



What a busy three weeks we have had since the last newsletter. The staff had an extremely useful INSET last Friday considering how our approach to learning can affect outcomes. We also took time in the afternoon to begin work on handing over transition notes to the new staff in readiness for September. On Tuesday and Wednesday the children took part in sports day activities both as a Centre and also racing as part of the main school sports' day. The children all had a go and did themselves proud. Yesterday we enjoyed spending time in our new class groups. The staff and children were excited to meet one another and we are looking forward with excitement to September.

One Night At the Palladian ~ Well I am sure that those of you that were lucky enough to be there last Thursday would agree that the MCC choir brought the house down! The children were magnificent and my thanks goes to Yvonne Conroy and Tim Parker for conducting and to all the staff for supporting the evening and in the build up. So many staff and parents from other schools came and found me to say how wonderful the children were. We should be extremely proud of the talent that our young people possess.

Bath and District Flower Show ~ Once again the children worked hard to create some amazing pieces of work to put on display at the flower show. Max, Gabriel, Rafa, George and Gold Class all picked up first place awards alongside a number of 2nd and 3rd place certificates. Unfortunately this year we were pushed into second place in the schools cup by some strong competition. Special mention to Ming (Kenzo's grandma) who has worked tirelessly with the children to ensure that we had beetroot, potatoes and salad leaves to put on display. If you are able to offer any weekly help with the gardening please do get in touch.

Barton Camp ~ It seems like an age ago but we had good weather and a wonderful time away at camp this year. The children were impeccably behaved throughout and it is always a pleasure to see the way that they are able to look after one another. Please do say well done to your child whether they came for the day to Puxton Park or stayed for the week. It was a lovely time and a privilege to take the children away for the week.

Birthdays ~ We have a number of birthdays coming up in the last week of term, please do make a note of the children's names and the days that we are holding their parties. We understand how much there is to remember and from September will be adjusting how we do birthday parties so presents are sent in for classmates but only cards are expected if it is a birthday outside the class. I hope this will reduce the pressure on you all but also continue to ensure that this important learning opportunity continues for the children. As always we would welcome any feedback on this or any other matters.

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