



# Milverton Community Primary School and Pre-School



**Opening Hours**  
 School - 8.45am - 3.15pm  
 Office - 8.30am - 4pm **Morning club** - 8am  
 Sports clubs 3.15pm - 4.30pm  
 Toasties 3.15pm - 4.30/5.45pm  
 Pre-School: 9-3pm

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## Friday Flyer

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### Dates for Your Diary

**Wednesday 11th July**

Class 3 & 4 Somerset Film workshops

**Thursday 12th July at 6.30pm**

Year 6 Play 'Robin and the Sherwood Hoodies'

**Friday 13th July**

Whole school trip to Flip Out  
 Please pay for trip on Parentmail and complete the Flip Out waiver

**Monday 16th July—am**

Sports Day—Parents invited

**Friday 20th July**

Last day of term  
 Year 6 Leavers' Assembly at 9.15am  
 Piano students' performance for parents at 3.30pm

**Monday 3rd September**  
 INSET day

**Tuesday 4th September**  
 School opens to pupils for the Autumn Term

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Thank you to all of you who were able to join us for our 1st Strawberry Fair, and huge thanks are due to the MSA who organised and staffed it. The event was very much in keeping with our ethos. Education is a partnership between parents, teachers, and the child: parental support makes an enormous difference to the attitude of a child to his or her learning. Events where you can talk to your child about their work reinforces so much of what has been learned. We hope to be able to hold the event again next year!

**Mr R Stead**



On Monday Class R opened the doors to their own cafe. The children took on all roles from waiters and waitresses, to drinks servers, payment managers and washing-up experts. They worked tirelessly throughout the day to welcome all classes, including Pre-School and then opening the doors to their families during the afternoon. A huge thank you to all of the Class R parents and staff for providing the cakes and to 'Brazier' for providing fresh ground coffee. We are thrilled to say that we raised an amazing £388.76 which will go towards our new outdoor area.

*Mrs Lewis*



"On Monday and Tuesday some children from Class 5 made electronic buzzer games. We made these using a battery as our energy source. We talked about how we could make a game that involved tracing a course made from wire using a metal hook. We worked out how the circuit would work. The battery had a wire to a switch which was connected to a buzzer or light (we didn't have enough to go through both). Then we had a break in the circuit and we created our own wire course each. The end of the course was connected to the battery", said Zöe.

"We worked our socks off to make a buzzer game. We used electrical circuits and painted backgrounds to make them look stunning! First, we made the circuits, checking that whenever the hook touched the artistically shaped wire it made a beep, or made the light come on. Next, we created a background in a chosen theme. Finally, we made sure that it all worked and it looked the best it could be. Some of us made challenges like 'can you catch the elephant?', said Rosie.



Classes R, 1 and Pre-School have been lucky enough to have had some sessions of yoga with Milo's mummy. They have learnt lots of different positions and discovered how flexible they are! A big thank you to Dawn Williams for taking the time to teach us. *Mrs Storrs-Fox*

## FOREST SCHOOL TUESDAY 3RD JULY YEARS 2 AND 3

HOUSE POINTS	WEEKLY TOTAL	HALF TERM
LONDON PLANE	307	1541
CORK OAK	271	1442
BLUE CEDAR	288	1313
HORSE CHESTNUT	237	1209

# OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK



<b>CLASS R</b>	The <b>whole of Class R</b> for being outstanding hosts at their café this week.	
<b>CLASS 1</b>	<b>Alice</b> for wholehearted engagement in Forest School and Yoga this week.	
<b>CLASS 2</b>	<b>Sophie L</b> for her excellent work in maths all week. Sophie has shown a really good understanding of all 4 calculations and applied her knowledge really well to complete her work.	
<b>CLASS 3</b>	<b>All of Class 3</b> for impeccable behaviour on our village history walk around Milverton.	
<b>CLASS 4</b>	<b>Jonah</b> for his outstanding effort in all subjects this week—particularly with a broken arm!	
<b>CLASS 5</b>	<b>Rico and Jack</b> for outstanding Maths and DT this week.	
<b>CLASS 6</b>	<b>Samara</b> for her great buddying work. She has coached the Year 5s well.	



This week saw the arrival of 'Forest Fest' at Milverton School. Classes R and 1 had a fun filled morning learning circus skills, playing parachute games, playing on the rope swing, making natural bunting and toasting marshmallows, all whilst wearing flower crowns and leaf necklaces. The children all had a chance to strut their stuff on the dance stage. What a wonderful morning we all had. Thank you Mr Wedderkopp for the perfect end to a super year of Forest School!



The Milverton Mountaineers are thrilled to say that they completed The National Three Peaks Challenge last weekend. The team included Helen Jessep, Hannah Lawrie, Hattie Winter and Anna and Barney Kyle - and of course not forgetting Mrs Lewis! The challenge could not have been completed without our amazing support crew Jim Nicol (Grandpa to Joe and Sophie Lewis) and Dave Bennett (Gramps to Benny, Archie and Teddy Jessep). The team are thrilled to announce that they raised £1600 for the new outdoor area for classes R and 1 and £1000 for the Air Ambulance. (Its not too late to donate!). Please go to [www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/milvertonmountaineers](http://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/milvertonmountaineers).



*Thank you to all of those who joined us for our first Strawberry Fair after school yesterday. We had a great turn out and it was a lovely afternoon with a very relaxed atmosphere. Feedback has been very positive and we would like to organise it again next year. It was the perfect opportunity for parents to chat with staff in an informal setting. Also by holding the event just after 'move up' day it allowed lots of parents to meet their children's teachers properly ahead of September. The strawberry and drinks sales raised a total of £246 for the school. What a great result! Thank you again for your support.*

### HELP NEEDED!

The MSA have been having a clear out and have an old fridge that needs taking to the dump..... if anyone has any means of collecting the fridge and taking it to the dump it would be very much appreciated! It is a tall fridge - approximately 2metres high. If you are able to help please email [msa-somerset@outlook.com](mailto:msa-somerset@outlook.com) or speak text/speak to Jodie (07812824304) Von (07810828832) or Sinead (07834603906). Thanks in anticipation!

