

## St Sampson's Church of England Primary School



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I hope that you enjoyed the Bank holiday weekend and are appreciating having a 4 day week this week.

I would like to thank Cricklade Scouts and Mrs Otter who kindly worked very hard on Tuesday evening spending time doing some gardening and clearing work on our site. The pond area had become quite overgrown and we are very grateful for their hard work.

Year 6 have started their 'Personal Survival Skills' swimming sessions today at the Leisure Centre which run for the next few weeks. I know that this is a very popular activity for lots of the children!

It is great to see a large take up for clubs running this term. Once again, I would like to extend my thanks to staff who voluntarily run these and appreciate your commitment in supporting your child's attendance at these.

Next week, for the first time in two years, our Year 6 children will be sitting their SATs along with all the peers at schools across the country. We will be inviting our children to school extra early to do a 'wake up warm up' and then to share breakfast together. I know that I can confidently say that they will approach these with a positive attitude and support each other. As always, we are extremely proud of how hard the children have worked in preparing for these tests and know that they will do their best, which is all we ever ask of them. These are just a small measure of one area of their work throughout our school. We also celebrate their achievements in being responsible citizens and good friends as well as their accolades in other areas, such as music and sport, and all that they bring to our school. Good Luck Year 6!

Jennifer Bayne

## St Sampson's Stars!

A big well done to all our stars of the week - Lighting up Life and Learning ©

Bees - Marshall & Charlie

2H - Florence & Arthur

Butterflies - Izzy & Ellie S

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1A - Milly & Elizabeth

1CS - Paisley-Mae & George

2T- Harrison & Imogen



3/4C - Harrison & Shane

3/4L - Lacey-Mae & Freddie R

3/4R - Corey & Owen



50 - Seth & Lola

6B - Ella & Lucas

55 - Mabel & Callum

6J- Kyra-Mae & Joshua



## School Photos

On 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May, Leigh Hibbs, our school photographer, will be in to take class photos of the children. There will be an opportunity for parents to buy the class photos of their child's class. If you do not wish your child to be in the class photograph, please email the school office before 17<sup>th</sup> May admin@st-sampsons.wilts.sch.uk Thank you.

As you will recall, the photographer visited in the Autumn term for individual and sibling school photos. Year 6 will also have an individual leavers' photo taken this time to go in a dual mount with the Year group photo which parents may wish to purchase as a memento of their final year at primary school. (Sorry if that is too early to mention...!)

## Netball Match Report - Tuesday, 3rd May away v Brookfield Primary School

On Tuesday, we played against Broad Hinton. They were a very tough opposition! We played four quarters and we scored 1 goal in the second quarter. Unfortunately, they scored 19 and so they won, 19-1. We all had a great time though and we chose our star player together.

Star Player: Arya

Players: Arya, Eleanor S, Lola T, Isobel L, Lily C, Matilda, Emily F, Isabella S

Matilda, Y4 (captain)

Mr Smith would like to add, "The team played with fantastic spirit and we showed great character when we lost the ball or conceded a goal by pushing back hard and making so many important interceptions!"

