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Welcome back to term 4!

Year 4 camp is on the horizon and we can't wait to take year 4 next week – fingers crossed that we have some lovely sunshine again instead of this rain! A big plea to all year 4 parents, PLEASE pack with your children so that they see what you have packed for them and also so that they can pack themselves for the return trip. We really have had children wear the same clothes all camp and then be surprised that there is a second side to their suitcase! Please also do not tell children that they can come home if they are homesick. We will of course contact you if we really feel they are struggling, but part of going away for the first time is feeling slightly wobbly on the first evening without you there. If they know you have promised to come and get them, then they ask for this and it is hard for us to encourage them to stay. For years 3,5 and 6, everything will be as normal in school next week but we are taking ten staff to Barton including Mr Debley, Mr Desmond and me. Therefore, please address any questions or concerns to the school office or if you need to speak to a Senior Leader, then please contact Mrs Groves or Miss Thackeray who will be happy to help. We will also be having work completed on our new gates to make them electronic opening like the Infant school's gates. This starts on Tuesday for ten days but one gate minimum will always be accessible, so do not be put off if there are some barriers up at various points. Have a lovely weekend. Mrs Osborne

Sanitary Products

We would just like to remind you that we hold a stock of sanitary products in the back office. Where appropriate, please speak to your daughters to let them know that if needed they can ask one of the lovely office team and they will discretely be given some of these whenever needed.

Bear Cards

Some of our SEN children are collecting Bear Cards and are missing the following cards.

Do you happen to have these cards at home that they could do a swap for??

#13 - Sea Otters

#44 - Okapi

#45 - Saiga Antelope

#48 - Tiger

#53 - Crested Gecko

Bonus Cards

#3 - Gibbon

#4 – Woodpecker

#8 - Tree Kangaroo

#9 - Flying Squirrel

#3 - Polar Bear

Mothers Day Event

CCJ Friends are holding a shopping event in school on Friday 25th March for children in all year groups to 'buy' a gift for someone special ahead of Mother's Day, this could be for Mum, Gran, Nan, auntie, big sister, special family member etc. Gifts are for adults only. Children can buy for a maximum of 4 people @ £4 each, via parent pay by Thursday 17th March. Please make sure you state in the notes section the name(s) of who the gift is for when making your purchase.

Wishlist

Do you have any of the following items that we could take off your hands for some of our children's learning?

Disney's CandyLand Game Fishing Net Green Face Paint

Pea Costume

Pea Stickers

Any pea related items

















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Comic Relief Friday 18th March RELIEF

On Red Nose Day this year children are being encouraged to dress as a super-hero/hero for the day for a suggested donation £1.

The children can also pay £1 to throw 3 'Red Noses' at Mrs Osborne when she is back from camp!! Who wouldn't want to do that?!

Bikeability

Cycling Training for the 21st Century, SCHOOL HOLIDAY CYCLE TRAINING COURSES FOR SOUTH GLOS RESIDENTS.

All courses are Subject to a £5 Booking Fee which is Non-Refundable.

For further information please Email cycle.holiday@southglos.gov.uk for further details.

Word Wizards!

This week's words:

Lower Band: **environment**

Upper Band: circle



CCJ dates for your diary

March

Wed 16th – Fri 18th – **Y4 Barton Camp**

Mon 21st – Fri 25th – Online Book Fair

Tues 29th – Easter Service at Christ Church (parents welcome)

Wed 30th - 2.50pm Y4 Ukulele concert

(New date to be confirmed)

April

Fri 8th – End of Term 4. Dress down.

Mon 25th – INSET DAY

Tues 26th Start of Term 5

May

Mon 2nd May – Bank holiday Mon 9th – Thurs 12th – Y6 SATS

CCJ Friends Sponsor Forms

More of our children have been sending in their sponsorship forms with money raised for the £16 challenge. A huge well done to everyone who is participating. We love seeing the different ways that everyone has decided to do to raise the money, so keep emailing them in!

Thank you to.....

Tamsin has done 160 cartwheels in under 10 minutes to raise money for the play equipment. She kept going afterwards and did 250 cartwheels in total!!

She has raised £30!!



All money raised will go toward the new clamber stack which is being installed at the end of this term, so that the current year 6 can enjoy it! Please help us with the final amount left to raise.

If you would like to share your achievement in our newsletter, please let us know via that school email!

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All forms/money need to be in by 6th April.

Premier Easter Holiday Camps

A reminder that Premier will be running their Holiday Camps at Christchurch Infants School.

Week 1

Monday 11th April until Thursday 14th April

Week 2

Tuesday 19th April until Friday 22nd April.

Any questions or queries about clubs or camps or to book a place please email jcarling@premier-

education.com or go to

https://www.premier-education.com



















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