

# Midsomer Norton Primary School



Head teacher: Mr Alun Randell

Dear Parents & Carers,

## Maths Week

What a week! The children have been so engaged in a huge range of practical activities this week. There has been a real buzz of excitement. We have been estimating, measuring, constructing, investigating, finding and... thinking! A big thank you to Mrs Ross for organising the week and for your support. We collected over 5000 buttons!

## Sports Day

We have our fingers crossed for our re-arranged Sports Day on Monday. The weather remains very changeable. If we have no choice but to cancel we will send out a text via SchoolComms by 5:00pm on Sunday. Please remember children should bring a packed lunch and come to school in their PE kit. There will be no lunchtime or after school clubs on Monday due to Sports Day.

## Industrial Action Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July

School will be open as usual on this date with all classes operating as usual.

## Staffing and Classes for next year

It is with regret that we must announce that Miss Lizzy Cross and Mr George Rodd will be leaving the school at the end of the year. We wish them all the best for their new adventures! I would also like to announce the appointment of Miss Charlotte Johns who will be teaching Venus class next year.

### *The teachers for next year are:*

Sun Class (Nursery): Mrs Chinnery /Mrs Comber

Star Class (Rec): Ms Waters

Moon Class (Rec): Mrs Hinder/ Mrs Young

Mars Class (Y1/2): Miss Dodington

Pluto Class (Y1/2): Miss Plummer

Venus Class (Y1/2): Miss Johns

Uranus Class (Y3/4): Mrs De Quidt

Neptune Class (Y3/4): Mrs Boyce

Saturn Class (Y3/4): Mrs Hughes/ Mrs Forster

Jupiter Class (Y5/6): Miss Cole

Earth Class (Y5/6): Mrs Ross/ Mrs Cook

Mercury Class (Y5/6): Mr Pipe

The children were informed of their class and teacher this morning and have taken a letter home confirming the information. As mentioned last week, Shuffle Up Day is on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July with Shuffle Up Morning on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July.

## Reports

Your child's End of Year Report will be sent home on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July. Although we have already held our formal two Parents Evenings, staff will be available on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July. Please contact your child's class teacher if you would like to



## Online payments

As we said in previous newsletters, we plan to go 'cashless' from September. If you have not already signed up to the School Gateway please take some time to set up your login and let us know in the office if you have any problems.

**We would be grateful if you could make payments online during term 6 so that we can iron out any issues before September**

## Sports Day

Please note that if we are not able to go ahead with Sports Day On Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July due to poor weather again then unfortunately we will have to cancel it for this year as due to a busy term we simply will not have time

## Clubs

Next week is the last week that after school clubs will run with the exception of Art & Cookery which will run for one further week in the w/c 13 July

## Library Books.

No library books will be issued after Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June. Please ensure that all outstanding books are returned commencing Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June. Thank you.

## Online School Uniform Shop

Don't forget that you can order school uniform online at [www.mapac.com](http://www.mapac.com)

meet to discuss the report.

### Sports News

Our very new and inexperienced Lacrosse team came 19th in the country at the national finals in Sheffield! The team played some teams from huge schools with a vast amount more experience than us. A huge thank you to the parents and Mr Andrew for giving up their weekend to travel up to Sheffield with the team.

We sent two teams to the B&NES Year 5 Kwik Cricket event yesterday. Both teams competed well. Our A team made it to the final of the plate competition.

Please bring in slips for the Year 5/6 Sports Awards Evening as soon as possible. Please also return any hoodies and t-shirts back as soon as possible. Thank you

### PSG

And finally, the current PSG committee stood down at the AGM on Monday and we have not had any volunteers come forward. There is a very real danger that the fundraising and community events they organise will come to an end. I would like to say thank you to committee for doing an excellent job and making a real difference to all the children in the school.

To explore different ideas for how we could move forward and what the PSG and fundraising events might look like in future, we would like to invite you to an informal coffee morning in the school studio hall, 9:00am, Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July. Biscuits provided! Please see today's letter from the PSG for more details.

Have a lovely weekend,

Alun Randell  
Head Teacher



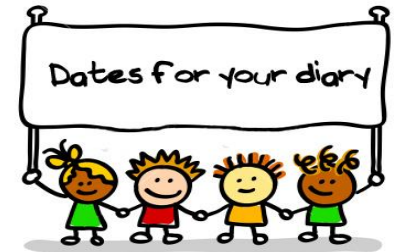
## News



Don't forget that you can catch up with what's going on in school on our twitter feed:

<https://twitter.com/MSNPrimary>

Letters home this week:



Mon 4 July - Sports Day  
Weds 6 July - Parents of current reception children meeting re Year 1 9am.

Thu 7 July - Shuffle up Day  
Fri 8 July - Clubs finish for T6 except Cookery and KS1 Art club which will run for an extra week.

Mon 11 July - 2:00-3:00 Teddy Bears picnic for new reception children.

Thu 14 July - Y6 Leavers Trip to Avon Valley



Fri 15 July - Sports Award Evening

Mon 18 July - Y6 Leavers Disco

Wed 20 July - Y6 Leavers Presentation

Wed 20 July Last Day of Term

Thu 21 July - INSET Day

 **Head Teacher Awards**   
Megan Amber Emily Joe  
Angel Sam Amber Zac  
Lois William Tabitha

 **Gold Awards** 

*For demonstrating exemplary behaviour...*

*Sophie Ellie Summer Megan*

*Olivia Natalia Connor Keira*

*Ellie Poppie Cerys Isabelle*



**Birthdays**

**Happy Birthday this week to the following children!!**

**Lilli-Ana Charlie Spencer**