

Friday Note



Westfield
Primary School



ambition, collaboration,
resilience, respect, creativity



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News



Spotlight on achievements



Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day

We will be having our Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day on Wednesday 17th December.

Meals will need to be pre-ordered on ParentPay by Thursday 11th December.



Attendance winners

Congratulations to Dragonfly class who achieved 99.1% attendance last week, and special mention to Dolphin who were so close with 98.8%. Well done!

Doodle Tables winners

Falcon - 74%
Eagle - 53%
Panther - 43%

Doodle Maths winners

Falcon - 74%
Panther - 60%
Butterfly - 57%

Sun Down Club

Sun Down Club will close at 4pm on the last day of term, Friday 19th December.

Reading Raffle

Key Stage 1

Winners: Panda 57%
2nd Place - Bumblebee 48%

Key Stage 2

Winners: Panther 56%
2nd place: Falcon 50%

SEN noticeboard

Thank you to those parents who attended our Parent and Carer SEN cafe last Wednesday. We hope you found it useful.

We are going to change the name of our coffee mornings to 'Parent and Carer Cafe'.

Everyone is welcome and there is no need for your child to have a SEN diagnosis to attend.

Date for your diary
Wednesday 28th January 8.45am
All about good sleep hygiene and diet



Nativity performances

Below are the details and timings for this year's Nativities:

Reception
Tuesday 9th December
9:15am and another at 2:15pm

Years 1&2
Wednesday 10th December
9:15am and another at 2:15pm.



Pantomime – Sleeping Beauty

Our travelling theatre company are back in town on Tuesday 16th December to perform Sleeping Beauty to the whole of Westfield in two performances.

Our wonderful PTA have again subsidised this visit with a very generous donation which reduces the payment to **£1.30 per child**. Please find this payment on Parent Pay.

We would appreciate all payments by 12th December.

Star Learners

Well done to last week's star learners

Class	Name	School Value
Monkey	Oliver Green	Ambition & Resilience
Dolphin	Riley Heal	Ambition
Dragonfly	Evie Lee	Ambition & Resilience
Turtle	Isla Simmonds	Ambition & Resilience
Panther	Ralfie Padfield	Collaboration & Respect
Eagle	Grace Phillips	Respect
Falcon	Mason Dark	Ambition & Respect



Well done to this week's star learners



Class	Name	School Value
Monkey	Myla Wilcox	*Everything*
Dolphin	Erica McGarry	Resilience
Dragonfly	Matteo Dan	Ambition
Turtle	Dougie Wright	Resilience
Butterfly	Megan Tanner	Creativity & Respect
Falcon	Kimberly Yelling	Collaboration & Resilience
Eagle	Paige Gane	Respect

Year 5 & 6 Multiskills

Festival



This week, a group of Year 5 and 6 children were lucky to have been invited to attend a Multi Skills Festival at the University of Bath.

When there, they interacted with children from other schools, played netball and badminton, tried to beat a professional rower's personal best, took part in some athletics and had a tour of the sports facilities.

At Westfield, we are so fortunate and proud to have these contacts and opportunities. What an enriching and fun day they had!



Last Week in: Year 3



Last week, we had a visitor from Carymoor visit the school to deliver a Stone Age to Iron Age day in Year 3.

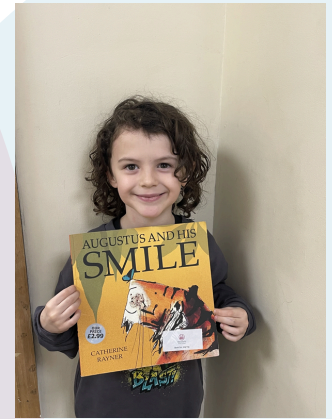
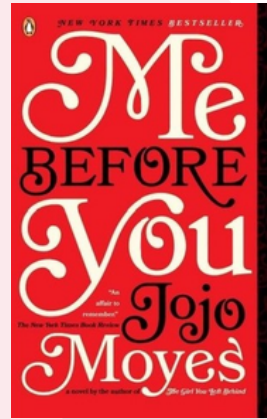
We had lots of fun learning about the Stone Age by making a timeline, handling artifacts, making willow plates and drawing celtic designs.

We also drew cave paintings and made necklaces from wood.



Recommended Reads

We know how important it is to foster a love of reading in children from a young age. Reading with children not only helps with language development but also encourages imagination and creativity.



We hope you all enjoy the below recommendations!

- KS1 - Augustus and His Smile by Catherine Rayner
- KS2 - Where's Wally?
- For Grown Ups - Me Before You - Jojo Moyes



Doodle Maths Winter Challenge

The Winter Calendar will soon be arriving in Doodle, a seasonal event where your child can earn festive rewards by Doodling 'little and often'!

Between the 1st-24th of December, please encourage your child to complete at least one exercise a day in DoodleMaths and/or DoodleEnglish to open a calendar door. They'll find festive goodies hiding behind each one - and if they open all the doors on one or both calendars, they'll receive a virtual Winter Calendar badge!





Term Dates



Christmas Fair	Friday 5 th December
Reception Nativity	Tuesday 9 th December
Year 1½ Nativity	Wednesday 10 th December
Panto Day	Tuesday 16 th December
Christmas Dinner/Christmas Jumper Day	Wednesday 17 th December
End of term	Friday 19 th December
Inset Day	Monday 5 th January
Pupils return to School	Tuesday 6 th January



A musical treat for the festive season!

Holiday Singing Days

Two fun and engaging singing days during the Christmas Holidays. One for children in years 3-6, and one for those in years 7 upwards. With WEMA musician, composer and conductor Joe Galuszka.

Monday 22 December: KS2 Singing Day

Tuesday 23 December: Secondary Singing Day

More Information:

wema.org.uk/music-activities-and-workshops





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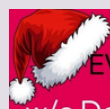
JOIN US AT ONE OF OUR CHAMPIONS LEAGUE
FOOTBALL CAMPS, PERFECT FOR FOOTBALL MAD
CHILDREN WANTING TO STAY ACTIVE THIS
CHRISTMAS.

AVAILABLE AT
NORTHGATE, BRIDGWATER
STOBBERRY PARK PRIMARY, WELLS
BASC, BURNHAM ON SEA
ST BENEDICT'S, MIDSOMER NORTON

AVAILABLE AS PART OF THE HAPPY HEALTHY
HOLIDAY PROGRAM FOR ELIGIBLE CHILDREN
BOOK YOUR FREE SPACES USING THE QR CODE
BELOW OR BY VISITING

[HTTPS://WWW.SASPR.CO.UK/HAPPY-HEALTHY-](https://www.saspr.co.uk/happy-healthy-holidays)

HOLIDAYS
SCAN ME!



EVENTS & ACTIVITIES w/c December 08 2025

Here's what is happening
in your Libraries this week

Bath Central Library

Festive Baby Bounce & Rhyme
Drop in suitable for parents & carers
with children aged 0 - 5 years.

10.30 - 11.00am
Wednesday
(term-time only)

Comic Book Saturday
Stalls galore for your geeky needs this
Christmas a great selection of things to buy.

10.30 - 3.00pm
Saturday 13
December

Keynsham Library

Festive Baby Bounce & Rhyme
Drop in suitable for parents & carers
with children aged 0 - 5 years.

9.30 - 10.00am &
10.30 - 11.00am
Tuesday
(term-time only)

Festive Storytime
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with children aged 0 - 5 years.

10.30 - 11.00am
Thursday
(term-time only)

Midsomer Norton Library

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Mobile Library

The Mobile Library may stop near you! Pop in for a visit,
return your books, collect a reservation & choose something
new to read. You can do all this & more with your B&NES or
LibrariesWest library card.

For the Route Timetable, please visit:
<https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/mobile-library-service>

Library News:

The Reading Agency Winter
Mini Reading Challenge is
back.
Story Garden has returned
for the Mini Reading
Challenge this Winter.

Join online at:
[summerreadingchallenge.org
.uk](https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk)

Read three or more books to
complete the challenge and
unlock badges and a
certificates! All the
information is online. Happy
reading!



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