

## WASPS Newsletter 2, Term 6, Summer Term 2019

Dear Parent

### End of Year Performance Dates

Advance notice of dates and times of our exciting end of year performances as follows:

- Year 0 : Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> July at 2.00pm
- Year 1 : Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> July at 2.30pm
- Year 2 : Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> July at 2.30pm
- Year 3 : Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> July at 3.45pm
- Year 4 : Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> July at 4.30pm
- Year 5 : Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> July at 5.30pm
- Year 6 : Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6.15pm

### Mile running in June and NSPCC Fundraising Event

Last Friday the children of WASPS had fun running in the rain cheered on by the Bath University Netball Mascot, Marla the Star. The weather didn't dampen their spirits and it was great to see so many superheroes speeding around our school track!

If your child enjoyed running as part of a large group you may wish to try the Park Run which takes place each Saturday morning in Rainbow Woods. This is a great way to run as a family.

### Choir Performance at Bath Abbey

What a privilege to attend this musical event with soloists and choirs from Widcombe Junior School and WASPS. The standard was outstanding and our children were a total credit to us as they sang a variety of songs from different eras and in different styles. Special commendation must be given to our soloists, Amelie, Hester, Bea and Mair.

Some quotes from our performers: "I wished it could have lasted forever." "...made me feel really happy and proud .... much more confident in myself."

### Year 0 Trip to Longleat – Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2019

As you know, pupils in Year 0 will be visiting Longleat on Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Please refer to the letter sent home on 2<sup>nd</sup> May for the finer details and please make sure you have returned the reply slip to your child's class teacher.

Pupils need to be brought to school for registration as usual and will be walked to the coach at 9.15am by their class teacher and WASPS staff. Pupils will return to the roundabout at the bottom of Lansdown Lane by approximately 5.00pm.

### Year 3 Trip to Legge House

As you know, pupils in Year 3 will be visiting Legge House and Avebury over the next two weeks. On your child's day of departure please can you bring your child to school for registration as usual:

- Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - Class 3S/S
- Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - Class 3T
- Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - Class 3W & AAA Natterers

Pupils will return to WASPS by approximately 8.00pm.

### Year 1 Trip to Weston Super Mare

As you know, pupils in Year 1 will be visiting Weston Super Mare next week. Please refer to the letter sent home on 4<sup>th</sup> April for the finer details and please make sure you have returned the reply slip to your child's class teacher. On your child's day of departure, please can you bring your child to school for registration as usual:

- Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - Class 1J and Class 1W
- Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - Class 1T/S and AAA Horseshoe

Pupils will return to the roundabout at the bottom of Lansdown Lane by approximately 5.00pm.

### Year 4 Young Writers

In March, some pupils from Year 4 entered a Young Writers' competition called "The Incredible Diary of..." They wrote descriptive, inspiring and creative diary entries as soldiers in the Battle of Hastings in 1066. As well as receiving a certificate, all the pupils received the chance to have their work published in a book called "The Incredible Diary of...Somerset." They were chosen to get through to the publishing stage based on the following criteria: imagination, creativity, originality and use of language.

This is, of course, an amazing opportunity to see their own original pieces of writing in print. Well done!

### Advance Notice of Inset Days for Next Academic Year

Three of the five Inset Dates have already been set for our **next academic year** as follows:

- Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2019
- Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020
- Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020

### Wanted – New and/or Used Children's Shoes

This is a reminder that we have boxes in school for second hand or new shoes for two projects: Oasis Hub, Bath distributing second hand and new donated school shoes to selected schools in Bath and a charity in Gambia who support a school and a local community.

### For Your Information – Message from Bath University re Open Days

Bath University hosts two Open Days in June (21.06.19 and 22.09.19) from 9.30am-4.00pm. The events are planned well in advance but Bath University do appreciate that the increased traffic in an already busy city can be an inconvenience. Bath University in collaboration with B&NES Council are working hard to put in place as many measures as possible to mitigate against potential traffic disruption on the Open Days.

### **Congratulations to:**

- Israel (6M) who represented Team Bath AC in the Avon League Under 13's Boys on 9<sup>th</sup> June in Gloucester. Israel ran a Personal Best and came 1<sup>st</sup> in the 100 metres.

Yours sincerely  
Dr Anne Bull  
Headteacher

### **COMMUNITY LINKS**

**Weston Village Craft & Produce Fayre** – Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> June from 10am-1pm. Free admission. Book a Table for £15. For more info please visit [www.allsaintscentre.org.uk](http://www.allsaintscentre.org.uk)

**Children & Young People's Network - SEND Family Fund Event** for disabled young people and those with additional needs inc. EHCP plans – Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June from 4-6pm at Odd Down Community Centre. For more info ring 01225 832479 or email [gilly@bathareaplayproject.co.uk](mailto:gilly@bathareaplayproject.co.uk)

**Spotters Hockey July 2019 Camp** – 29.07.19 & 30.07.19 at Beechen Cliff school, Bath from 9am - 2pm. Ages 7-15 with 2 days costing just £45 if booked before 28 June. For info email Sally Potter on [spottershockey@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:spottershockey@yahoo.co.uk)