

# Friday Note



Westfield  
Primary School



ambition, collaboration,  
resilience, respect, creativity



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23<sup>rd</sup> Oct 26

Issue #4

## School Photos

Photo proofs should now have arrived home for all individual and sibling photos.

All orders are now placed online and need to be completed by the 9<sup>th</sup> November.

## School Applications

Reminder – If your child is due to start secondary school in September 2027, then you need to apply for their school place by **31<sup>st</sup> October.**



## Reading Raffle & Doodle Maths

Congratulations to this term's Reading Raffle and Doodle Maths winners.



## Lunchtime Award Winners



Well done to our Term 1 cafe trip winners. These children received a golden ticket this term at lunchtime for displaying positive lunchtime behaviour.

# SEN noticeboard

Thank you to those parents and carers who were able to join our first cafe of the year on Wednesday.

We focussed on implementing boundaries at home and I hope you found the session useful.

Our next cafe is Wednesday 16th December and will focus on supporting Dyslexic learners which has been requested from cafe feedback.

I will send out a booking form nearer the time.

We would also like to share a new addition to our school website. If you click on the SEND area and scroll to the bottom you will find our new SEND Support Padlet. This is an area for parents and carers to access support and information for areas of SEND. It is a live document and can be updated when new or interesting resources become available.

We hope you find it useful.

## SEND Support Padlet

Our SEND Support Padlet brings together helpful information, advice and resources for parents and carers. It includes guidance on supporting children's learning, wellbeing and additional needs, alongside links to useful organisations and services.

[SEND SUPPORT PADLET >](#)

## Travelling Book Fair

We have the Travelling Book Fair in school from Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> November for one week. This will be run by Mrs Phillips and the PTA in the hall every day after school.



## Bedtime Stories

On Wednesday 4th November, we will be holding our annual Bedtime Stories evening

Children in Reception, KS1 and KS2 are invited to come back to school dressed in their pyjamas and enjoy a hot chocolate and a story with their teacher in their classrooms.

This will run from 5:15pm until 6pm. Teddies are welcome too!

Please note that it is essential that you book your child in for this event – we cannot accept children unless we have a completed form. Links to book have been shared on Arbor and Facebook.

# Updated School Menus

Please note the updated menus have been uploaded to School Grid and are now live and ready to book for term 2.

Please note the pre-order deadline for meals for the first week back is **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October.**

We will be having our Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December. This is now available to book on School Grid.

## Star Learners

| Class     | Name              | School Value     |
|-----------|-------------------|------------------|
| Dolphin   | Bobbly Ellaway    | Ambition         |
| Dragonfly | Primrose Pearce   | Ambition         |
| Turtle    | Thomas Mulholland | Respect/Ambition |
| Butterfly | Walker Anstis     | Creativity       |
| Panther   | Dolcie Weston     | Ambition         |
| Falcon    | Ruby Rogers       | Respect          |
| Eagle     | Ervanur Kaya      | Respect          |



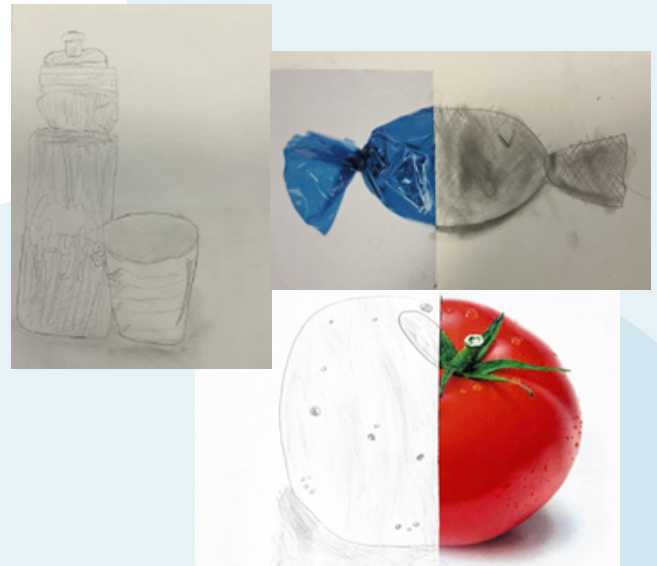
# What's been happening in Year 4

Turtle and Dragonfly classes have had a jam-packed start to the year! We've enjoyed our indoor Parkour PE lessons and, because of the beautiful weather, we've managed to get out every Thursday for Netball where we've h



10 lucky children were chosen to represent the school in the BANES Year 4 Quad Kids competition. The results have yet to be announced but our children enjoyed an afternoon of running, jumping and throwing.

In our Art lessons, we've been exploring texture, tone and proportion. There's been plenty of opportunities for us to share our opinions on other artists' work including a lively Talk Task debate on proportion. We used key vocabulary such as balanced, unbalanced and exaggerated. We think you'll be impressed with our creativity.



As scientists, we've been thinking about solids, liquids and gases. We've posed questions, made predictions and then carried out investigations. Sometimes our predictions were right, other times they weren't! Our most recent lesson focused on evaporation and we observed the puddles outside our classroom change from liquid to gas.



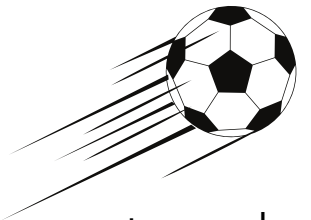
Can you guess what it is??



We have been reading Ted Hughes' Iron Man. Some of us have found it a bit spooky!

There are so many unanswered questions. Where did Iron Man come from? How did Iron Man come to be standing on a cliff above the sea?

# Girls Football



Well done to the girls' football team after progressing to the next round of the cup with a hard fought victory against St Benedict's. Westfield won the game with a late goal after creating numerous chances.

The game was played in a great spirit by both sides and both teams thoroughly enjoyed it.



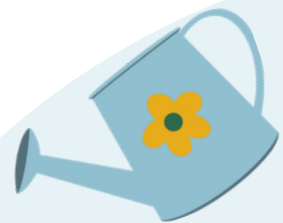
# Netball

Last week, our Year 6 girls took part in a friendly game against Kilmersdon school. The girls worked brilliantly together showing great collaboration and resilience throughout and demonstrating some fantastic play. Final score was 14-3 to Westfield

Well done to all the girls who took part



# Bath in Bloom Gold Award Winners



Last week, we welcomed Bath in Bloom judge Steve Rea into our Friday assembly to present Westfield with their Bath in Bloom Gold Award. Thank you to Mrs Ross and the Gardening Club for putting so much effort into making our school environment brighter and more welcoming for everyone. This recognition is incredibly well-deserved—keep up the fantastic work.

## Harvest

Year 3 were very excited to harvest giant leeks, apples and carrots from our school garden this week! A lovely opportunity to discover where our food comes from and enjoy the rewards of growing our own





# Term Dates



|                                       |                                                   |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Inset Day                             | Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October                 |
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| Half Term                             | Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> - Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> |
| Pupils return to school               | Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November                   |
| Bedtime Stories                       | Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November                |
| Start of travelling Book Fair         | Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November 3:15pm         |
| Stay & Calculate KS1 & Reception      | Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November               |
| Children In Need 2026                 | Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> November                  |
| Flu Vaccinations                      | Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> November                  |
| Year 3 Maths Workshop 8:30am - 9:15am | Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> November               |
| Year 4 Maths Workshop 8:30am - 9:15am | Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> November                |



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## Free Creative Workshop

### For all girls in Years 3-6

## Saturday 14 November

Come and spend an exciting morning creating and making at one of our hands-on workshops.

**Food Technology: Little Leiths**  
Get creative in the kitchen as you make a delicious Leiths strawberry shortcake.

**Design & Technology Workshop**  
Design and create your very own iPad holder or cookbook stand to use at home.

Scan here to book your place





Westfield School's Annual  
**HALLOWEEN PUMPKIN TRAIL**  
 2026

Calling all Halloween Enthusiasts  
 in Westfield!

We are looking for people to join our **Halloween 2026 Trail** to showcase their displays/carved pumpkins in the Half Term!

You will be added to our Halloween Trail Map and given a poster with a letter to display.

Families can walk round and find all the display posters to work out the spooky word! The children love it!

Every display will be entered into a draw to win a Prize!

Just a pin on the map, we won't share your full address/details!

Can we beat last year?

Can we get over 10?

This is open to grandparents/family members too – more the merrier!

LET'S MAKE WESTFIELD SPOOKTACULAR TOGETHER!

**CHRISTMAS DINNER!**

**WEDNESDAY  
 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

**ON THE MENU**

**MEAL CHOICES**

**CHRISTMAS TURKEY PARCEL**

- Roast Potatoes / Sausage / Vegetables / Festive Shortbread biscuit

**VEGETARIAN OPTION**

- Roast vegetable parcel / Roast Potatoes / Sausage Vegetables / Festive Shortbread biscuit

**ignite sport**

Years R - 6

09:00 - 15:30

**OCTOBER CAMPS**

St John's C of E Primary School, BA3 2JN

Nerf, Dodgeball & Archery  
 Monday 26<sup>th</sup> Oct

Musical Theatre  
 Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> Oct

Halloween Party & Football Camp  
 Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> Oct

[www.ignite-sport.co.uk](http://www.ignite-sport.co.uk)

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**HALLOWEEN PARTY & FOOTBALL CAMP**

Paulton Junior School, BS39 7QY

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> October

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