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Newsletter

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Welcome back to the final two terms of this academic year. Many of you will have seen how quickly the new block and the office extension is going up and we appreciate your cooperation with regards to using Britannia Way gate and the staggered start to the day. Thanks to the weather only a few days have been lost, but the builders are confident that these can be made up!

School Clubs

These start next week. Thank you to all those parents who have signed up already.

Change to date for End of Year Service

Can parents of Year 6 children please be aware that the date for the End of Year Service has changed from July 21st to July 20th. It will be the same time, 1.45 at St Michael's.

Year 4 Residential trip to The Forest of Dean

Please be aware that the following members of staff will be out of school next week on the Year 4 residential; Mrs McCormack, Mr Carter, Mrs King, Mrs Fletcher, Mrs Burrows, Mrs Siveter and Mr Hoyle. Mr Hoyle's class will be taught by Mrs Morrish.

Year 4 children will need to be in school at the normal time. They will need to be in their classrooms by 8.45. They will not be assembling in the hall. Any child with medical needs will have to hand their medicine into Mrs Burrows. She will be stationed in the library, outside Yew class. Please ensure any medicine is labelled.

We are confident that the children will have a fantastic time and come back to you on

Friday muddy, tired, but buzzing with excitement.

Physical Disability and Sensory Impairment Needs Analysis

Gloucestershire County Council is carrying out an all age Physical Disability and Sensory Impairment Needs Analysis to map need and trends for people with physical disabilities and impairments. The outcome of this will be the creation of a report which will help to inform future council policy.

They have produced a survey to find out what life is like for people with these disabilities and this is now live online. This covers topics such as access (to buildings, the outside environment and public transport), accommodation, education, employment, care and support and healthcare and health and wellbeing. We have been encouraged to distribute the link to this survey who have a physical disability or sensory impairment, or amongst people/carers who support someone with these disabilities.

The survey can be completed by the person with a disability, or on their behalf by a person who supports them. The survey is open until Sunday 8 May

Link to survey: <https://gloucestershire-consult.objective.co.uk/public/socialcare/pds/pds>

Photographs

Leavers and team photographs are taking place on Monday 18th April. Please ensure that all school sports team kits are returned to school and that children who have music lessons bring their musical instruments with them.



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The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

The children have seen a wonderful production of this classic today and we are now looking forward to welcoming M and M Productions back in December when they will perform The Wizard of Oz.

When coupled with Grandparent's afternoon, today has been a very busy day!

Parking

The zig-zag lines outside of school are there for a very good reason! Do not park on them and endanger the lives of children.



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18 th April	Leavers and Team Photos All kit into school please
19 th April	Tag Rugby Tournament
20 th -22 nd April	Year 4 Residential to the Forest of Dean
22 nd April	Earth Day-An opportunity for children to reflect upon how they can care for the planet.
25 th April	Netball Tournament
28 th April	PTA Disco
28 th April	Year 5 trip to Gloucester Mosque
2 nd May	Bank Holiday
5 th May	Oak and Ash to the Cotswold Wildlife Park
9 th -13 th May	Year 6 SATs
18 th May	Year 6 Residential Information Evening at 6.30pm
23 rd -26 th May	Life Education Van



27 th May	INSET
6 th June	Start of Term 6
6 th -10 th June	Year 6 Residential to Whitemoor Lakes
14 th June	Sports Day Juniors-am (9.15 start) Infants-pm (1.30 start)
16 th June	Reserve Sports Day Juniors-am (9.15 start) Infants-pm (1.30 start)
20 th June	Year 5 Activity day at Cleeve School (details to follow)
23 rd June	Area Sports Field Events
29 th June	Area Sports Track Events
4 th July	Year 6 Induction Day at Cleeve and Year 6 Parents Evening Meeting
11 th July	Year 5 to Cleeve to watch Buggy Malone
19 th July	Year 6 Disco
20 th July	End of Year Service for Year 6 Leavers at St Michael's Church PLEASE NOTE THE NEW DATE