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Children's Parliament

We recently had some great success at the Children's Parliament event organised by Somerset LA and hosted by the team at SCIL training services. Every year, the Children's Parliament invite schools to compete in a debate of their choice.

Our team presented around the theme of Working Towards a Sustainable Planet, and how we can all make a difference. They had conducted surveys with the children, and once they had shared their presentation they were thoroughly grilled by the judges! The children did a grand job answering the questions, and we were all pleased they won an important prize- coming second! Well done to the team- Mr Lunn and Mrs Broadway were in the audience, and they were very proud of you.



PTA News

More 'well dones'! The PTA did a magnificent job organising the Summer Fair a couple of weeks ago.

We are pleased to report they made a whopping profit of... over £2,700! What an amazing achievement, thank you to the PTA, staff, parents/carers and children for supporting the school on the day. It was a thoroughly enjoyable event, and a very profitable one!



This is a link to the E-version of the Family First Magazine, aimed at providing information and ideas for parents.

<https://familyfirst.co.uk/issue3-24>

Dates and information



- 12.07.24 Pupil reports out
- 15.07.24 FS/KS1 Book Prize assembly, 9.15am hall
- 15.07.24 Parent/carer 'drop in' after school
- 16.07.24 KS2 Book Prize assembly, 9.15am hall
- 17.07.24 Hedgehogs class assembly, 2.30pm hall
- 23.07.24 Extra PTA event after school
- 24.07.24 Leavers assembly 9.15 Y6 parents welcome
- 24.07.24 Newsletter out
- 24.07.24 Last day of the school year. 3.15 Finish

Summer holidays 25.07.24- 02.09.24

- 03.09.24 INSET day
- 04.09.24 INSET day
- 05.09.24 School opens for children

Please visit our website for key dates across the year:

<https://wellsprings.somerset.sch.uk/events>

Wellsprings website school blog is here:

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Staffing and classes 2024-25

Many of you may have heard, Mrs Marshall will be retiring at the end of this academic year. After such a long and illustrious career at Wellsprings, we will try to give her the final 'sending off' she is due in the next couple of weeks.

There are a number of events taking place, including an after school 'present' from the PTA to the school (and Mrs Marshall!) on Tuesday 23rd July. There will be fun activities and refreshments available to our school community, hosted very kindly by our PTA. It is a lovely gift, and a fitting way to thank Mrs Marshall (and other leavers) right at the end of the year. Mr Marshall, caretaker, will also be retiring as well.

We will also be saying 'goodbye' to Mrs Lester, who works diligently in our office. Mrs Lester like Mrs Marshall is retiring this year, but we hope to see both from time-to-time next year, and beyond!

Mrs Strutt, our Teaching Assistant in Badgers class, will be leaving for pastures new this summer, and we wish her all the best in her future. Miss Squire will be leaving us (temporarily) while on maternity leave- again we wish her all the best with her new arrival.

We know all these leavers, will be greatly missed next year, but we hope to see them revisit very regularly!

This leaves a few changes to announce. Welcome Mrs Shah, who will be joining Red Squirrels class two days a week. Miss Hind and Miss Claydon will be working in our Foundation setting. Mrs Cromwell and Mrs Edwards will be joining our Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 teams, respectively.

We welcome back Miss Barker who will be teaching in Hedgehogs class with Mrs Adams.

Mrs Ball will work in our office next year, taking on the Finance officer role vacated by Mrs Lester.

Finally, we are pleased to report Mrs Lang will take over the Assistant Headteacher role in September, following Mrs Marshall's retirement.

Here are the classes for next year:

Early Years

Red Squirrels: Mrs Lang/Mrs Shah
Grey Squirrels: Mrs Lawrence/Mrs Hill
Hedgehogs: Miss Barker/Mrs Adams
Badgers: Miss Cross/Mrs Adams

Year 3/4

Hares: Mrs Stuart/Mrs Fearn
Adders: Mr Jones
Robins: Miss Hawthorne

Year 5/6

Otters: Mrs Williams/Mrs Broadway
Foxes: Mr Fowle
Rabbits: Mr Ward

Next newsletter: Wednesday 24th July 2024