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 Toasties 3.15pm - 4.30/5.45pm  
 Pre-School: 8am - 4.30pm

# FRIDAY FLYER

Newsletter No 30

14th June 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Good habits with technology start early. To promote healthy relationships with the things we enjoy (like using the internet), it is best to have some ground-rules. We all know that too much of a good thing can be bad for us. To support parents with this, we have lots of guidance on our school website here: <https://www.milvertonprimary.co.uk/Parents/Online-Safety-Information-for-Parents>

I would like to draw your attention to the 'Families with Technology Parental Guidance'. I hope this helps to facilitate family discussions about how you will establish good habits at home.

**Mr R Stead**



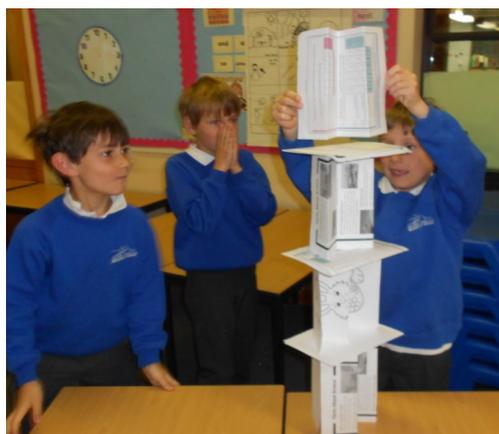
On Friday 7th June, Milverton School had a fantastic Science Day! First, we made paper towers. We started

off not being allowed to fold the roll of paper—it was extremely difficult! Next, we tried folding. Then we investigated which paper column shape was the strongest by testing how many dictionaries they could support! After that, we made 'fluttering fish'. We had to use different materials and find what material fluttered the most. We found out that tissue paper was the best.



Last, but not least, we made paper rockets. We tested the original rocket and then discussed what we would change. We discovered that jumping on the bottle that fired the rocket was worse than using your hands. You have to squish the bottle to make the plane fly! It was so much fun! The other classes did experiments including chromatography butterflies, bridges, spinners and paper planes. What a day we had! We would like to thank all the student teachers that came in to teach us and thank you to Mrs Calnon for organising this great day. We can not wait until the next one!

*by Toby and Charlie*



## Diary Dates

### Friday 21st June afternoon

Year 3 to singing concert at Wiveliscombe

### Weds 26th June

Year 4 Orienteering day at Norton Manor Camp

### Thursday 27th June

Year 5 Outdoor Education Festival at Norton Manor Camp

MSA 'Pop & Shop' at 7.30pm  
 See p2 for more details.

### Tuesday 2nd July

Class 3 & 4 Trip to Taunton Museum  
 Year 6 Court Fields transition 1

### Weds 3rd July

Move-up morning  
 Year 6 Court Fields transition 2  
 Year 6 Kingsmead transition day

### Thursday 4th July

Forest School for Class R & 1 (on Thursday due to move up day)

### Saturday 6th July 1.30-4.30pm

MSA Summer Fete

### Weds 10th July

Year R Sports Festival

### Thursday 11th July 6.30pm

Year 6 Play 'Pirates of the Curry Bean'

### Tuesday 16th July

Sports Day. Parents welcome

### Friday 19th July

Leavers' Assembly at 9.15am  
 Last day of term

## FOREST SCHOOL WEDS 19TH JUNE CLASS R

House Points	Weekly Total	Half Term
London Plane	383	383
Cork Oak	473	473
Blue Cedar	454	454
Horse Chestnut	424	424

# OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

WELL DONE!

Pre-school

*Finley* for his superb number work.

Class R

*Harry S* for quick number work.  
*Ocean* for her super story map of Jack and the Beanstalk.

Class 1

*Stan* for his amazing progress with his writing.  
*Harley* for his fantastic phonics.

Class 2

*Will* for his enthusiasm with reading at home and in school. Also, for his focus and concentration when making a clay gargoyle.

Class 3

*Finley S* for excellent time telling.  
*Daniel* for his enthralling story telling.

Class 4

*Freya, Emily N* and *Amber* for their positive attitude and hard work in Maths this week.

Class 5

*Freya B* for her outstanding Maths and writing this week.

Class 6

*Sid* for his admirable effort in learning all his lines for the play.



We didn't let a cold, damp summer's morning stop us from enjoying Forest School. It may have been miserable weather, but Class 2 were full of warmth and smiles. It was a wonderful morning full of marshmallow toasting, den building, cooking rope swinging, making bug homes, elderflower cordial and discovering nature's treasures. *Mrs Nicholls*

Last Thursday, a talented team of Year 3 and 4 children attended the annual SASP Quad Kids event at The Castle School. The children competed in 4 different athletic events and earned points collectively as a team and for personal records. In each event they participated with enthusiasm and determination. They demonstrated many of the School Games Values; working well together as a team and showing respect, sportsmanship and encouragement to all other competitors. The children should be extremely proud of their hard work and efforts. Overall the Milverton Year 3 and 4 Team achieved a commendable 8<sup>th</sup> Place out of 27 schools. Well done to you all! Thank you to the parents who transported and supported the children. *Miss Brown*

## Auction of Promises!

Bidding has already started for the MSA Auction of Promises so don't forget to check out the website to see what items have been donated and to make a bid!  
[www.auctionofpromises.com/2019MilvertonSchool](http://www.auctionofpromises.com/2019MilvertonSchool)

Online bidding closes on the 4th July and will be re-opening at the Summer Fete on 6th July until 4pm.

Happy Bidding!

**POP & SHOP**  
processco & pre-loved fashion event

Thursday 27th June, 7.30pm at Milverton School Hall

Tickets available from Monday 24th June (from MSA member by reception each morning)  
Pre-paid tickets £5 or £6 on the door

Please donate any GOOD quality Ladies & Children clothes, shoes, bags & accessories  
(From Monday 17th June, please leave in school lobby)

Come and share an evening with friends and fill your bag for a Fiver!