

Midsomer Norton Primary School



Head teacher: Mr Alun Randell

Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome back to our final term of the year! Staff had a productive INSET day before half-term. Our training focused on Speech and Language in Early Years, developing key learning behaviours such as independence and resilience and reviewing the effectiveness of our school behaviour and rewards systems.

Den Day

The weather has been wonderful this week resulting in great outdoor experiences for the children. Reception children designed and made their dens yesterday as they are heading off on their trip to the farm today. Key Stage 1 and 2 built their dens today. I was not in school today but look forward to seeing the photos. The den building activity was part of our Champions for Change fund-raising drive to support Save The Children, our school charity. A representative of Save the Children explained about the work of the charity in assembly on Wednesday and the children have responded with real passion and determination to support the event. Thank you very much for all your help in donating materials for dens!

Maths Week

We will be holding a week of Maths themed activities Monday 27th June -Friday 1st July. Please look out for a letter on Monday explaining what is planned and how parents and carers can get involved.

Summer Fair

The Summer Fair is on Friday 17th June 5-9pm. Our fingers are crossed that this lovely weather holds!

Sports News

Two Year 6 teams participate in the B&NES Kwik Cricket event in Bath. Our B team won all 4 of their matches to be crowned champions of the B team event; our A team reached the main competition final but were just pipped to the title by Saltford. They now go through to the county round of the event at The County Ground in Taunton in a few weeks time.

A team of Year 3 & 4 children took part in a Tri-Golf on Wednesday, finishing 4th. The competition included a variety of pitching and putting activities and was enjoyed by all.

In the B&NES Netball Cup Final Midsomer Norton Primary just lost out 12-11 in a hugely exciting encounter versus Oldfield Park on Monday. The team showed great courage to fight back before conceding a final goal in the last seconds.

We found out over the holidays that our Sportshall athletics team finished 39th in the country this year. The scores are converted to points and compared nationally - this is a massive achievement!



Online payments

As we said in previous newsletters, we plan to go 'cashless' from September. If you have not already signed up to the School Gateway please take some time to set up your login and let us know in the office if you have any problems.

We would be grateful if you could make payments online during term 6 so that we can iron out any issues before September

School Car Park

Please remember that the school car park is for **staff use only**.

Unless you need to use the disabled spaces due to a specific need for your child or otherwise agreed, no parents should be dropping off/picking up/parking in the car park.

We will be monitoring the situation over the next few weeks and asking people to move their vehicles if necessary.

Thank you in advance for your co-operation

Sainsbury Loading Bay

We had an incident recently when a lorry was delayed because of cars parked in Sainsbury loading bay. Please DO NOT park there as we do have a very good relationship with them and would not wish to spoil this. Thank you.

Reminder:Parent Support Group AGM on June 27th in the school hall at 6pm.

Please remember to bring slips back for the England-Wales match on Thursday 16th June if you would like your child to stay after school to watch the second half. There will be no athletics club on this day because of this event.

And finally, Mr Andrew requests that all sport kits and hoodies are returned as soon as possible.

Have a lovely weekend,

Alun Randell
Head Teacher



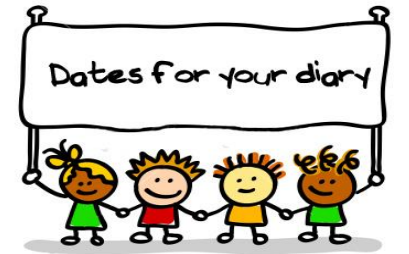
News



Don't forget that you can catch up with what's going on in school on our twitter feed:

<https://twitter.com/MSNPrimary>

Letters home this week:
Parent Governor vacancy



Fri 17 June PSG Summer Fayre 5-9pm
Mon 20 June - Sports Day not as stated in previous PSG letter. Reserve date of Mon 4 July
Thur 23 June - Induction evening for children starting Nursery in Sept in Nursery classroom at 6pm

The Children Centre Nursery.....

....has places available for children aged 2. The Nursery provides a direct feed for children entering our Nursery at age 3 ensuring a smooth transition to the next stage of their Early Years education. Call them on 01225 396858



Head Teacher Awards

Kady Lily Olivia

Charlie Alyssa Oliver

Angel Bobbie



Gold Awards

For demonstrating exemplary behaviour...

Callum Kyle Mia Reuben

Victoria Erin Joseph Amber

Aimee Macy Oliver Aria



Birthdays

Happy Birthday this week to the following children!!

Eva Antoni

Frankie Emilia