

Friday Note



“
ambition, collaboration,
resilience, respect, creativity
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Westfield Primary School

17th July 2026

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As another school year comes to an end, I'd just like to say a huge thank you to everyone who has helped make it such a successful year.

Our children have worked incredibly hard, achieved so much and should all be proud of themselves. It's been wonderful to see them make the most of the many opportunities on offer, both in and out of the classroom, and grow in confidence along the way.

A huge thank you also goes to our fantastic staff, who continually go above and beyond to provide the very best experiences, care and opportunities for our children.

I'd like to thank our Governing Body for the time, expertise and support they give to Westfield. Their guidance, challenge and commitment help ensure we continue to move the school forward.

And our PTA deserves a special mention. They give up countless hours to organise events that bring our school community together while raising valuable funds to enhance opportunities for our children. We are incredibly grateful for everything they do.

To our Year 6 children, thank you for the part you've played in the life of our school. We wish you every success as you move on to secondary school and hope you leave Westfield with happy memories, great friendships and the confidence to embrace the opportunities ahead.

Finally, I hope you all have a well-earned summer break. Enjoy spending time with family and friends, making special memories and, hopefully, taking advantage of some sunshine! We look forward to welcoming everyone back in September for another exciting year at Westfield.

Have a fantastic summer!

Enjoy
SUMMER

Star Learners



Well done to this week's star learners

Class	Name	School Value
Monkey	Ruby Cairns	Respect
Dolphin	Grayson Bancroft	Ambition
Dragonfly	Isla Sykes	Ambition
Panther	Lillie McGauley	Ambition
Butterfly	Charlie Read	Respect
Falcon	**Everyone**	Everything
Eagle	**Everyone**	Everything



Year 6 Lunchtime Buddies



A huge 'THANK YOU' to our fantastic Year 6 lunchtime buddies. They have been invaluable in supporting our lunchtimes both in the hall and outside on the playground. Some of you have shown real leadership qualities so keep this us as you start your next chapter at Secondary School.

Our new Year 5 buddies have taken part in their training and will be ready to start in September.



Reading Raffle & Doodle

Maths winners – Term 6

Well done to our KS1 & KS2 winners from term 6.



Lunchtime Award Winners Term 6

Congratulations to our lunchtime award winners for term 6 who were treated to a take away drink from the cafe at the end of last term.



Free SEND Family Music Sessions

Friday 24th July 10.00am to 12.00 & 1.00-3.00pm

Wednesday 26th August 10.00am to 12.00

Sessions take place at the Hive, Peasedown St John, Bath, BA2 8DH. We are joining forces with BANES Parent Carer Forum to offer creative music workshops for children with additional needs and their families. These workshops are a wonderful chance to explore different musical instruments with no prior knowledge or ability needed.

The sessions are hugely popular, with children and young people of all ages joining in and creating music themselves in a fun, relaxed environment. Early booking is advised! Please email events@banespcf.co.uk to book your space.

Goodbye to our Year 6's

Falcon



I am beyond proud of each and every one of you. The progress you have all made, either academically, personally, or both, gives me goosebumps. For the past two years, some of you have certainly kept me on my toes but overall all of you have made my job so enjoyable. I have laughed, I have cried (with laughter) so thank you.

I have high hopes for all of you and believe that you will accomplish whatever it is to make your dreams come true.

Secondary school will create so many new opportunities and I hope you make the most of them. Always remember to be bold and brave and treat others how you wish to be treated! I will always remember you.

Goodbye & Good Luck :)
Love, Miss Phillips



I WILL NEVER FORGET THAT...

Esme loves orcas out at sea,
Hayden loves piggybacks endlessly.
Jayden's funny faces make us smile,
Leo scores lots of goals in style.
Bella's heart is kind and true,
Mason D's laughter booms right through.
Ella D will rule the country one day,
Marnie will outsmart us all, in every way.
Luther loves Marvel, heroes galore,
Aurora does her monster voice, more and more.
Lucas F teaches with pride and flair,
Oliver eats Oreos without a care.
Queenie's wit is funny and smart,
Jaxson's questions show a curious heart.
Ella H's hair is sleek and neat,
Jack and Mrs Collins are hard to beat.

Fin always ends up on the floor,
Mane's humour, we adore.
Theo will travel far and wide,
Katie N takes a challenge in her stride.
Isla loves a KATSEYE song,
Emma's little but always headstrong.
Maxson is a cuddly bear,
Katie S' chatter fills the air.
Sonny thinks he's Yamal on the wing,
Ruby's smile brightens everything.
Lucas S shouts, "Jamie!" for no reason,
Fleur is a flower that blooms every season.
Scarlett has flourished, shining away,
Mason W brings enthusiasm without delay.
Kimberly's future is destined for fame
Any other group just wouldn't be the same.

Goodbye to our Year 6's

Eagle



What a year! You have worked so incredibly hard this year and I couldn't be prouder.

There have been many memorable times over the year: camp, Christmas Concert, SATs breakfast, Sports Day, Y6 rounders to name but a few.

I have loved every minute of being your teacher. Thank you for making me smile every day.

I will miss you enormously but I know you are ready for the next part of your journey.

So for the final time it's goodbye from Mrs P.....remember my motto....work hard, be kind and always, always have fun!!!!



**BEST
OF LUCK**

**Good Luck
YOU GOT
THIS**



Baby News

Congratulations to Ava & Amelia Horwood who have welcomed a new baby brother! Luca was born on the 24th June, 3 weeks early weighing 8lbs 2oz.





Term Dates



Last Day of term	Friday 17 th July
Inset Day	Monday 20 th July
Inset Day	Tuesday 21 st July
Inset Day	Thursday 3 rd September
Inset Day	Friday 4 th September
Pupils return to school	Monday 7 th September
Year 6 Camp	Monday 28 th - Friday 2 nd October
Nigel Coles Photos	Tuesday 6 th October & Wednesday 7 th October



ROYALTY COMPETITION

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE PART OF THIS YEARS MIDSOMER NORTON CARNIVAL?
WE ARE LOOKING FOR PARTICIPANTS TO TAKE PART IN OUR CARNIVAL ROYALTY SELECTION!

COMPETITION CATEGORIES
QUEEN - AGES 10-17
KING - AGES 10-17
PRINCESS - AGES 5-9
PRINCE - AGES 5-9
ENTRANTS MUST RESIDE WITHIN A 10 MILE RADIUS OF MIDSOMER NORTON.

WINNERS RECEIVE
PROFESSIONALLY STYLED HAIR
PRIZE MONEY
THE HONOUR OF LEADING THE MIDSOMER NORTON CARNIVAL

SELECTION EVENING
SATURDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER 7-10PM
SOMER CENTRE, MIDSOMER NORTON
DANCE ALONG WITH LIVE BAND 'SOUL'D OUT'
WHILE THE VOTES ARE BEING COUNTED!

TICKETS: £5
EVERYONE IS WELCOME. COME ALONG AND SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL ROYALTY COMPETITION!



THE READING AGENCY **UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP UNITED KINGDOM**

READ to the BEAT

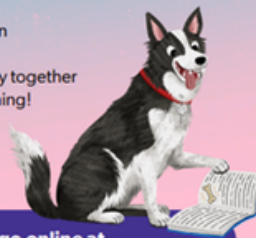
Help Your Child Discover the Joy of Reading This Summer!

This summer, give your child the chance to fall in love with reading! The Summer Reading Challenge, created by The Reading Agency and delivered in partnership with public libraries, is a FREE, fun-packed way to keep kids reading and learning all summer long.

This year's theme, **Read to the Beat**, and is powered by Universal Music Group UK. The Challenge will celebrate the joy of music and the power it has to move, inspire, and connect us – all through the magic of reading. The Challenge is being brought to life with illustrations by award-winning author and illustrator, Harry Woodgate.

Why join?

- It's FREE! Available at local libraries and online
- Inspires a lifelong love of reading
- Boosts confidence, creativity, and imagination
- Earn rewards, certificates, and prizes
- Fun for the whole family. Visit your local library together
- 95% of children said they read more after joining!
- Children choose their own books to read, collect rewards over the summer and receive a certificate or medal when they complete the challenge.



Visit your local library or go online at summerreadingchallenge.org.uk to get started from 4 July 2026.

Help your child start their reading adventure today!

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SUMMER HOLIDAY

ART CAMP

FOR CHILDREN!

CREATIVE MAKERS - CIC

THE SESSIONS WILL TAKE PLACE ON

THURSDAY 23RD JULY & FRIDAY 24TH JULY

MONDAY 10TH - FRIDAY 14TH AUGUST (FULL WEEK)

TIME
9:30AM - 3:00PM

WHERE
AVANTI PARK SCHOOL, FROME

Each session will be led by a qualified and experienced Art and Design teacher, providing children with the opportunity to explore a variety of artistic techniques. Throughout the programme, students will discover the work of different artists and create their own pieces inspired by these artists. They will experiment with a wide range of materials to produce paintings, prints, sculptures, and even large-scale installations. By the end of each session, every child will have their own creative work to take home and share with family and friends.

The Art Club is designed to encourage children to express their creativity, develop new skills, and be inspired by the world around them.

CHILDREN WILL:

- Discover and be inspired by artists and the arts
- Develop your creative skills and try new things
- Create your own work and explore your ideas
- Share your project and celebrate!

PLACES ARE LIMITED, SO DON'T MISS OUT!

SIGN UP NOW AT CREATIVE-MAKERS.CO.UK

COST £38 PER DAY

ANY QUESTIONS? creativemakersfrome@gmail.com www.creative-makers.co.uk

INSPIRED TO TRY...

Swimming!

Team Bath AS, a Performance Swimming Club, is running a **FREE** taster session for swimmers aged 7+ who are interested in starting a competitive swimming journey!

When: Tuesday 7 July or Wednesday 8 July

Time: 6 - 6.30pm

Where: Dragonfly Leisure, Midsomer Norton, Gullcock Tynning, Midsomer Norton, Radstock BA3 2SY

Eligibility:

Swimmers aged 7+ who can swim 25m and have achieved Learn to Swim Level 7 (or the equivalent standard).

How to Register:

Spaces are limited, so sign up by 1 July to secure your place. To register, email: pathway.programme@teambathas.co.uk

Selected swimmers will be offered a place starting September 2026



SEATS 58 - 88

BATH RUGBY

2026/27

SEASON LAUNCH PARTY

31st August 2026



Bath Rugby Season Launch 2026/27

Celebrate the start of the new Bath Rugby season with player meet & greets, live interviews, family entertainment, fantastic food and drink, and a festival atmosphere in the Fan Village.

Join us this August Bank Holiday for our biggest-ever Fan Village celebration as we get ready for the new season together.

Whether you're a lifelong supporter or a new face around Bath Rugby, this is the perfect opportunity to come together with fellow supporters, meet the players and coaching staff, and enjoy a fantastic day of live music and entertainment for all ages.

Hear from the squad and coaches in exclusive live interviews, grab a photo or autograph at our meet-and-greet, and soak up the atmosphere as we count down to the start of the season.

We've expanded the Fan Village experience this year with an even wider range of food and drink options, more seating and social spaces, and plenty of activities to keep the whole family entertained throughout the day.

Keep an eye out for more info.