



Glenfall News

...a newsletter to inform the school community about the day to day life of our school.

Thursday 29th March 2018



A word from the head.....

It has been a full and vibrant half term with the school being represented at many events across Cheltenham. We ended the term with an uplifting Easter Celebration with songs, poems and action rhymes from all of the classes from across the school. Please be reminded that the school closes today for the Easter Holiday and reopens on 16th April.

This week the school fielded two teams for the Rotary Quiz which was hosted at Warden Hill Primary School. The teams competed well and answered an eclectic range of questions they finished 4th and 6th and were rewarded with Easter Eggs for their labours. Thank you Mr Hill, Miss Cox & Miss DW for preparing the children for the quiz and for taking them to the event.

The Newlands Tag Rugby Festival was held last week and again the school was represented at the event. The children played many games of rugby across the day. Mr Radley took the team to the festival and commented on how well the children behaved and played together as a team. The school was also represented at an inter school football tournament hosted at St Edwards School. The team played five matches winning one, drawing two and losing two. Once again the children represented the school well and competed well together as a team.

It was wonderful to see so many parents in school this week for The Grandmothers Tea Party and the Reception Class learning journal tea. Year 1 & Y2 have thoroughly enjoyed their topic on an Island Home and learning about life on an Island from the Katie Morag Books. I was a little surprised to hear them singing a song about pushing a Granny off a bus!!!

House Gymnastics was another highlight of this week which saw Rowling coming first followed by Donaldson, Morpurgo and Rosen

The Summer Term is packed with lots of exciting things like topic trips, science week and a Spelling Bee to name a few.

I hope that we get some more Spring like weather and that you get to spend some time out and about with your families.

**Have a great Easter
Anthony Mitchell**



The Hobbit

On Monday 16th April the children are going to be treated to a performance of The Hobbit by a travelling theatre company.



At a recent staff meeting it was suggested that the teachers would recommend some good books that parents could read with their children. The books selected are staff favourites or ones recommended to them on courses or from other sources.

KS 1 Selection

- The Book With No Pictures by B.J Novak (very funny when reading aloud!).
- Dinosaurs by Matt Sewell (beautiful information book on dinosaurs).
- The Pirates Next Door by J Duddle (very funny)

KS2 Selection

- Letters from the Lighthouse by Emma Carroll
- The Legend of Podkin One Ear by Kieran Larwood
- Time Travelling with a Hamster by Ross Welford



Diary Dates



March

- 12th March - Parent/Teacher meetings 3.40pm - 5pm
- 13th March - Parent/Teacher meetings 3.40pm - 6.30pm
- 21st March - Tag Rugby Festival - Newlands
- 23rd March - Football Tournament
- 28th March - Easter Cake Sale
- 29th March - School Closes for Easter at 2pm

April

- 16th April - Term Starts
- 27th April - Production of The Hobbit - Whole School
- Y4 'In The Net' at CKJS

Advanced notice of a few dates:

- 11th May - FrOGS Disco
- 15th June - Lido Family Night
- 28th June - Sports Day at 1pm
- 30th June - Summer Fair
- 6th July - Reports out to parents
- 20th July - Leaver's Assembly

Reminders

Parent Pay

Please remember to keep your account in credit each week. Your child may be refused a lunch if your account is not in credit. Please be reminded that if your child accidentally orders a meal and they have brought sandwiches in from home you will be charged for that meal. You will also have received a letter informing you a price increase. Meals will now cost £2.30



Keep us up to date

If you have moved house, changed telephone numbers or set up a new email account please let the office know so that we can accurately maintain our records to ensure that we can contact you in case of an emergency and communicate with you



UPDATE YOUR DETAILS

Music Diary Dates

19th June

Orchestra will perform at St Marks day Centre

3rd July

Summer Concert at Holy Apostles



FrOGS Information



100 Club March Winners

1st prize, £20, Jacqui Stubbings, 2nd Prize, £10, Adele Kendall, 3rd Prize, Rachel Bolton

Diary Dates

Disco – Friday 11th May

Lido Family Night: Friday 15th June (7.30pm-10.30pm)

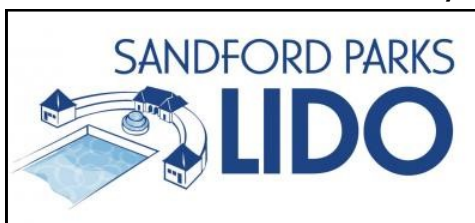
Summer Fair: Saturday 30th June (12noon – 2pm)

Disco

The last disco of this academic year is on Friday 11th May. Don't miss it!

Lido evening

We are planning a lido evening for Glenfall families on Friday 15th June. Please put the date in your diary and look out for more details around school, in the newsletter and in your dedicated Frogs newsletter which is coming to you soon!



Cake Sale

The Easter Cake Sale raised over £173 - Thank you for your support



A few things.....

ARCHERY

FROM £16 PER DAY!

CAMPS FOR 5-12 YEARS

ULTIMATE FRISBEE

DODGEBALL

FOOTBALL

TRI-GOLF

TENNIS

BALCARRAS & GRANGEFIELD SCHOOLS

MOVE MORE CAMPS

ACTIVE HOLIDAY CAMPS FOR CHILDREN!

Book Now for our 2018 Camps at Balcarras in Charlton Kings & Grangefield in Bishops Cleeve!!

MOVE MORE CAMPS

Our camps are for children who are aged 5-12 years old. They are not just about sport, but children enjoying being active through a variety of fun games and activities.

Move More Camps are delivered by Cheltenham & North Tewkesbury School Sport Network. We have been delivering in schools for over 10 years, improving the level of PE and school sport. 45 primary schools are members of the network and each year we have over 10,000 children attend events and deliver various different initiatives & programmes to over 17,000 children.

Session	Day Rate
Half Day AM 09:00-12:30	£16.00
Half Day PM 13:00-15:30	£12.00
Full Day 09:00-15:30	£20.00
Maximum Day 08:30-17:30	£24.00

DISCOUNTS APPLY FOR SIBLINGS TOO!
1 CHILD X 5 DAYS = 20% OFF
2 CHILDREN X 3 DAYS = 20% OFF
3 CHILDREN X 2 DAYS = 20% OFF

To register please visit www.movecamps.co.uk or call 01242 711326

CSN
Cheltenham & North Tewkesbury School Sport Network

SuperStars Holiday Course at Glenfall Primary School
Tuesday 3rd – Friday 6th April

FREE SuperStars water bottle when you book by 16th March

Hurry! Don't miss your chance to enjoy a worry-free school holiday this Easter.

Brilliant news! We still have a few places left on the holiday course we're running at your school this Easter. But you need to book soon as they can go fast.

Why your kids will love SuperStars:
They'll get to spend their days enjoying lots of fun, action-packed activities.

Why you'll love SuperStars:
You'll know your children are safe and happy. In the care of experienced staff.

Two easy ways to book
1 Visit www.super-stars.org.uk/2018courses
2 Call us on 0845 241 3682

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Developing Bright Futures

Don't miss out! Book now to secure your place.
Plus get a FREE SuperStars water bottle for your child

Course fees

Course duration	Mini Stars (Age 4) 8.45am – 1.00pm	SuperStars (Age 5+) 8.45am – 3.30pm
1 day	£18.50	£21.50
2 days	£33.00	£43.00
3 days with discount	£42.50	£57.50
4 days with discount	£52.50	£72.50

Book by Friday 16th March to guarantee your child's place and avoid a 10% late booking fee

Call us on 02920 090503 or book online at www.super-stars.org.uk

"Such a fantastic club. My three children absolutely love it and go every holiday. Thank you for looking after them so well."
Parent from Penarth

SuperStars also has an early bird start time of 8.45 am for those who need it

We need to make sure we have the correct ratio of staff to children for our courses. If you book late or on the day, we may need to add extra cover at short notice. If we have no staff available we may not be able to accept your child on the course.

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Charlton Kings Parish Council

Do you want to make a difference to your local community?

Parish Council Elections

- Charlton Kings Parish Council is looking for new Councillors
- A new council will be elected on **3rd May 2018** and due to the recent change to the parish boundary the number of Councillors will increase from 15 to 17
- To qualify to become a Parish Councillor, you will need to have lived or worked in Charlton Kings or to have lived within 4.8km of the Parish for the last 12 months

Why Charlton Kings Parish Council?

- CKPC is a progressive Council, committed to delivering valued and cost-effective services for the benefits of its residents, whilst preserving Charlton Kings' historic village atmosphere and qualities
- The current Parish Plan includes a number of exciting new projects, details of which can be found on the Council's website www.charltonkingsparishcouncil.gov.uk



Please don't delay. If you are interested in joining the Parish Council, please contact the Clerk, Liz Dowie by **29th March 2018** for more information about the election process: ✉ clerk@charltonkingsparishcouncil.gov.uk ☎ 01242 250087

Special Olympics Gloucestershire Athletics Club

Where: Cricket Hall, Leisure @,
Cheltenham, GL50 4RN
When: Every Friday
Time: 4.30pm – 5.30pm
First session FREE!



The club is open to children aged 6 - 16 with learning disabilities and their siblings to take part in and enjoy. Every week we run, throw and jump across all athletic disciplines with experienced, engaging coaches!

Please note: It is with regret that the venue is currently inaccessible for wheelchair users



Contact Jenny Rutter for more information and to book your place.
Email: jenny@novasportsandcoaching.co.uk Phone: 07880 743453



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Cheltenham Town Ladies SSE Wildcats Centre
Weekly from Tuesday, 10th April 6-7pm
at All Saints' Academy, Blaisdon Way
Cheltenham GL51 0WH
Email: ctladiesyouth@gmail.com

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GLENFALL HOUSE

