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Go-Ride Cycle races

Somer Valley Cycling Club (SVCC) is inviting children aged 7-11 (Years 4 to 6) to a morning of free cycle coaching and fun racing at Westfield Primary School on Saturday, 19th May 2018.

Children are being encouraged to come along to the British Cycling registered Go-Ride race event to learn what is involved with cycle racing and take part in two races to be held on the school grounds, in a traffic-free environment.

The event starts at 9.30am and runs until midday. All types of cycles and all ranges of ability are welcome. Children will be shown how to check their bikes ahead of some skills coaching, followed by two races for two age groups (U8/U10 and U12s).

Certificates will be presented to all participants, and prizes will be awarded to the race winners.

The event at Westfield Primary School will be led by cycling professional and Level 2 cycling coach Eugene Kertzman with the support of SVCC members.

SVCC is certified by British Cycling as a Go-Ride Club able to run Go-Ride events, which means the club is recognised as welcoming all riders, with the resources and commitment to help children get into cycling and support their development as riders.

Places will be offered on a first come, first served basis. Please book your child's place through Eventbrite for this free event search www.eventbrite.co.uk

Wonderful Poem by Ami Davies

Animals, Animals they all need help, When they are hurt they will yelp, If you see an animal in need, You can help them yes indeed, Stop throwing rubbish it's no good, I would stop it if I could.

Animals need help, yes they do, I hope you will help them too.



Sugar Smart

Westfield is going 'Sugar Smart'. This is a BANES initiative to create awareness of the amount of sugar we add to our food. Our E-Team is busy



making an informative film to be shared online, and as a school we have made a pledge to reduce the sugar we have in our breakfasts by 10%. Breakfast Club will be working hard to ensure all children get additional healthier options and our lovely kitchen staff will be highlighting which foods have the lowest sugar content. We would love parents' to join in too, so look out for our 'pledge cards' that will be coming home soon.

Greatwood 2018

We wish all our Year 4s a happy camp next week – please remember that children going to Greatwood do not need to arrive at school before 8.45am, and should go straight to the hall.

Sporting Success

It's been a busy week and we are very proud of all our young athletes. On Wednesday the Football Team put on a superb display, reaching the finals of the MSN Schools Tournament and finishing as runners-up. On Thursday our Curling Team played in the South West L3 School Games at Bristol University and finished 5th overall. Also on Thursday our Girls Tag Rugby Team played in the BANES Festival in Bath. They qualified for the cup stages and finished 3rd overall. Thank you to all the staff that make these sporting opportunities possible.

PTA Meeting

The next PTA Meeting will be on 30th April at 6.30pm at Jays Bar in the Centurion. They would love to see as many people there as possible.

This Weeks Reading Results

Key Stage 2

Winners 78% Butterfly

56% Falcon

50% Dragonfly

50% Panther 48% Eagle

34% Turtle

27% Monkey

23% Dolphin



Thank you to all of our lovely parents who help out with swimming, we are so grateful. If there is anyone else that could help with our Year 1 & 2's on Wednesday and Friday afternoons we'd be even more grateful!!

Facebook Messages

Please could we remind you that we do not man Facebook 24 hours a day. It will only be manned in school hours so please don't leave Sun Down Club and absence messages on the school site as we cannot guarantee they will be picked up.

Parental Conduct on School Premises

I would like to remind parents that types of behaviour considered serious and unacceptable will not be tolerated towards any member of the school community. This will include:

- Shouting, either in person or over the telephone
- Inappropriate posting on Social Networking sites deemed as bullying
- Speaking in an aggressive/threatening tone
- Physically intimidating, e.g. standing very close
- The use of aggressive hand gestures
- Physical threats
- Shaking or holding a fist towards another person
- Swearing, pushing, hitting e.g. slapping, punching or kicking or spitting
- Racist or sexist comments

Unacceptable behaviour may result in the Police being informed. The school reserves the right to take any necessary actions to ensure that members of the school community are not subjected to abuse. The office area also has CCTV cameras to safeguard staff in the event of any of the above.

Diary Dates

May 1st Class Photos

May 2- 4th Y4 Residential May 14 -17th KS2 SATs

May 22nd Y6 @ Lifeskills Fri 25 Inflatable Day

Y3 Sleepover

Pupils break up for Half Term

2018

<u>June</u>

Mon 4 Pupils Return to School

Y1 Hidden Woods Trip Y5 Mendip Adventure Trip

Fri 8 Westfield's Race For Life

<u>July</u>

Fri 20 Pupils break up for Summer Holidays

<u>Sept</u>

Wed 5 Pupils Return to School

Community News

