



Well, the sun has certainly shone on us this week and made the swimming pool even more inviting than usual. The weather is (fingers crossed) going to continue to be sunny into next week for our Sports week. With this in mind we are on the lookout for anyone who has a spare a pop up/small gazebo we could borrow for Sports Day next Thursday. We have put the two small school ones up but would really like to be able to have one per class, so the children have some shade to sit under whilst waiting for their races.

We are very much looking forward to welcoming parents and grandparents to the school field on Thursday morning for our Sports Day. Each child in school will be taking part in flat running races, and Traditional races representing their house teams. There will be an opportunity for parents to race too! Last year the children had to make do with the teachers racing (due to Covid restrictions) so I am sure they will be looking forward to seeing parents running this year. Your child will need to come to school wearing their PE kit on Thursday morning. We are hopeful the weather will be kind to us but if we do have rain, we will let you know first thing on Thursday morning if we have to postpone it. My fingers are crossed for a dry, warm day with a few clouds in the sky!

Also, this weekend please don't forget to come along to Stourhead to support our PTFA with their pop up café event. With thanks to all our fabulous bakers and cake makers there will be a variety of delicious cakes, sausage rolls and drinks available all day Saturday and also Sunday morning. The weather is not looking quite as promising as we first thought but the Stourhead Village Hall is undercover so it could be the perfect place to be in the forecasted drizzle!

Have a lovely weekend and enjoy Father's Day.

#### Leeson House meeting

On Monday Mr Abbott is hosting an information meeting for the families of our Year 4 and 5 children about their forthcoming trip to Leeson House. Please do come along if your child is attending the trip to find out information about the planned activities.

This week we also welcomed our new Reception cohort into school to meet Mrs Ramage. They enjoyed a story about Hedgehogs whilst sitting in the shade. It was also lovely to welcome the parents to school on Tuesday. We hope the children and families will be very happy being part of St George's from September.

Our Year 6 children are eagerly counting down to their residential trip to Okehampton in a few weeks time. Mrs Shears held an information meeting all about it this week. They have a fun filled 3 days planned with high ropes, weasling, bike riding and rock climbing along with cooked breakfasts each morning.

Can we please remind everyone that the children need to bring in a hat, a drink and sun cream to school during this period of lovely weather.

#### Sports Day – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

Please can all children come to school dressed in their PE kit and bring their uniform to change into afterwards

## Head Teacher's Award



Week ending: 17/06/2022

**Rafferty (Hedgehogs)** – for concentrating on his work and encouraging others to do so as well, an excellent role model.

**Bea Mo (Squirrels)** – for amazing determination in the pool and great improvement in her alternative leg kick action.

**Max (Badgers)** – for showing fantastic focus in ukulele lessons.

**Paddy (Foxes)** – for having great focus and for putting 100% into all his work

**WELL DONE!**

## Learnimal Awards



Week ending: 17/06/2022

**Luke** for being a Noticing Newt

**Oliver** for being a Concentrating Camel

**Madison** for being a Concentrating Camel

**Year 4** for being a Concentrating Camels

**Rory** being an Imagining Iguana

**Lydia** for being a Have a go Hyena



**Well Done**



### Silver Award

Week ending 17/06/22



**Oliver (Y2)**

Well Done

### Gold Award

Week ending 17/06/22



**Oscar (Y6)**

Congratulations

### Birthdays



**Harry G (5), Arya (8), Thea (8)**

Many Happy Returns

### Pupil of the week

Week ending: 17/06/2022

Hedgehogs: **Annabelle**

Squirrels: **Seb**

Badgers: **Sophie R**

Foxes: **Albert**

**Well done**

### Attendance Week ending 17/06/22

Hedgehogs – 90.4%

Squirrels – 98.1%

Badgers – 96.4%

Foxes – 97.6%

This week the winners are

**Squirrels**



### House Point Scores

**Sandways**

**269**

**Chaffeymoor**

**241**

**Queen Oak**

**255**

## Hedgehogs News

This week in Hedgehogs we have been writing postcards to our friends, letting them know what we have been up to on different days. The children are very good at recognising what day it is! In maths Reception have been focusing on number bonds, they have been using their number knowledge and using different resources to support their learning. Year 1 have been recapping 2s, 5s and 10s singing songs to help. For science we have continued our animal theme, moving onto animal parts, the children were brilliant at this and I think we may have some experts within our class! In Geography we got excited for looking at a globe! We looked at land and sea with a focus on the 5 oceans. It has been very hot this week but the children have been amazing with their sports day practice, we really can't wait to show off those skills next week! This week in Forest School Hedgehogs explored the life cycle of a frog. They looked at tadpoles and froglets through magnifying glasses. We also handled sheep's wool and elderflower. Then they had a choice of creative, construction and gardening activities with the children getting thoroughly absorbed.

We hope you have a lovely hot weekend,  
Mrs Ramage and Mrs Nicholls



## Squirrels News

What a scorcher! I have definitely wanted to jump in the pool several times this week! The children have thoroughly enjoyed their swimming lessons and have been focusing on their leg action, position in the water and breathing technique. In English we started our 'Meeting Tale' focus and read the story of Sharing a Shell where the crab meets an anemone and a bristle-worm. We have story mapped the adapted version and have practiced story-telling it to each other. We have also learnt about apostrophes and how they replace missing letters in words like I'm, don't and you're. In Maths, we have completed some place value investigations, using our knowledge of tens and ones. In Geography we learnt about the continents, the countries in Europe and the UK, as well as looking at the physical and human features of the coastline. In Art, we are looking at colour and this week focused on primary colours. We learnt about Piet Mondrian and how he used primary colours to paint his abstract art. We painted some beach huts in the style of Mondrian to go on our beach display in the classroom. Have a lovely and hopefully sunny weekend.

Mrs Toy & Mrs Milsom



## Badgers News

In Badgers this week we thought about how volcanoes are formed and what happens when they erupt. In our writing, we started to write sentences for a volcano story. We focused on sentences which begin with an adjective and end in an 'ed' word. We had some great ideas ready for our extended writing next week. The year 4 were amazing doing their Multiplication Check and all left smiling! We have also been focusing on adding amounts of money in Maths and knowing the link between pounds and pence.

We had another enjoyable ukulele lesson and learnt to play happy birthday.

Mrs Shears & Mrs Welshman

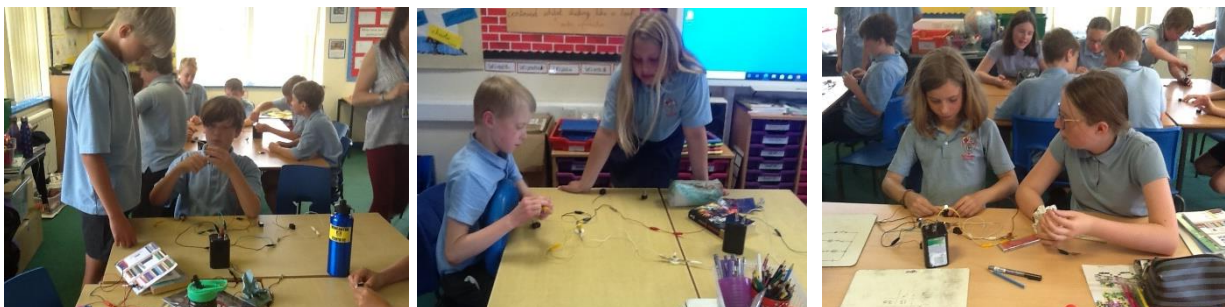


## Foxes News

In Science this week with Mrs Hillier, the children in Foxes have been investigating parallel circuits. They were set a challenge to create a circuit with three bulbs or buzzers and three switches. They then had to set up their circuit so that only one switch controlled one bulb or buzzer. There were lots of great discussions going on in the classroom and the children were all "Teamwork Tigers" as they managed to create parallel circuits that allowed them to achieve their goals.

Finally, in swimming the children have been focussing on front crawl. We discussed how firstly we need to have a flat streamline body position in the water. Then we need to lift one arm out of the water with a bent elbow and reach forward over the water before entering our finger tips, making sure we breath to the side. Finally, we need to remember to have relaxed and flexible ankles, point our toes behind you and kick up-and-down in a continuous motion from your thighs. All the children did a great job and we most definitely have a few future swimming stars. Keep up the good work.

Mr Abbott



## Dates for your Diary

18 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> June	PTFA Stourhead Catering Weekend
20 <sup>th</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Week
20 <sup>th</sup> June	3.30pm Leeson House Meeting
21 <sup>st</sup> June	7pm Governors FB Meeting
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Yr3/4 Tennis @ Bryanston
23 <sup>rd</sup> June	10am Sports Day
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Wellbeing Summer Games 2.40pm Foxes Assembly
27 <sup>th</sup> June	1.30-3pm New starters session
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Mini Olympics @ Milton School
29 <sup>th</sup> June	Yr6 to Okehampton
1 <sup>st</sup> July	3.15pm PTFA Tuck Shop
5 <sup>th</sup> July	Yr6 Leavers Service @ Salisbury Cathedral
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Yr4/5 to Leeson House Gillingham School Yr6 Transition Day St George's Transition Day 9am-12 noon New starters session
8 <sup>th</sup> July	NO Achievement Assembly
11 <sup>th</sup> July	1.30-3pm New starters session
14 <sup>th</sup> July	Non-Uniform Day donations of a Jar of Sweets
15 <sup>th</sup> July	from 5pm Summer Party
21 <sup>st</sup> July	Yr6 Leavers Service Last day of Summer Term - <b>1.30pm finish</b>

## Non-Uniform Day

On Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July the children are invited to come to school in Non-Uniform in exchange for a jar filled with sweets. These are for the tombola stall at the Summer party on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July (more details to follow)



Aid Donation drop for

# Ukraine

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Please bring **ONLY** the following items

**Baby food and formula**  
**Tinned food:**  
 Vegetables, Beans, Pulses,  
 Fish Paste  
 Luncheon Meat  
**Dried food:**  
 Beans, chickpeas, lentils  
 Flour, Pasta  
 Chocolate, Energy bars  
 Packet Soups, Black tea  
 Rapeseed or Sunflower oil  
 Emergency or Camping  
 Rations

**Sanitary pads, Tampons**  
**Nappies**  
 Toothbrushes, Toothpaste  
**NEW underwear for men, women, & children, except Bras (clean or as new please)**  
 Soap, Shampoo, Body Wash  
 Power Banks for phone charging  
 Camping mats  
 Washing Powder  
 Blankets, ideally fleece type  
 Sleeping Bags in stuff sacks

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Reg charity number 1077146

### PRIME SPORTS Summer Camp

**ARTS** **MULTI** **MUSIC**

**WHEN?** 8<sup>th</sup> AUGUST - 26<sup>th</sup> AUGUST  
**TIMES?** 9:00AM - 3:00PM  
**PRICES?** FULL DAY: £20 / HALF DAY: £10

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**SHOOTING** **SKILL** **GAME**

**WHEN?** 15<sup>th</sup> AUGUST - 26<sup>th</sup> AUGUST  
**TIMES?** 9:00AM - 3:00PM  
**PRICES?** FULL DAY: £20 / HALF DAY: £10

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## DOGS

Reminder dogs are not permitted in the school grounds at any time  
 This includes outside of school hours and during private hiring of the Pool

## Foxes Assembly

Foxes Assembly will be on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June at 2.40pm  
 All parents are welcome to attend

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# TREASURE HUNT

1st - 30th June 2022

## PRIZES TO BE WON

GoApe Voucher  
 Smugglers Cove Crazy Golf  
 Laser Quest Voucher  
 Family Ticket for Carle Castle  
 Rock Reef Voucher  
 Lulworth Castle Family Pass  
 Abbotsbury Swannery  
 Longleat Family Day Pass

**ENTRY £5.00**  
**SEE NEXT PAGE ON HOW TO ENTER & THE RULES**



## TREASURE HUNTERS!

# THE RULES

- Entry fee per team is £5.00
- Entry can be made via JustGiving at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/mosaicstreasurehunt2022> or BACS (email for details [kim@mosaicfamily-support.org](mailto:kim@mosaicfamily-support.org)) or scan below



- The treasure hunt runs over the month of June. Any entries received after 30th June will not be valid
- You will need to send us your email address so we can forward you the clues ([kim@mosaicfamily-support.org](mailto:kim@mosaicfamily-support.org))
- Photos must be taken of the treasure
- Photos to be emailed to [kim@mosaicfamily-support.org](mailto:kim@mosaicfamily-support.org)
- All winning entries go into a draw for the prizes
- The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into
- All monies raised will go to Mosaic - Supporting Bereaved Children. Charity Number 1158138

