, Myffi achieved a fantastic result and won a Gold medal.

Well done Myffi, we are very proud of you!



Staff Spotlight

Name: James Ponting

What is your job role?

Teaching Assistant and
French Teacher

How long have you been at the school?

8 years

What is your favourite subject to teach and why?

French

What would be your book recommendation for a child in your class?

The Colour of Magic by Terry Pratchett



ParentPay Lunches

Please remember to order your child's lunches for the week after half term this weekend.

The ordering system closes 7 days in advance and, from next term, we have been advised that we will no longer be able to add late orders. If no lunch order has been placed, your child will need to bring a packed lunch instead.

Once the ordering window has closed, you can still check what has been ordered by selecting '**View Taken Meals and Menus**' from the side menu.

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Sports Day

Sports Day was a fantastic success this year, filled with excitement, teamwork and plenty of smiles from start to finish.

It is always wonderful to see the children taking part in such a wide variety of activities, alongside our traditional races, and giving every event their very best effort.

We are incredibly proud of the way the children support and encourage one another, and yesterday was no exception. Their enthusiasm, determination and sportsmanship truly shone throughout the day.

A huge thank you to Mr Knight for always going above and beyond to make the event such an enjoyable experience for the children, parents and staff alike.

Once again, the parent race was a huge hit with the children! We certainly saw a competitive side from a few of you, and we hope you enjoyed taking part as much as the children enjoyed watching you.

There were even a few rumblings about a teacher race... perhaps that's one for next year!

Value Certificates

Reception

Reuben for being a wonderful musician by creating his own rhyming song during COOL time!

Year 1

Ellie for being a wonderful writer by planning and writing a great 'What Am I?' poem.

Year 2

Ezra has shown the values of responsibility by showing fantastic skills when writing rhetorical questions in English.

Year 3

Isabella has shown the value of respect by always listening well and being ready to learn.

Year 4

Beatrice has shown the value of respect by always listening, being ready to learn and working hard.

Year 5

Harry has shown the 3R's of responsibility, respect & resilience by always working hard and trying his best with any given task. He takes pride in his work and is a great role model to others.

Year 6

Bradley has shown the value of resilience by working really hard all this week.

WELL DONE EVERYONE

