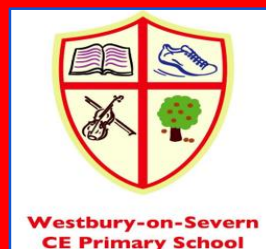


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Thursday 23rd June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

This newsletter is jam-packed with information, particularly about End of Year events so please make a note of all of these lovely occasions, celebrating children's achievements over the past year.

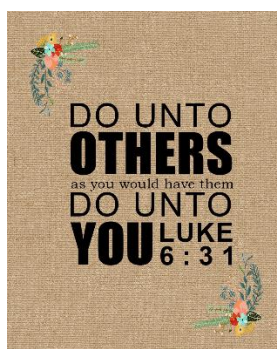
Class 1 have transformed their role play area into a castle, complete with a drawbridge in the past week. Class 2 have put their amazing Egyptian artwork on display in the welcome foyer and Class 3 have continued to make their shadow puppet theatres. In Science this week they investigated how shadows are created to better understand their DT project.

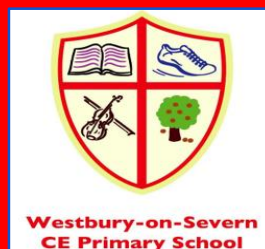
Please be reminded that Mrs Cox does not work on Fridays. Leave a message on the machine if it is urgent or contact the classteacher via class email.

Thank you!

Anna-Mai Armstrong
Headteacher

Christian Values
Our Christian Value this term is
RESPECT





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SPORTS DAY

Letters have gone out about Sports Day on 29th June. There will be no hot lunches on the day but your child can order a packed lunch instead if they would like to. The cost is £2.34.
Fingers crossed for good weather.



Our reserve day is 13th July.

CHURCH NEWS



Next Family Service is 17th July at 10am. We will be searching for that Lost Sheep!

All families welcome. *Please note that this is an informal child centred service and all families and children are welcome.*

We are looking for a Clerk for Governors. This is small, paid, administrative role that strongly supports the Governing Body and the running of the school. We haven't had any applicants yet so ***please consider this*** if you are looking for extra part time work. Here's the link or ask Anna in the office. Thank you!

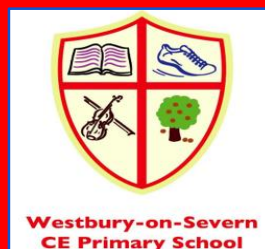
<https://ww3.gloucestershire.gov.uk/schoolvacancies/details.aspx?ID=25551&page=0>

Competition time!

Thank you to everyone who has already submitted their drawings, I have a gallery of teachers up on my office wall. We need more submissions though to make this a competition. We still need a **Mrs Cox, Mrs Henry, Mrs Mc Cartney, Mrs Trigg, Mrs Coe and Mr Knight!** All submissions will be showcased on our Instagram account and the winners will go on the website! Get those colouring pencils out!

Deadline for submissions is **Friday 1st July**

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On **July 6th at 10am** all parents and carers are invited to a violin concert in the school hall by both Class 1 and Class 2, to showcase their achievements this past term. Every Wednesday I really enjoy hearing them practice in the hall and I've been so impressed with their progress. I've posted a few films to our school Instagram account for you to see, but you will be able to see and hear them in all their glory at this concert.

I do hope you can attend and show them how proud you are.



On the last Monday of term, the 18th, the whole school will be running the Race for Life for Cancer research, our chosen charity for this year. Parents very welcome to join us! More details to follow from Mrs Noad and School council.

We will be saying goodbye to Sarah Hansen on July 15th at 2pm in a special assembly in the hall remembering her time here as a teacher.

All families are welcome to attend.

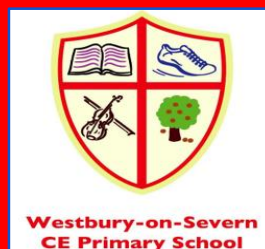


Whole School Attendance week beginning 13.6.22

"A missed school day is a lost opportunity for students to learn"

96.1%

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On **14th July at 6pm** we will be holding an **END OF YEAR church service**, celebrating the school values, handing out certificates, singing hymns and saying goodbye to Year 6. Rev Sarah Hobbs will be there to give each Year 6 their leaver's bible. This will be held in Westbury-on-Severn Church at 6pm and everyone is very welcome.



This will be followed by a whole school event in the school grounds afterwards with a **BBQ** organised by the Friends of Westbury school.

Burgers £2.50, Hot Dogs £1.50. Vegetarian options will be available. Doughnuts and other refreshments too.

Anita is asking for **two volunteers** to take charge of the barbecue PLEASE! If you feel you could kindly offer your help please talk to Anita or ring the school.

We hope to see everyone there!

Here is a link from **Michaela Noad**, our Mental Health Lead, for parents and carers. It has lots of tips about how to support your child at home with a whole raft of different issues.



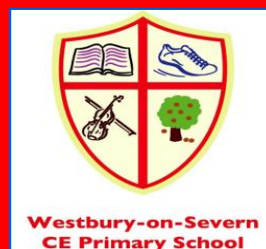
Parenting can sometimes be a hard, lonely business so I hope you find the link to this website **Place2Be**, useful.

[https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/?utm_source=Schools&utm_campaign=50eefe826a-Non-Partner Schools Newsletter April 2022&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_c6b02a1e38-50eefe826a-207236909](https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/?utm_source=Schools&utm_campaign=50eefe826a-Non-Partner%20Schools%20Newsletter%20April%202022&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_c6b02a1e38-50eefe826a-207236909)

Plus a link for information regarding family support over the summer

<https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/schoolsnet/noticeboard/schoolsnet-bulletin-board/family-support-over-the-2022-summer-holidays-from-the-children-and-families-hub/>

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Please use this as a booking form if you want to buy tickets or ask at the office.

There are still tickets for 'Dream On'

The show will take place at Westbury-on-Severn Parish Hall on **Thursday 7 July and Friday 8 July 2022 from 6.30pm** with the performance starting at **7.00pm**. The bar will be open for drinks and ice creams will be on sale during the interval. You will also be able to purchase raffle tickets on arrival and the draw will take place during the interval.

The children and staff have been working hard all year on their production and we would love to see as many family and friends as possible to support them. We therefore encourage you to return your form as soon as possible. Priority will be given to families of those children performing in the production until Thursday 9 June, after which all tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis. In order to accommodate everyone, seating at the Hall will be allocated.

To buy tickets, please ensure that you return your booking form to school WITH PAYMENT as soon as possible, and no later than Thursday 23 June. **Tickets will not be allocated unless payment is enclosed.** (*Please make cheques payable to Friends of Westbury-on-Severn School*)

Thank you for supporting this event, which is raising funds for Westbury-on-Severn CE Primary School.

FAMILY NAME:

Number of tickets required for Thursday 7 July 2022

Adults (£7 per ticket) Children-14 and under (£3 per ticket)

Number of tickets required for Friday 8 July 2022

Adults (£7 per ticket) Children-14 and under (£3 per ticket)

I enclose total payment of £.....

Please make cheques payable to *Friends of Westbury-on-Severn School*