

Diary Dates

Sun 3rd March

Weds 6th March

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Thurs 7th March

Fri 8th March

Fri 15th March

Fri 15th March

Fri 22nd March

Mon 25th March

Tues 2nd April

Weds 3rd April

Fri 5th April

Tues 23rd April

Tues 23rd April

Fri 26th April

Thurs 2nd May

13th – 17th May

20th – 24th May

Fri 24th May

Mon 3rd June

Thurs 6th June

10th – 14th June

Mon 22nd July

PTFA Teas at Tortworth Lake

Ash Wednesday Service 9am in church – all welcome

Book swap & parents' 'Stay & Read' 2.45pm

World Book Day – see below

Dress up day – see below

Comic Relief Day

Year 5 & 6 to Lifeskills Centre

PTFA Disco

RE week

Parents' evening

Parents' evening

Last day of term 4

Start of term 5

Swimming starts for years 3, 4 & 5

School nurse in for Reception children measuring

Year 6 leaver photos

SATs week

Sports Week

Last day of term 5

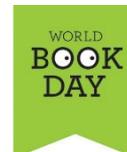
Start of term 6

Year 6 to Glos Cathedral for leavers service

Year 5 & 6 camp

Whole School Trip

} World Book Day



World Book Day

World Book day is on Thursday 7th March. As we mentioned on our last newsletter we are asking the children (and staff!) to come dressed up as a favourite book character on Friday 8th March and bring the book to school (if they have it). We will be doing book and character related activities on that day.

As part of our week we would like to hold a book swap and 'stay and read' session on Wednesday 6th March. We would like every child to bring a book they have enjoyed, but no longer want, in to school. We will then swap books in the afternoon and would like to invite parents/carers or grandparents to come into school from 2:45pm to share the new book with your child/children.

This will also count towards St Andrew's achieving the silver 'Time4Reading' award this year.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at our stay and read session, and to seeing the children dressed up on Friday!

Funeral

The funeral of Maureen Rafferty is taking place on Tuesday 12th March at St. Mary's Church, Newport at 11am. The school will be represented by Mrs. Green and Mrs. Woodcock.



Comic Relief

On Friday 15th March your children can wear red to school or any other comic relief item for a minimum donation of £1.

Red noses are now available to buy in school for £1

Ash Wednesday

Wednesday 6th March is Ash Wednesday. Rev Sue will be leading a service for the school to be held at St. Andrew's Church at 9am. All parents welcome to attend.

Easter

**Happy
Easter**

Easter Service

We are having our Easter service at St. Andrew's Church on Friday 5th April at 9am. All welcome to attend. After the service you are invited back to school to view the work the children completed during RE week and for some Easter refreshments. Hope you can join us.

Easter Competition

This year's Easter competition is going to be an Easter bonnet. Please support your child in creating an Easter bonnet but encourage them to do their own work. The bonnets will be judged with there being prizes awarded to each class. Everyone who enters will receive a small chocolate gift.

Parents' evening

Parents' evenings are taking place on Tuesday 2nd April and Wednesday 3rd April. Please ensure you come and meet with your child's class teacher to find out how they are progressing and to discuss any concerns you might have. If you are unable to make either of these dates then contact the school to make another more convenient time. Communication between school and home is important in the development of the whole child.

PTFA

Just a reminder that the PTFA will be serving refreshments at Tortworth Lake on Sunday 3rd March from 10am until 4pm. Please support them in this event. This is a major fundraiser, which in turn benefits the school and your children.

Friday 22nd March is the school disco organised by the PTFA. Please ensure permission slips alongside payment are in as soon as possible.



A reminder:-
Please ensure your
child has wellies in
school every day