



Newsletter

22nd March 2021

Dear parents/carers,

Spring has definitely sprung! What a great time to look at the wonderful entries to the Spring Nature competition set by Mr Dougan. Mr Dougan will be looking at all the entries carefully. Thank you to all the children who took part – the standard is high so Mr Dougan has a tough task! We will let you know the winners when Mr Dougan has decided. We hope you enjoyed the changes in nature more by observing more closely this spring.

Red Nose Day



The children looked warm and snuggly in a wide array of onesies and PJs on Friday 19th March. We had Father Christmas join us (not many schools can say that in March) but my favourite onesie was a brilliant gorilla in Class1.

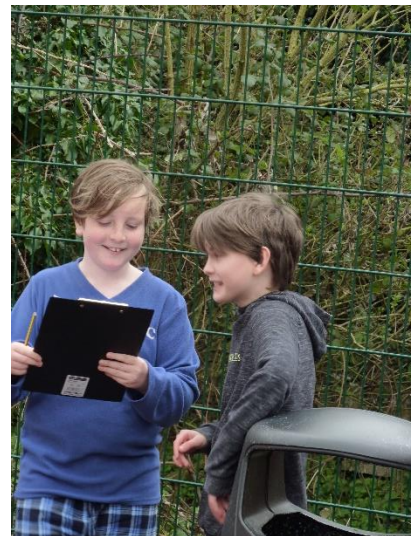
Every class enjoyed Red Nose Day in a slightly different way: Class 1 enjoyed a red nose hunt and designed a red nose; Class 2 enjoyed a talent show which included jokes, dancing, crazy handshakes, hoola-hooping and singing; Class 3 enjoyed red nose and spoon races, a jokathon and the Red Nose Day Quiz; Class 4 enjoyed a talent competition, the Red Nose Day quiz and designing a red nose; Class 5 enjoyed a red nose riddle hunt (led brilliantly by Chloe and Maude), the Red Nose Day quiz and a nose and spoon obstacle relay. Lots of smiles all round!

Thank you to the school council representatives (and Mrs Yorke & Mrs Bedwell) for organising the fun.

Thank you for your kind money donations – together we raised a wonderful **£169**. We know it will make a real difference when joined together with all the fund raising that other schools across the country are undertaking – **thank you all for you generosity.**







Parent Evenings


We are holding parent evenings on Monday 26th April and Wednesday 28th April. It will be a great opportunity for us to talk together about your child/children – please do sign up. We will undertake parent evening by phone again unless the guidance changes on how we should work after Easter. Mrs Birch will send you information on how to book an appointment soon.



Easter Egg Raffle

Thank you to everyone who has generously donated Easter eggs to the raffle which will take place on the last day of term. We have over 60 eggs so far! I have my eye on the Munchies egg – I'll be keeping my fingers crossed!

Do keep sending in your raffle ticket returns too. You can do this by popping the envelope with completed raffle ticket stubs in the box outside the office at the start of the day. Mrs Birch will bring the box in as soon as drop off is over. Thank you.

 We will pull the winning tickets in the morning of the last day of the term via Teams/Zoom. The eggs will be distributed to the children in the afternoon.



Families Gloucestershire Magazine

Families Gloucestershire magazine has moved online. There are interesting articles for families, ideas of things to do for holiday and sometimes vouchers in the magazine, Here is the **link** to their latest digital issue:

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Term Dates

Just a reminder that Spring Term ends on **Thursday 1st April** (as it is Good Friday the following day). We return for Summer Term on **Monday April 19th**. We are looking forward to the sun shining and being together again.

Thank you all for your continued support.

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Headteacher