



Offenham C E First School

Newsletter – 16th June

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Walk in Wednesday

Thank you to those who joined us for Walk-in Wednesday, we hope you enjoyed celebrating your child's work with them.



Poppy Project



Please take some time to read the information about the Poppy Project at Cavendish Park Home - are you able to help?

Poppy Project

This year we are doing our big Poppy Project!

Bringing our wonderful community together to create a sea of knitted poppies outside of our Home.

Would you like to help us to create our sea of poppies?

We have put the poppy pattern below, but if you would like a crochet pattern please let us know.

Any poppies created, if you would like to pop them into the home, located on Offenham road in Evesham and we will add them to our sea of poppies.

We also have our Knit and natter sessions each Thursday at 11am if you would join us Please contact Kim Malyynn for any further details 01386 210010.

Knitting pattern

You will need a pair of 4mm needles, and DK red yarn and a small black button. Cast on 60sts.

Rows 1-6 Knit to end.

Row 7 (K2tog) to end (30sts)

Row 8 Slip 2- Knit 1- Slip 2 over knitted 1 to end (10sts)

Break off yarn, leaving a long tail.

Thread tail through remaining 10 sts and pull tight, then fasten yarn.

Join the edges of the poppy together and sew the black button in the centre of the poppy. Leave a strand of yarn to allow us to tie to the finished display.



Wrap Around Care

If your child is in a club but is booked in for Wrap Around Care afterwards, you will only have to pay for the Wrap Around Care and not the club charge.



HATS

Please make sure that your child has a hat in school every day regardless of the weather in the morning.



This week in Avon Class...

crept

shrubs

scrap

This week, all children in year one from both Avon and Malvern, have completed their phonics screening tests. Miss Ree was amazed by their concentration, hard work and super reading skills. Well done to all children who participated and thank you to parents who practised at home with the children. The hard work has paid off 😊

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chab



poil



Year Five Bell-Boating Adventure

Thank you to Karen for leading this session with our children – they had a thoroughly enjoyable time! Our thanks also go to Miss Aucock and Mrs Belcher for accompanying them messing about on the water. They demonstrated resilience and great team-spirit.



DIARY DATES



Wednesday 28th June.....Move Up Day
 Friday 30th June (after celebration assembly)Tea and Talk
 Friday 7th July.....Y5 leavers trio to Legoland
 Tuesday 11th July.....5.30pm KS2 Play
 Wednesday 12th July5.30pm KS2 Play
 Friday 14th July.....Fun Evening & Camp over
 Monday 17th July.....Eye Test for Reception children
TERM ENDS Friday 21st July

DIARY DATES



PTA DIARY DATES

June
 24th - Night at the Proms

Don't forget to follow Offenham First School Information Page on Facebook for more information.

Music Box



This week, in our assemblies, we've been listening to some music from the Renaissance period. We listened to 'Gaudete' sung by the King's Singers.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2KSxg9lj5r8>

Thought of the Week...

It's been so wonderful to see so much sunshine over the past couple of weeks.



Keep your face always
toward the sunshine
- and shadows will
fall behind you.

Walt Whitman

Healthy Steps to Better Life and Health

Follow this link to find out more.

<https://healthysteps.betterhealth-healthierfamilies.co.uk/signup>



Safeguarding

Metaverse and Virtual Reality Safety Tips for Parents

Take a look at this link for some advice on how to keep your child safe while using virtual reality and the metaverse.



<https://connectsafely.org/metaverse-and-vr-tips-for-parents/>



Artbox



Here is Dale Chihuly's 'Summer Sun' displayed at Kew Gardens.

REMINDERS






 **RECYCLING** - We have a recycling drop-off point in our entrance area - you can bring your pens, batteries and empty crisp packets.




REMINDER – SCHOOL MEALS
 School meals must be ordered on ParentPay by Thursday of the week before. **ANY ORDERS LATER THAN THAT WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.**

Tea and Talk 
 The next dates is 30th June. 

HATS & COATS in SCHOOL 
 Please make sure that your child has a hat and coat in school every day  regardless of the weather in the morning.

Water bottles - Children should bring a water bottle with them each day. If your child would like juice at lunch time, please send another bottle. **ONLY WATER IN CLASS.** 

Move Up Day – Transition Day
 This exciting day will take place on June 28th. Here in school, all children will move to their new classes and we will invite the new Reception starters in for a short time into their new class. Children moving to Middle school will attend their new school and details of their day will be sent out to Y5 parents from their next school.



 **Viv Bear – Bertie**
 **Cheer Bear – Steliyan**
 **Sports Award – Ellie C**



Awards This Week:




Stars of the Week


	Avon – Jessica	
	Malvern - Bertie	
	Cotswold – Egons	
	Severn – Ethan V	

Golden Apples awarded this week:


-  **Avon – Steliyan & Archie**
-  **Malvern – Myles & Emily**
-  **Cotswold – Mason & Ellie**
-  **Severn – Jackson & Logan**




Birthdays
 This week, we celebrate the birthdays of Jack A, Eze, Jack M, Summer, Olly V, Claudia, Simon and Jessica S.
 Father God, today we celebrate the birthdays of Jack , Eze, Jack, Summer, Olly, Claudia, Simon and Jessica and we say thank you that they are part of our school family. We pray that they may grow in wisdom and grace; give dignity and respect to others and that they may know your hope and joy every day.
 Strengthen and bless them on their birthday and every day throughout the next year. Amen.

 **Housepoints**

- 1st - Sapphires** with 81 housepoints
- 2nd - Emeralds** with 79 housepoints
- 3rd - Rubies** with 74 housepoints



Attendance

Avon – 93.6%	Malvern – 94.6%
Cotswold – 94.3%	Severn – 96.7%
Overall– 94.8% 