



St Nicholas C of E Primary School

October 6th 2017

Term: 1

Newsletter: 5

Mrs Smith's Message

As you are aware Sharon is going into hospital next week for a major operation on her back. She is hoping to join us for some of the Christmas celebrations at the end of next term. I am sure you would like to join me in wishing her a speedy recovery.

It has been lovely having Mr C back with us this week, he is going to be coming back bit by bit over the next few weeks and back full time after the half term break.

We also have some exciting news. Natalie, from Brighter Futures will be running a Rainbow Club on a Tuesday lunchtime. This is the same as 'Time to Talk' which was run when Place to Be. Children can sign up to see Natalie either individually or as a group.

On the final week of this term we will be holding Parents' Evening. The dates and times are overleaf. The sign up sheets will be placed in the reception next week.

Have a wonderful weekend.
Nicki Smith

Class Attendance

Kennet	99.4%
Severn	98.1%
Tone	95.8%
Yeo	95.0%
Dart	93.0%
Mells	89.5%
Frome	85.4%
Avon	84.2%
Somer	80.4%

House Points



Tyning	53
Ludlow	51
Foxcote	50
Huish	46

Save the Date

Please make a note of the following dates:

Mon 9th October:

+ Book Fair **Ends**

Tues 10th October:

+ Netball match
@Summervale Yr5+6

Wed 11th October:

+ Football Match @St Johns

Thurs 12th October:

+ Yr 2 Parent Event

Mon 16th October:

+ Somer + Tone @Longleat

Wed 18th October:

+ Lifeskills Yr6
+ Swindon Steam Museum Yr5
+ **Rivers Nine Café**

Fri 3rd November:

+ School Photos

Mon 6th November:

+ Zoolab visit Reception Class

Wed 8th November:

+ Cardiff Castle Yr2

A Harvest Thank You

We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who brought in food for our donation. We managed to fill the table with all the generosity of parents and pupils, the foodbank has now come and collected our donation and were very pleased! Thank you everyone!

School Office

Just to remind you the school office is open from **8.45am-4.00pm Monday to Friday**. You can text the school mobile on 07967129409 to report a child absent or choose option 1 on the school landline. Please write any messages for the teacher in your child's home/school book.

All correspondence and payments e.g. dinner money, trip money, swimming money, data collection forms etc. should come to the office VIA THE CLASS REGISTER TRAY. Please send payments in a sealed envelope with your child's name on, clearly stating what the payment is for. **DO NOT** send in more than one trip or student per payment! We are not a bank, and cannot give change on demand. Thank you

Outside School Achievements



Jack BP + Alfie M played in their first football match, well done boys!

Parents' Evening

Next week, sign up sheets will be placed in the Reception Area for Parents' Evening.

All classes except Avon

Tuesday 17th October: 3.50pm—6.10pm

Kennet: 2.30pm—6.10pm

Thursday 19th October: 3.50pm-7.00pm

Avon Class: Mrs Astin

Wednesday 18th October:

8.50am—3.20pm

TAMZEN

Before and Afterschool Childcare (Term time only)
Monday - Thursday - 8:00am-8:45am
3:30-5.45pm

Friday 8:00am-8:45am
3:30-5.45pm

For 0-12 Year olds
Tamzen is run by fully qualified, Ofsted registered and experienced childminders Tammy and Zena.

For more information or to register for a place please e-mail: tamzen826@gmail.com

Or call **Tammy: 07971379358** or **Zena: 07790067065**

A Time To Talk



In each class ask your child about:

Frome/Tone(R): Tell the story of the little rabbit Foo Foo with actions.

(1)What symmetrical shapes can you find around the house?

Somer: Can you say what senses match with your eyes, ears, nose and tongue?

Avon/Mells: What did you learn about magnets this week?

Kennet: Is black a colour?

Yeo: What times do your favourite TV programs start and finish using a 24 hour clock?

Severn: Using the links on our class website page find three interesting facts about the Maya.

Rivers Nine Café and Uniform Sale

Rivers Nine Café and Second-hand Uniform sale is back!!

You are invited to stay, have a cake and a cuppa, there will be juice for the children and colouring to keep the young ones occupied.

It will be on **Wednesday 18th October 3:30pm in the hall**. Kennet and Dart are to provide cakes please. These donations will need to be sent in the morning of the café (And remember to attach a list of ingredients). Please see the separate letter coming home for more details. Thank you!

Book Fair/Poetry Day

A reminder that the book fair is currently in school. It's held in the hall at the end of the day, so come and browse our collection of books as Monday will be the last day it's here!

Don't forget that any books bought at the book fair give us points to buy free books for school (We bought lots of new books for school this way last year), so buying any book at the fair is a contribution towards the schools own collection.

Class Awards

	Star of the week	Maths Magician	Wizard Writer
Frome	Jay	Freddie	Ella
Tone	Hollie	Harry	Ronny
Somer	Lily	Vinnie	Amelia
Dart	Felix	Maisy	Edward
Avon	Avalee	Gabriella	Charlie
Mells	Harry	Crystal	Peter