

**School and Office  
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

# Milverton Community Primary School



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## Friday Flyer

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### Diary Dates

**Year R Easter Bonnet Parade**

Thursday 24th March at 9am  
Reception parents are welcome to join us

**Easter Holidays**

Fri 25th March (inc) to Friday 8th April.  
Back to school Mon 11th April.

**Year 2 Sports Festival at Kingsmead**

Weds 20th April

**Year 5 Residential to Kilve Court**

Weds 20th April—Fri 22nd April

**Bank Holiday**

Monday 2nd May

**Half Term Break**

Monday 30th May—Friday 3rd June

**Inset Day (School closed to pupils)**

Monday 6th June

Dear Parents and Carers,

A few incidents have been reported to me recently that could have resulted in injury to a child in our car park. They could have been avoided if parents had chosen to park sensibly. **Please could I remind you all that parking on the turning circle and in the staff car park must be avoided wherever possible unless you have made arrangements with the school to pick your child up in this way. It is against school rules to park and leave your car on the turning circle as this creates a hazard for others.**

Repeat offenders will have their number plates noted and will be dealt with individually. The school car park can be busy but it is in the best interests of our children that it is used sensibly and considerately. The governors and I are looking into improving the parking situation but there are no quick solutions. The best way to avoid accidents is by considering others.

**Mr R Stead**



This week the school had an Eco day about Earth Hour. Earth Hour is an annual global celebration where people switch off their lights for one hour to show they care about the future of our planet. Earth Hour this year will take place tomorrow on Saturday 19th March from 8.30pm—9.30pm. To take part all you need to do is switch off your lights for that one hour and sign up at <http://earthhour.wwf.org.uk/>. It's a symbolic and spectacular lights out display with a big message that we want to protect the future of our planet!



'On Eco day we did lots of activities in our houses about Earth Hour and how we can look after our planet. We made lanterns from glass jars, recycled coasters, paintings of the earth and planted cress seeds. We spent the afternoon sharing an explorer session on the field with Class 1 & Class 2. We found bugs and plants and also other signs of spring. We had a great day. Our favourite thing was looking for yellow flowers and bats' *Isabel and Philippa, Class R*



### Core Offer—COMPUTING

Computing prepares pupils to participate in a rapidly changing world. Children are taught to solve problems logically and explore solutions through reasoning. They have opportunities to think creatively and analytically. They understand how to enjoy the benefits of technology and stay safe.

House Points	Weekly Total	Term Total
Horse Chestnut	116	2220
London Plane	126	2318
Blue Cedar	95	2299
Cork Oak	81	2186

## OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK!

- Class R** The **Whole of Class R** for hosting a wonderful class café and working so hard as a team.
- Class 1** **Isabelle Smith** for continuous effort and achievement in Maths and Literacy.
- Class 2** **Tristan Cox** for working really hard during phonics with his spellings and handwriting.
- Class 3** **Harvey Hayman** and **Matthew Hobbs** for excellent teamwork during our felt making morning.
- Class 4** **Poppy Tull** for always listening, trying her hardest and being a caring member of Class 4.
- Class 5** **Finley Phillips** for the effort he has made to improve his learning and his handwriting.
- Class 6** **Lydia Brown** for being such a helpful and supportive Year 6 during Eco day.

**WE WOULD LIKE TO SAY  
A BIG THANK YOU FOR  
SUPPORTING OUR  
RECENT BOOK FAIR.  
IT MADE £264.53 FOR  
THE SCHOOL TO BUY  
MORE BOOKS**

## HOCKEY



On Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March some pupils from Years 5 and 6 played hockey at Bishops Fox's School. The team was: Tom Winter, Florence Gayton, Charlotte Wade, Freya Raybould, Bella Slade (Class 5) and Josh Alford, Edward Cox, Finlay Pike, Oliver Pike (Class 6). Our first match was against St Andrews and we won 1:0. Our second match was against Lyngford Park and we won 2:0. That meant we won our pool and we went on to the finals. In the finals our first match we lost 2:1 to Danesfield. Our second match we won 2:1 so that meant we have to go to Millfield for the school games final. Milverton won the cup and got gold medals!!!!

*by Bella Slade and Josh Alford.*



## Class R's Cracking Cafe!



Class R would like to say a big THANK YOU to Ms Green, Mrs Storrs-Fox, Mrs Lovell-Brown, Ms Brown and Mrs Egerton for all their help in setting up and supporting the children in running their class café. The café was a huge success and the children worked tirelessly throughout the day taking orders, pouring drinks, serving cakes, washing up and collecting money. They showed how team work can bring about fantastic results and raised £325 for new outdoor resources. Thank you for your support. We can't wait to get shopping!!!

*Mrs Lewis*



### Holiday Camps

## Easter Holidays!!!

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April  
Bishop Fox's School in Taunton (TA1 3HQ)

9am- 4pm Everyday  
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- Are you a Facebook user?
- Do you want to develop your IT Skills?
- Have 2 to 3 hours a week to spare?
- Wish to support an important Community Project?

We are looking for Volunteers to help, support and develop the Milverton Community Website

[www.milverton-somerset.uk](http://www.milverton-somerset.uk)

We offer full training and a warm welcome to new volunteers.

Call us to discuss how you can get involved playing your part developing our Community Website.

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