

St. Sampson's Church of England Primary School

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FS2 and Year 1 had a fantastic trip to Bristol Zoo on Tuesday. They had lovely weather and got to meet all sorts of creatures close up and go on a double decker coach! For many of the children, this was their first school trip and we were incredibly proud of them all.

Thank you to everyone who has made that extra effort to be on time to school. Already, the number of late arrivals has dropped considerably so we are pleased that our new systems are paying off. Please keep it up!

Attached to this newsletter is information about the Cricklade Cinema evening run for children at our school. Your child is also bringing home a paper copy tonight. Please note that there are no ticket sales via the school office. Thank you to Mrs Horner and her team of volunteers for organising this event for our children.

I hope that you all enjoy the Bank Holiday weekend.

Jennifer Bayne

House Captains - Terms 5 & 6

We are delighted to be able to announce our Year 6 House Captains for the next two terms. Well done to the following children for being awarded this role by the staff at our School.



St David - Eleanor & Noah St Andrew - Hannah & Joshua



FSSA Summer Fete Meeting - TONIGHT at 3:30pm

All parents welcome. Please come along if you are able to support this event in any way!



St Sampson's Stars!

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Kingfishers - Calisi & Alfie Puffins - Corey & Ryan Woodpeckers - George & Olivia

2L - The Whole Class! 2S - Oscar & Jack

3/4B - Josh & Tom 3/4O - Joshua & Isabella 3/4W - Mary & Lexi

5C - James & Holly 5R - Daisy & Rosie

6B - Riley & William 6R - Poppy & James





Class Assemblies

We have a lot of class assemblies coming up over the next few weeks. Parents of children in these classes are invited to come and watch their assemblies at 9:10am in the Main Hall and then are welcome to stay for a shared learning experience in their classrooms up until break time.

Kingfishers - TOMORROW!

Woodpeckers - 10th May

5R - 24th May

Pedal Bike Request

Our FS2s have done so well on their balance bikes this year that most of them are ready to move onto their first pedal bikes. Thank you to all those parents in FS2 who completed the bike survey but on further reflection it might be more beneficial for us to have a bike permanently in school that FS2 can use as they progress from balance bikes.

Does anyone have a 16" wheel pedal bike, in good condition, which their children no longer use and would be happy to donate to the school please? It would be much appreciated.

Mrs Bray

Netball Report

It has been a busy week for our netball teams since they have returned from the Easter break.

Last Tuesday, we played our last league match v Longleaze which we won 21-1! Well done to all those who played: Freya, James, Ruby, Alex, Gabby, Ellie and Hannah.

The following day we took part in the West Swindon League Tournament where we came 4th. Well done to Josh who replaced Gabby in the team.

Finally, on Monday all of our netballers played 2 friendly matches v Brookfield which they won 8-1 and lost 7-5. Well done to all who took part and to the great support from the parents.

Netball Club starts on Monday 13th May.

Mrs Bray

Author Visit

We are really looking forward to a visit from the author **David Lawrence-Jones**, who will be visiting our school on Tuesday 7th May. David will speak with children in Y2-Y6 during the afternoon. Children will bring home an order form and if anyone wants a signed copy of one of his <u>books</u>, they can get this on Thursday 9th May.



Book Fair

The **book fair** will be open on Wednesday 9^{th} , Thursday 10^{th} and Friday 11^{th} May after school in the foyer.

Come, browse and/or purchase.

All sales help the school, allowing us to use the commission to purchase books for our class libraries.

