

# Bidford on Avon

## Church of England Primary School



### **NEWSLETTER 32 – 26<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

**Jubilee Celebrations** – We have had a fabulous week celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. On Monday we had a BSA street party, where the children enjoyed coming together to eat cake and sing the National Anthem (accompanied by our fantastic flute players). Over the rest of the week, all pupils have participated in learning about the Royal family, working with ArtBase to decorate their own Jubilee commemorative plate and a dance workshop where they learnt dance styles from the 50's through to today. A huge thank you to the BSA and Co-op who helped to support these events.



**Bell Boating** – Miss Drissell's and Miss Powell's class have been bell boating this week. They had an excellent day despite their unsuccessful attempt to paddle up the weir but they did manage to negotiate passage through 2 locks. The other KS2 classes will have their session on:

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> – Mrs Satchwell's class, Tues 7<sup>th</sup> – Miss Sheehan's class,

Weds 8<sup>th</sup> – Mr Thackway's class and Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> – Mrs Mills' class.

Please remember to make a payment contribution on Pay360.



**Open Classrooms** – Our children welcomed their parents into school at our Open Classroom event this week. We hope you enjoyed the opportunity to come in and look at some of the children's work.

**Music Tuition September 2022** – Some children received a demonstration from the woodwind teacher today, if they enjoyed it and wish to have woodwind lessons in September, please let the office know.

**Clubs** – There will be no Year 5 & 6 Boys football club Weds 15<sup>th</sup> June.

**Payment Reminder** - Please make a payment on Pay 360 for Music Summer Term tuition and Year 4 Swimming.

#### **Dates for your Diary** –

- There will be a Teacher Training Day on Fri 27<sup>th</sup> May.
- Year 2 Pirate Maths Day will be held on Weds 15<sup>th</sup> June.
- Pupil annual reports will be emailed to parents during week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> July.
- Sports Day will be held on Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> July. KS2 will be in the morning with Rec and KS1 in the afternoon.
- Parent Teacher meetings to discuss annual reports will be held on Tues 12<sup>th</sup> and Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> July.
- The school summer term will finish on Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> July.

**Book of the Week** – Children in Year 3 and 4 are reading Shakespeare stories and have started with 'Macbeth'. The story portrays the rise and fall of a Scottish nobleman whose blind ambition leads him to commit several murders in order to become king.

We hope you have a great half term break and enjoy the Jubilee Weekend.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A. Simms". The letters are cursive and slightly slanted to the right.

Mr A Simms