

Ubley C of E Primary School

Newsletter 19th April 2024

Diary Dates

29th April – Hedgehog & Squirrel class trip to the Community Farm, Chew Magna

2nd May – Years 3 & 4 Athletics at CVS (packed lunch needed)

W/B 13th May – SATS week year 6

16th May – Year 2 strike & field at CVS (packed lunch needed)

6th June – Class photos

3rd June – INSET day

13th June – Year 1 sports at CVS (packed lunch needed)

13th June – Year 6 Bath Abbey (packed lunch needed)

18th June – Otter Class to the Avalon Marsh Centre (packed lunch needed)

19th June – Sports Day, morning time TBC

11th July – Years 5 & 6 Quad kids at CVS (packed lunch needed)

24th – 28th June 2024 – Years 5 & 6 to residential camp

23rd July – Leavers' service 1.30pm

23rd July -End of term

Library visit

24th April

8th May

22nd May

5th June

19th June

Reminders

If your child's home time arrangement changes in any way please inform the school office, it is important that we know where every child should be at the end of the day.

Please can all school uniform be named, there is a small pile so far this term of unnamed items which if not claimed will be passed to the PTA for the second-hand uniform sale.

Your child needs to bring a water bottle to school each day.

Please can children in Otter and Fox Class try and bring in healthy snacks for break time.



Celebration Assemblies

Congratulations to all the children who received certificates and awards last week and this week. Congratulations Yeo for winning the most house points this week and also for the whole of last term.



PTA update

PTA Easter Trail, Sunday 14th April

Thanks to everyone who attended the PTA Easter Trail 2024! The weather was glorious for the trail around the village, followed by a rewarding treat for both children and adults alike at the village hall. The tea, coffee and beer were flowing and there was plenty of choice when it came to cakes. The children thoroughly enjoyed the face painting too. The raffle was very popular and all recipients are delighted with their prizes! The PTA raised just over £600 so thank you all again 😊



Brass band concert

On the first day back at school we had a brass band come to the church for us to listen to. They played the trumpet, trombone, tuber, saxophone and drums. Altogether they sounded absolutely incredible, even when it was a solo my mind was still blown. I was astonished by them because they only met 2 weeks ago and created a band and only practiced once! - Bailey (Fox Class)



We will be holding a travelling book fair after school in the playground on the 15th and 16th May. You will be able to look at the books and purchase them on the day. Books can be purchased on the day using the app or online.

Buy 2 books and choose a third absolutely free!

Music Lessons

Music lesson in school are provided by West of England Music & Arts. Please follow the link below to see what is available

<https://wema.org.uk/young-people-and-families/learn-to-play-a-musical-instrument/>

Requests for leave of absence during term time

A reminder that the LSP Attendance Policy states that absences should only be granted in exceptional circumstances and a family holiday does not constitute such an exception.

The Lighthouse Schools Partnership policy is in line with the May 2022 statutory guidance to schools. In almost all cases a request for a holiday in term time will have to be refused and if the unauthorised holiday is for 5 or more full days it will incur a Penalty Notice. Please follow this link for the attendance policy.

https://www.eastharptreeandubley.org.uk/_site/data/files/35A50BD4930F9634BF552753A3C15692.pdf

Term 5	Monday 15 th April 2024 – Friday 24 th May 2024
Half Term Holiday	Monday 27 th May 2024 – Friday 31 st May 2024
Inset Day	Monday 3rd June 2024
Term 6	Tuesday 4 th June 2024 – Tuesday 23 rd July 2024