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Term 6

News from

# Redfield Edge

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## Olympic Gold

The term started with an Olympic theme, each class representing a country taking part in the Olympics. Food tasting, flag making, national costume, music and geography were all explored. Unfortunately the weather put a stop to a number of inter school events, but Willow did manage to visit Marshfield and Beech competed at Wick. **One of the actual Olympic torches** was presented at an assembly by Malcolm Carr who had carried it on the stage in St George. Our own Olympic torches made at home were brilliant too.

**School dinners** go up 5p from September. They will now cost **£1.75**

## Barnardo's

A Year 5 pupil won the Teddy, and **£326.67** was raised for the charity. Many thanks.

## The Beating Heart

**Maple (Yr5)** had a visit from a paramedic to demonstrate CPR as part of their **topic on the body**. Their homework on the organs of the body saw many fantastic representations in 3D, huge diagrams and colourful depictions. All quite brilliant!

## Councillor Allinson

awards Redfield Edge pupils Parish Council prizes. As usual our pupils did very well.

## Attendance

Term 1 – Term 5= 96.2% (V. Good)

For the first time ever, no pupils had attendance less than 85%.

Please remember **no holidays will be authorised in Term 1 or Term 5**

## OFSTED

The report will be published in the summer holiday. You will be able to view it if you follow the link.....

<http://education.gov.uk/schools/performance>

You then need to enter the school postcode, BS30 9TL. At the bottom of the page a link then comes up to the new OFSTED report.

## It Rained and it Rained!

Sports days cancelled due to waterlogged pitch. Inter school Olympic sports disrupted. Picnic cancelled. Pre school sports cancelled. But the **Summer Fayre** went ahead, although sensibly most of it was inside. **Thank you** to all the 'Friends' who once again came up trumps and **raised over £1,200 for the school**.

## Freshwater Theatre

**Pine Class (Yr2)** enjoyed an interactive drama workshop about seaside holidays through the ages.

## Sports News

Beech and Maple Class learn to play Pop Lacrosse.

## A nice day out in T6

**Yr6 Heatree House residential**  
**Yr5 Taster days at SBL and the Grange**  
**Yr4 Olympics at Wick**  
**Yr3 Olympics at Marshfield**  
**Yr2 Somerset Museum WSM**

## A time to say Goodbye

Firstly we would all like to wish **Oak Class (Yr6)**, who have been brilliant, all the best as they move on to secondary school. Their SATs results were great, but equally importantly their achievements across the curriculum and friendships mark them out as great adults of the future. Well done to all of them. They are a credit to the school. It is also goodbye to **Miss Hatfield** who has stepped in on three occasions this year to support **Oak Class**. Many thanks and good luck for the future.

## Mrs Lesley Kettner retires

Mrs Kettner has been with the school for 14 ½ years, teaching both infants and juniors and has made a significant contribution to the school as it has developed. She will be greatly missed by staff and pupils alike. We wish her a long and happy retirement.

**T1 newsletter out in October 2012.**

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