



Newsletter No.27: 21st April 2023

We have enjoyed welcoming the children back to school after the Easter Holidays and we hope you all had a lovely break.

Summer term themed learning is as follows: Year 3 will be learning about Romans, Year 4 will be learning about the Vikings, Year 5 will be learning about Coca Loco and Year 6 will be learning about the 'Bare Bones of the Dynasty'.

We also opened our beautiful new breathing space, for children to use as a relaxing and calm space. Special thanks to Mr Allsopp, who kindly helped us install a pergola over the Easter holidays.

We warmly welcomed two new families to our school this week.

Year 4, Willow Class continued their swimming lessons this week and the After School Clubs list was circulated. If your child would like to sign up for any clubs then please complete the form below, as soon as possible. We will be sending out confirmation of club places early next week. <https://forms.office.com/e/rBiMqg33Mu>

Mobile Phones

We have spoken to all pupils about the use of mobile phones in school due to several incidences where photos and video are being taken before or after school onsite. We would really appreciate it if you could help us in making sure that everyone is safe and adheres to our Safeguarding policy. Here is a recap of our expectations:

- As soon as pupils enter the school site they switch their mobile phones off and place them in their bags or coat pockets.
- They do not take photographs or video on site of any pupil, staff or parent.
- They hand their mobile phones into their class teacher who will store them safely in the school.
- When children leave the school at the end of the day, they do not switch on their mobile phones until they have left the school site.

Thank you parents in advance for your support with this matter.

News from Cotswold Beacon Academy Trust (CBAT)

CBAT and its family of schools (Marling, Berkeley and CWJS) warmly welcome Callowell Primary School into the Trust. It is anticipated that Callowell Primary School will officially transfer into the Trust by the end of the Summer term. We very much look forward to working in partnership with Callowell.

Drumming Lessons—Spaces available

Mr Barnett, our drum teacher has confirmed that he has places available for drumming lessons. These will take place on a Tuesday. If your child would be interested in drumming lessons, please contact the school office.

Wednesday 26th April, Afternoon Year 3 and Year 4 - Tag Rugby Tournament

On Wednesday some of the Year 3 and Year 4 children will be taking part in a Tag Rugby Tournament at Dursley CofE School. Mr Bedford will be supporting our CWJS Team.



Important Dates to Remember

Wednesday 26th April

Y3 & Y4 Tag Rugby Tournament

Thursday 27th April

Athletics Club, starts —8am

LAST Y4 Willow Swimming Lesson

(Normal swimming kit and t-shirt and shorts)

After School Clubs Start

3.30pm—4.30pm

Monday 1st May

School Closed—Bank Holiday

Thursday 4th May

Athletics Club —8am

Y3 Juniper Swimming Lessons

After School Clubs 3.30pm—4.30pm

Friday 5th May

King's Coronation Party. Pupils wear something Red, White or Blue.

Monday 8th May

School Closed—Bank Holiday

Y6 SATS Week

Thursday 11th May

Athletics Club —8am

Y3 Juniper Swimming Lessons

After School Clubs 3.30pm—4.30pm

Friday 12th May

Y4 Elm and Willow Class—Viking Workshops





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Thursday 27th April—Athletics Club 8am

Athletics club will be commencing again next Thursday 27th April at 8am. If you would like your child to attend please fill in the form on the link below.

<https://forms.office.com/e/gp3dqKxZHE>

Thursday 27th April—Last Year 4, Willow Swimming Lesson

Please ensure your child brings in their normal swimming kit, a t-shirt and shorts for their life saving final swimming assessment.

After School Clubs Start on Thursday 27th April 3.30pm—4.30pm

Monday 1st May —Bank Holiday

School closed.

Thursday 4th May—Year 3 Juniper Class

Swimming Lessons will begin for Year 3, Juniper Class. Please ensure they bring in their swimming kits.

Thursday 4th May - After School Clubs

After School Clubs continue 3.30—4.30pm

Friday 5th May—King's Coronation Party

The three settings (CWJS, CWIS & The Nest) are coming together to celebrate the King's Coronation on Friday 5th May at 1:30—2:45pm. We will be decorating the small Junior playground and asking pupils on that day to wear something Red, White or Blue! We would also like to ask parents to donate £1, so that the school can purchase party food for the Pupils to enjoy during this event.

Monday 8th May—Bank Holiday

School Closed.

Tuesday 9th, Wednesday 10th, Thursday 11th and Friday 12th May - Year 6 SATs week

Our Year 6 children are invited to come to school for breakfast during this week. Timings for this club will be confirmed next week.

Thursday 11th May —Year 3 Juniper Class

Swimming Lessons will begin for Year 3, Juniper Class. Please ensure they bring in their swimming kits.

Thursday 11th May—After School Clubs

After School Clubs continue 3.30—4.30pm



Important Dates to Remember

Thursday 18th May

Athletics Club —8am

Y3 Juniper Swimming Lessons

After School Clubs 3.30pm—4.30pm

Thursday 25th May

Athletics Club —8am

After School Clubs 3.30pm—4.30pm

Friday 26th May

End of Term at 3.20pm

Monday 5th June

Inset Day

Tuesday 6th June

Children return to school





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Friday 12th May—Year 4 Elm and Willow—Viking Workshop

On Friday 12th May, the children in Year 4 will be taking part in a visiting work shop. This education workshop is to help support our topic 'Viking Invaders, specifically 'The Vikings' as part of our History curriculum and 'Artefacts' as part of our Art curriculum. During the workshop, the children will take part in workshop sessions about the origins of the Vikings, Viking Life and Fighting tactics. The session will start at 9.00am following registration and we will be finished by 3:00pm. The sessions will take place in the hall and classrooms of year 4.

Reminder: School Line up is at 8.45am

School gates are open at 8.45am and pupils are expected to line up at 8.50, ready for the start of the school day and registration at 8.55 am. Any children arriving after this time are recorded as late.

Reminder: Car Parking

Please remember to park safely, carefully and considerately for our neighbours and wider school community.

Reminder: New Newsletter, Help required!

We would like to update our newsletter to help bring it to life with photos, but we will need your help! As the newsletter is not just sent to the school parents and carers but is also published on the school website. We feel that to ensure we are adhering to your wishes and GDPR compliance, that we must seek clarification on your consent.

<https://forms.office.com/e/yDNL5VuxL2>

Free School Meals (FSM) :

In case they are eligible to claim Free School Meals (FSM). The application is on the Gloucestershire County Council website:

<https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/education-and-learning/school-transport-and-free-school-meals/apply-for-free-school-meals/>

[Apply for free school meals - Gloucestershire County Council](#)

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Secondary School Information

(please check their websites to keep updated of any changes, additional dates etc.):

Rednock School:

Current Year 6—Rednock School Key dates for your diary!

- ◆ Y6 Information Evening 12/07/2023
- ◆ Y7 Introductory Day 14/07/2023

Current Year 5—Rednock School Key date for your diary!

- ◆ Y5 Open Morning - we have an open morning on 03/07/2023.

Marling School:

Open Mornings aimed at Y5s (and Y4s) will take place on **Wednesday 17th** and **Thursday 18th May 2023**. More information will be available here nearer the time.

A Summer Open Evening will be held on **Tuesday 20th June 2023** and more information will be available here nearer the time.

NEW YEAR 5 MAILING LIST (for those joining Y5 in September 2022)

If your son starts Year 5 in September 2022, and you are interested in receiving relevant 11+ communications for **2024 Entry** - please sign up to the **Year 5 Mailing List**, by clicking [here](#).

Stroud High School:

Our next Open Events will be Friday 28 April and Friday 30 June 2023. Final times and how to register to attend will be on our website nearer the time. In the meantime, if you would like to arrange to visit the school please contact the School Office via admin@stroudhigh.gloucs.sch.uk.

Ribston Hall High School:

Year 5s Admissions Information Morning on the 21st April.

Sir William Romney:

Y6 Induction Days are 3rd July 2023 5th July 2023

Katherine Lady Berkley:

Y6 Induction Day will be either the 4th, 5th or 6th July ,date to be confirmed .



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Cam Woodfields Infant School Contact Details

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Woodfield Nest:

We are lucky to have Pre-School, early morning and afterschool club available on our doorstep by Woodfield Nest.

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Here is the [link](#) to the next issue of [Families Gloucestershire Magazine](#)

- *Family walk downloadable challenges*
- *Free KS1 & KS2 SATs revision tools and loads more.....*



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