



What's been happening?

Friends AGM

Our AGM was well attended on Monday. It was great to see some new faces there.

We want to say a huge thank you to Mrs Kelly who has now stood down from the position of chair; handing the baton to Mrs Fish who has taken on the role. Mrs Kelly has been Chair for three years and in that time has worked tirelessly to organise and run fun events for the children and raise a fantastic amount of money for the school. Well done Mrs Kelly!



Going for the Job!

The children in Year 6 have been working hard this week in preparation for the Christmas Fayre taking place on **Friday 9th December**. The class has been split into 6 groups and the children are working together to plan a stall to raise as much money as they can to put towards their class trip to London in the summer term. As part of their learning the children have been carrying out market research, ordering resources (with their £25.00 loan from the school), writing applications for the position of sales assistant and this week, attending an interview. The children were incredibly nervous however made Miss Barratt extremely proud. The children are now awaiting their letters to inform them if they have been successful. Good luck to all of you.



Cupcakes in Maple Class

There was a lovely smell around the school on Thursday as Year 5 were baking cupcakes. The children were applying their maths and English skills reading and following instructions and using scales and measures. The children really enjoyed the task and the cupcakes too!

Robot Wars

It has been a very busy week in Beech Class this week as the children made their robots as part of their D&T topic. The children planned and constructed their own robot with independence and they looked great. The next step is to add lights by assembling an electric circuit and adding this to their creation.



Eco Schools

Our Eco group met with Mr Monks this week to plan out the year ahead and what they want to achieve. The children aim to raise the awareness of saving energy, conserving water and the importance of recycling. Regular updates will go into our newsletter and we will keep you updated on the school's effort to achieve the Eco Silver Award.



Christmas is coming!

The children were very excited this week as our Christmas trees have gone up and have been beautifully decorated. Rehearsals for our Christmas productions are underway with children learning lines and practising Christmas songs. The festive spirit is definitely in the air!



Open Mornings

We were pleased to welcome a very large number of prospective parents this week who came to look around our school. We received some fantastic comments about our pupils; their behaviour and politeness impressed all. Mr Foss and I were extremely proud and the children made it easy for us to show off all of the great things we do here.



False Alarm

There was great excitement in school this afternoon with firemen being called out following a false alarm in school. The children exited the building swiftly and in a calm manner whilst the building was checked by the emergency services. All was well and they enjoyed watching the firemen patrol the school.

For your Information



Dog mess

We have had a few reports of dog mess on the field from both children and adults. Can I please remind all parents to be aware of this if using the space and if you walk your dog on the field, all mess should be disposed of appropriately.

Congratulations!



Dates for your diary!

DATE	EVENT
Mon 28 th Nov	Willow Class visit Cheddar Gorge
Tues 29 th Nov	Violin and Cello assembly (Y4) 9.30am
Wed 30 th Nov	Friends Cake Sale — <i>Cancelled</i>
Thurs 1 st Dec	Willow Class Swimming
Friday 2 nd Dec	Maple Class trip to Clifton Cathedral
Mon 5 th Dec	New play frame being installed
Wed 7 th Dec	Maple Class Science lecture at Bristol Uni
Thur 8 th Dec	Christmas Dinner
	Willow Class Swimming
Fri 9 th Dec	KS1 Nativity
	Friends Christmas Fair
Tues 13 th Dec	Y3 and Y4 Christmas party
Wed 14 th Dec	KS1 Christmas party
Thurs 15 th Dec	Y5 and Y6 Christmas party
	Willow Class swimming
	Carols by Candlelight
Fri 16 th Dec	Last day of Term 2
Christmas Holiday	
Tues 3 rd Jan	Term 3 begins