

TWERTON INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY



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Friday 20th May 2016

Images from this week's assembly – Tree of Imagination



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Dear Parents and Carers, Sports Days this next week

Tuesday 24th May - Nursery and Reception

Classes: Ash & Elm (YR)

Thursday 26th May – Year 1 and Year 2

Classes: Elm (Y1), Oak, Maple and Chestnut

N.B. Please make sure your child has a PE Kit in school so they can take part. Don't make the same mistake as Mr Samios and try to sprint in your suit.



Mr Samios clinching 3rd place in the Dads' race at St Michael's Sports Day; *beaten by McKenzie's dad and 17 year old Mitchel Furze (in the Dads' race!!)*



Also, please be ready to apply sunscreen to your child on the morning of Sports Day if it looks remotely like it will be a sunny day.



WANTED: *Your unwanted clothes, shoes and bags*

Please bring in any spare and unwanted clothes this next week on the following two collection days so that we can win a B&NES schools' competition.

- **Wednesday 25th May 2016**
- **Thursday 26th May 2016**



There will be a 10 minute extra playtime for the class that brings in the most clothes!

Summer Fayre – Sweet Mufti – Friday 27th



On Friday next week (27th, last day of term) children, can wear their own clothes and bring in a Teddy Bear in exchange for bringing in a bag of sweets which will then be used to make up prizes for the Summer Fayre (Friday 1st July).





Young Readers Programme

Mrs Kinnear has been very busy organising our Young Readers Programme. Earlier this term we enjoyed a “Chill and Read” session which meant we all got to read a book outside whilst enjoying an ice lolly in the sunshine!

Our next event will take place on Friday 27th May (last day of term) and is called 'Teddy Bears' Picnic' - all children can bring in their favourite bear (or soft toy) ready for a snuggly story time.

As part of this programme, all children in the school will receive 3 books of their own to keep.

A big THANK-YOU to Mrs Kinnear for organising this 😊

Updating School Database & Raffle

Next Friday we will be drawing a raffle from all the completed forms that have been returned. The prize is £30 of Marks and Spencer Gift Vouchers.



Please make sure your completed form is returned by Friday morning to be in with a chance of winning.

If you need another copy of the form then please ask the office staff.

Sainsburys Vouchers – We would be very happy to relieve you of any vouchers you still have; the deadline is coming up quickly. Thanks!

Dates for your Diary

Mon 23rd May – **Computer Club (3.15pm – 4.15pm)**

Tues 24th May – **Nursery & Reception Sports Day – (1.15pm start)**

Weds 25th May – **Please bring in unwanted clothes**

Thurs 26th May – **Please bring in unwanted clothes**

– **Year 1 & Year 2 Sports Day – (1.15pm start)**

– **Science Club with Chemical Cress (3.15pm – 4.15pm)**

– **Clay Club (3.15pm – 4.15pm)**

– **Ukulele Club (3.00pm – 3.45pm)**

Friday 27th May – **Sweet Mufti Day** – children bring in sweets and wear own clothes

– **Ash Class Assembly (2.15pm)**

– **Gym Club (3.00pm – 4.00pm)**

– **End of Term 5**

Monday 30th May – **Bank Holiday** (school closed)

Tuesday 31st May to Friday 3rd June – **Holiday** (school closed)

Monday 6th June – **INSET Day 5** (school closed for staff training)

Tuesday 7th June – **Start of Term 6**

Thursday 7th July – **Induction Evening for new parents** (6.00pm to 7.00pm)

Saturday 9th July – **Twerton's Got Talent** (at Twerton Park)

Wednesday 20th July – **9.15am Year 2 Leavers' Service**

Wednesday 20th July – **End of Term 6 and End of Academic Year**

N.B. Please do check the school website for term dates before booking holidays.

<http://www.twerton-infant-school.co.uk/cms3/drupal-6.24/?q=node/20>

Please Keep in Touch

If your child is unwell and is not able to attend school, you can send the school a text message to let us know and to explain the reason for their absence.



The number to text the school is: **07860 030358**

Office telephone numbers: **(01225) 423526 & 314745**

The school now has a new phone system which gives three options to callers; press:

1) To leave a voice message explaining the absence of your child;

2) To transfer directly to the Nursery team; or

Hold, to speak to a member of the office team. If no-one is available, please leave a message and we will call back.

Please remember that it is your responsibility to contact the school when your child is not able to attend school.