



Milborne Port Primary School

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Friday 21st April 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I have so enjoyed my first week as Interim Headteacher! I will do the very best that I can to hold the school with love but also to drive things forward. It may be temporary, but while I'm here I am fully committed.

There have been two great trips this week. Wheathill and Newtown had a fun day at the Bath and West. They were very excited to show me the butter and wool they had brought back with them. Gainsborough had a smashing day at Longleat. There is nothing quite like school trips! There were compliments from hosts about the wonderful learning behaviours shown by our children.

Attached is a list of dates for the rest of this term. Things may be added, and there will be more information about some of the dates to follow, but this gives you time to put things in your diary.

I am so pleased that people are collecting bags for the Bags2School collection. May I just ask that they are dropped off only on the morning of the collection as we just don't have the storage space.

Attached is a poster explaining what will happen on our Coronation Red, White and Blue Mufti Day. This will be on Friday, 5th May. We would like to invite you to a Whole School Assembly on Thursday, 4th May at 2.30pm. The children will sing a couple of Coronation-themed songs. Each class will present something they have been doing to learn about the Coronation.

We are concerned about the number of different gates in to school, and the potential for error in either opening or locking. This would pose a safety risk for the children. Therefore, I hope you will understand that we will only be using the front and back gates, not the top Y5/6 gate. Y5/6 children should enter through the front gate. Also, Beeches gate will be shut as soon as all of the littlies have left, so please use the front or back gate to exit.

Just a gentle reminder about uniform, especially shoes (boots should not be worn). Please refer to the school website for this, under the 'Information for Parents' tab.

Very warmest wishes,

Michelle





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In our Celebration assembly this morning, we celebrated the following children:

Wheathill: Jaxon, Martha, Harrison and Klementyna

Kingsbury: Sophie, George, Joey and Sienna

Newtown: David, Molly, Melissa and Fred

Crackmore: Steve, Maiya, Molly and Logan

Beeches News

Our new topic this term is Sunshine and Sunflowers. We would love it if you have any compost or seeds you would like to donate to pre-school so we can continue with our planting. We are excited to see if our sunflowers we planted this week start to grow whilst we are remembering to be patient.

Please can we remind all parents we are a nut-free school and pre-school, so please make sure your child's lunch box is suitable.

Your child needs appropriate fitting footwear at pre-school. We would like them to be able to run safely!

A set of spare clothes is also needed as accidents sometimes happen.

We look forward to welcoming some of you on a Friday afternoon from this week, if you would like to add any extra sessions on. Please email Beeches@mpprimary.co.uk

PTFA

We hope you've all had a lovely Easter break! We are kicking off this term with our Bags 2 School project - please bring all donations to the front gates by 9am on Tuesday 25th April ready for the van to collect to raise much needed funds for the school.

Our next event is taking place on Friday 28th April which is our much-loved Bingo night - this event will be available to stream online from home; please let a member of the PTFA know if you would like to stream the event!

We then have our Coronation Mufti Day to celebrate our new King on Friday 5th May!

So much to look forward to and we can't wait to see how much we can raise for the school this term with your support!





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Summer Term 2023 Key Dates for Parents

Headteacher Interviews	24 th /25 th April
Coffee Morning for Parents/Carers with Mrs Heap	27 th April 9.30am to 10.30am
Toby Stock History Visit to Medlycott	27 th April
KS2 Cross Country – King Arthur's	27 th April
Whole School Assembly	28 th April
PTFA Bingo Night	28 th April 6.30pm for 7 (can stream online if needed)
School Readiness meeting for children starting YR in September with Mrs Carr	3 rd May 7pm
KS2 Dodgeball	4 th May
Whole School Coronation Assembly - Parents Invited 2.30pm	4 th May
Red, White and Blue Mufti Day for Coronation	5 th May
Book Fair Delivered	16 th May
Medlycott Visit to Gore Farm	17 th May
Teddy Bear Lunch (bring a bear to share school dinner to encourage children to give school meals a try)	18 th May
KS1 Multi-skills festival – King Arthur's	18 th May
Y4 to Leeson House	18 th /19 th May
Look and Share Whole School Assembly for Parents	19 th May
Gainsborough Inspire 9am to 10.30am	24 th May
Break the Rules Day	25 th May





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INSET DAY – end of half term	26 th May
Y6 Bude Residential	4 th to 9 th June
Toplink Sports Festival – King Arthur's	6 th June
Newtown Inspire 9am to 10.30am	7 th June
Coffee Morning for Parents with Mrs Heap	14 th June
PTFA Summer Fayre	24 th June
Sports Day	26 th June
Reserve Sports day	3 rd July
Y6 Performance Dress Rehearsal	11 th July
Y6 Show Evening	12 th July
End of Year Reports home	14 th July
Choir to Somerset Singing Festival	17 th July
Evening Performance	
Year 6 Leaver's Assembly and Party	20 th July
PTFA Beach theme Mufti Day and Ice Cream Van	21 st July
Term Ends	

