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World Book Day

Yesterday, the school was filled with the joy of books! Throughout the day, the children celebrated reading by exploring their favourite stories, thinking about memorable characters and the exciting events that bring books to life.

They shared their own ideas through storytelling, took part in buddy reading with other classes, and used their oracy skills to present and discuss their stories with one another. It was wonderful to see their enthusiasm for reading and their confidence in sharing their thoughts. A huge thank you to everyone who kindly donated cakes for our book-themed cake sale. The proceeds will go towards updating and enriching our class libraries so the children can continue to discover and enjoy new stories

Art Day

Today the children have taken part in a wonderful Art Sculpture Day led by Artist, Darrell Wakelam. The children have learnt a variety of techniques to create a wide range of ocean creatures. We look forward to showing you the final products next week.



Pippin Class have been delighted to explore their new outdoor equipment! The children have been busy using the new mud kitchen and maths table, enjoying hands-on learning and creativity in the outdoor space. A huge thank you to the PTA and to everyone who supports these events. Your generous donations have made a real difference to our outdoor learning opportunities.



Careers Week at Lovington 16th – 20th March

Please do get in touch if you are able to support our Careers Week.

We are looking for volunteers to share information about their roles. This could include explaining what your job involves on a day-to-day basis, what skills and qualities are important in your role, and what you enjoy most about your work.

Volunteers might also talk about how they became interested in their career, the subjects they studied at school, and any challenges they overcame along the way. Please do get in touch if you are able to support us in inspiring our young learners.

Is your child learning a musical instrument?

We are looking for pupil volunteers to share their musical achievements during an upcoming celebration worship. This is a wonderful chance for

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children to build confidence, celebrate their progress, and inspire others through music.

If your child would like to take part, we would love to hear from them.



PTA News

Thank you to everyone for supporting the World Book Day Cake Sale yesterday. A total of **£56.00** was raised which will be used to purchase books for class libraries.



The PTA are also pleased to announce that the recent Smarties Challenge has raised **£111.84**. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.



Well Done Medals

Pippin Class – Independence – Teddy for his fantastic effort with his handwriting this week, making sure all his letters are formed correctly and sit on the line

Bramley – Communication – Alex for being a brilliant storyteller using her imagination as well as intonation, tone and pitch. Well done Alex!

Russet Class – Motivation – Sophia for asking for help during maths lessons to improve her understanding of converting units of measure. She has made super progress as a result.

Reading Certificates

Pippin Class: Jonty 150

Bramley Class: Orla 75, Alex 150



Kindness Cup

Dexter for sharing his book so thoughtfully during World Book Day. He took care to ensure his partner could see the pictures and encouraged them to join in with the story. Well done Dexter.

**‘Kind hearts are the garden,
Kind thoughts are the roots,
Kind words are the flowers,
Kind deeds are the fruits.’**

John Ruskin

Safeguarding

At Lovington Primary School, the safety and wellbeing of all our pupils is our top priority. If you have any concerns about a child’s welfare, please speak to our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL), Mrs Marshall or Deputy DSLs, Mrs Small or Mrs Dallard. Working together, we can ensure every child feels safe, supported, and happy at school.

Attendance and Punctuality

This week our attendance is 97.5%

Upcoming Dates

New date added

Y5/6 Football Match against Keinton Mandeville Primary	Wednesday 11 th March
KS2 Trip to Carymoor Environmental Centre	Thursday 12 th March
KS2 Cross Country Race 4	Millfield Tuesday 17 th March at 4pm
Parent /Teacher Meetings	Wednesday 18 th March 3:30 – 6pm

YR and Y6 Child Measurement Programme	Wednesday 25 th March
KS2 Cross Country Relay Team Event	Millfield Wednesday 25 th March at 1.30pm
PTA Easter Bingo	Caryford Hall, Saturday 28 th March 6pm – 8pm
Years 5 & 6 Residential Trip to Barton Hall	30.3.26 – 1.4.26
Easter Bonnet Parade	Friday 27 th March 9.30 am in the school hall
Easter Service	Thursday 2 nd April 9:30am at Church
Last day of Term	Thursday 2 nd April
Inset Day	Monday 20 th April
Return to School	Tuesday 21 st April





YEOVIL TENNIS CLUB
EASTER HOLIDAYS
TENNIS
CAMP

WED 8TH & THURS 16TH APRIL, 9AM - 3PM
 AGES 5+ | ALL ABILITIES WELCOME

£34 FOR MEMBERS	£38 FOR NON MEMBERS	5% SIBLING DISCOUNT
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EASTER Holiday Camps

Castle Cary Primary School
 Tuesday 7th - Friday 10th April
 9.00-3.00
 Multisports camp

£20 Per day
 10% Whole week discount
 15% Sibling discount

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 hello@inspiredschools.co.uk

Booking for paid places available here
<https://inspiredschools.ipalbookings.com>

FREE Happy Healthy Holiday spaces available from 10.00am on Monday 2nd March here
<https://www.sasp.co.uk/happy-healthy-holidays>

YEOVIL & SHERBORNE HOCKEY CLUB

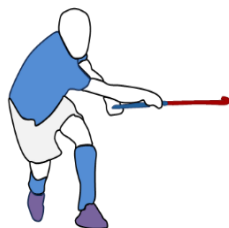


JUNIOR HOCKEY

Boys and girls of all abilities welcome, including beginners.

**Yeovil Recreation Centre,
 BA21 4AW**

Years 3 to 5, Saturdays 8:45 – 9:45am
 Years 6 to 7, Thursdays 6:15 – 7:30pm
 Years 8 to 9, Thursday 7:30 – 8:45pm



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