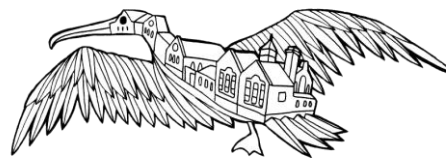


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Welcome back everybody.... Term 5 promises to be a very busy and exciting term!

We welcome Alina Fisher, Bath Spa student teacher, who begins a placement with Class 2 this week.

Residential Camp

Good luck to Class 4 and Class 5 who are off to camp next week. We know you are all looking forward to an exciting time at Charterhouse! Please remember to return your medical forms on Monday as we will be unable to take your child without them.

Congratulations to our kitchen Team! Who recently had a Bristol City Council Audit and were graded 'outstanding'!

PE Kit Please make sure children have their PE Kit in school every week. Our PE kit is: blue or black shorts or jogging bottoms, an aertex shirt, either white or in your child's house colour, and trainers.



It's the HOTWELLS TOY SALE tomorrow!

Please do come along and support this PTA fundraising event if you can: there will be lots of great toys at bargain prices on sale! The sale is from 11am to 1pm in the school hall.

ACHIEVEMENT NEWS

Congratulations to our cyclists in Class 3 & Class 4 who have achieved their Level 1 Bikeability. Well done to you all!

Please use the gate

For the safety and security of our children, we ask that all parents and children leave by the school gate, not the school front door at the end of the day. The front door is very close to our Year 1 class and it would be so easy for a small child to slip out unnoticed through the front door or for an unwelcome visitor to slip in. PLEASE USE THE GATE AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL DAY.

Headlice

There has been an outbreak of headlice in school. Please check your child's hair for these pesky pests – check with your pharmacist for the best products to use.

DATES FOR TERM 5/6

Saturday 26 th April	PTA Toy Sale 11-1pm
Monday 28 th – 30 th April	Year 4 Charterhouse
Weds 30 th April – 2 nd May	Year 5 Charterhouse
Tuesday 6 th May	Year 1 visit to the Downs
Wednesday 7 th May	Year 5 trip to @ Bristol
Thursday 8 th May	PTA Meeting 8.00pm
Thursday 15 th May	Reception @ Forest School (Ashton Court)
Friday 16 th May	Year 2 trip to Bristol Zoo
Tuesday 20 th May	Reception @ Forest School (Leigh Court Farm)
Wednesday 21 st May	Musical Achievement Evening
Friday 23 rd May	End of Term 5
Monday 2 nd June	INSET DAY – school closed to pupils
Tuesday 3 rd June	Term 6 starts
Year 6 SATs Week	
Monday 12th – Thursday 15th May 2014 inclusive	

INSET DAYS 2014

Monday 2nd June 2014

DATES FOR CAKE SALES

Friday 2 nd May	Year 6
Friday 9 th May	Hotspots

CLUBS & MUSIC

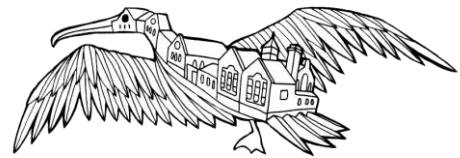
Monday	Piano 9.00-11.50 (Rachel) Piano 1.00-3.30 (Fiona) Writing Club 12.00-12.30 KS2 Football 3.45 – 4.45
Tuesday	Judo Club 8.00-8.45am Guitar 9.00-12.00 Piano 1.00-3.00 (Julia) Art Club 3.45-4.45 Multi Skills Club (Y1/2) 3.45-4.30
Wednesday	Flute/recorder 9.00-12.20 (Violeta) Cello 1.00-3.30pm (Tegan) KS1 Football 3.45 – 4.45

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Thursday	Brass 9.00-10.00 (Paul) Violin 10.00-11.30 (Anne) Double bass – 1.00-2.40 (Ben) Yoga Stars 3.45 - 4.45 Years 1 – 3 Athletics Club (KS2) 3.45-4.30pm
Friday	Piano 1.00-3.30 (Fiona) Cello 3.00-3.30

you can book this date now.

Many thanks

Julie

Parking update:

Many thanks to those of you who signed the e-petition, expressing concerns about how the current proposal for the RPZ will impact on Hotwells School.

The council have now agreed to review the provision of parking permits for schools and are currently gathering information from a number of schools, including ours, as part of this review.

In the meantime, the introduction of the Hotwells and Cliftonwood RPZ has been postponed until 19th May. We understand that the Council expect to have reached a decision about school permits, following their review, by then.

Sports Update	
April	Y3/4 Football Central Venue League
May	SSP Primary Swimming Gala
May	SSP KS1 Gymnastics Competition
June	Y3/4 Mini Tennis Competition

Other Messages

HOTSPOTS

Dear All

I hope you all had a good Easter break.

I have to inform you all with regret that Matt handed in his notice during the holidays and will be leaving us in a couple of weeks. He has been offered a full time job as a TA at a school in Birmingham.

Sally and Jack (some of you might have met him at Girafers), will be covering when they can until we get someone permanently.

I have created a doodle poll for the half term holidays. You can find this on

www.doodle.com/gtmbeuft2fbfui2v

The usual rules apply and we may also again join up with Girafers.

Inset day on June 2nd is already on Libacura, so

Telephone: 0117 9030044

Email: hotwellsp@bristol.gov.uk

STAND AND DELIVER DRAMA SCHOOL FREE TASTER SESSIONS AVAILABLE

This is an exciting new drama group for children between 5 and 8 years of age.

In a fun-filled atmosphere, students learn to use and develop their imaginations taking them on journeys – from princes and princesses to wizards and sorcery! All students are fully involved in all aspects of learning – from creating new and exciting characters to performing their own small plays – we even make our own costumes!

Classes take place on Saturday mornings in Henleaze

. To book a free taster session contact Julia Mulligan on 07771 634060 or email

julia@standanddeliverdramaschools.co.uk

Ashton Park Festival

Last year a group of Year 9 students at Ashton Park School worked on a project with local primary schools to create a fun event for the younger children to experience some of the activities school has to offer.

The result is **The Ashton Park Festival**, which will take place on **Saturday 14th June, 11am– 4pm**.

There will be something for the whole family, music, sport, art & drama activities, stalls, food, and other entertainment. It's a great way to find out more about the school, and meet some of the students & staff in an informal way.

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