



Glenfall News

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

Friday 30th September 2022



A word from the head.....

I hope that you have all had a good week. The weather seems to be shifting into Autumn and the leaves are starting to fall all around the school now and we've had a couple of wet playtimes this week - those lovely summer days seem such a long time ago now.



The Y6 children have been on their residential visit to Condover Hall in Shropshire this week and, by the looks of the pictures below, they have had a fantastic week away. I'm sure that they will be full of many exciting stories of their week and the amazing experiences that they will have had. Mr Radley and Mrs Newdeck have reported back on how well the children have represented the school whilst they were away. Well done Year 6.

The new reception children are really starting to settle into their new routines and this week they have all been trying out staying for lunch and an afternoon. On Monday they will all be in school full time.

The London Marathon is taking place this weekend and there a couple of our parents taking part in the race. We hope that you have a good day and the school community will be sending you positive thoughts as you take on this enormous challenge. Good luck.

Have a good weekend,

Anthony Mitchell



FrOGS Updates

- 100 Club. Please register for the 100 club as soon as possible and let's see if we can exceed the 128 members that we had last year.
- Volunteers—FrOGS are looking for lots of parents to help out at events throughout the year. If you would be happy to be added to a list of willing volunteers, please click the link below to register your support. FrOGS will only use your contact details regarding volunteering. FrOGS will add you to a FrOGS Volunteers WhatsApp group and contact you in the run up to events to see if you are able to help out. <https://forms.office.com/r/QwqQWid0UC>
- **Events to look out for:** Cake Sales, Discos, Christmas Fair, Quiz/ Bingo Night, and **GlenFest** - a special event to celebrate 50 Years of Glenfall School.
- Rags2Riches on 3rd November 2022 - All of the clothes donated are going to Ukraine this year.





Upcoming Dates

October

- 7th October - Y5 Visit to Skillzone
- 11th October - School Beat Officer visit to Y6
- 14th October - Harvest Celebration - 9.30
Open classrooms after Harvest
- 18th October - Parents Evenings 3.30 - 6pm
- 19th October - Reception Intake 2023 - Tour of school - 1.45
- 20th October - Parents Evenings 3.30 - 6pm
- 21st October - Term ends for Half Term
- 31st October - Term starts
Deadline for secondary school applications

Change of time

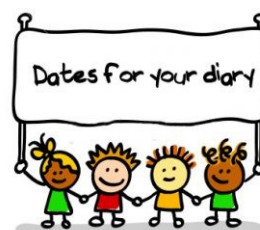


November

- 1st November - Teams4U Shoebox appeal collection
Reception Intake 2023 - Tour of school - 9.15
- 3rd November - Governors Meeting
- 9th November - Reception Intake 2023 - Open Afternoon - 1.45pm
- 16th November - Individual School Photographs
- 18th November - Children in Need Day
- 25th November - INSET - School closed to pupils
- 28th November - INSET - School closed to pupils

December

- 1st December - Governors Meeting
- 5th December - Bikeability - Y6
- 6th December - Whole School Pantomime Visit
- 7th December - KS2 Christmas Celebration at Holy Apostles - 6.30
- 13th December - KS1 Nativity at 2pm
- 14th December - KS1 Nativity at 2pm
- 15th December - Whole Christmas Lunch
- 16th December - Term ends at 2pm for Christmas



January

- 3rd January - Term starts

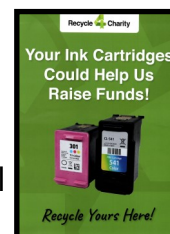
Battery Recycling

We now have a battery recycling point at the school. You are welcome to bring your old batteries to school to be recycled. You will find the battery recycling point in the entrance hall opposite the office.



Printer Ink Cartridge Recycling

We are now able to recycle your old printer ink cartridges. Please deposit your cartridges into the box in the Reception area, next to the battery recycling. By donating your empty cartridges for recycling you will help to raise funds for the school as well as helping to save the planet.





A few things.....



**SIR THOMAS RICH'S
GLOUCESTER**

OPEN DAYS

Wednesday 19 & Thursday 20 October

We warmly invite prospective pupils and their parents to join us at the School for our Open Days on Wednesday 19 and Thursday 20 October, and for our Open Evening on Thursday 20 October. Hear from current students, the Headmaster and the Head of Year 7 about admissions, transition from Year 6, pastoral care, the curriculum and the wide range of extracurricular opportunities on offer at Sir Thomas Rich's.

See www.strschool.co.uk for full details and to book your place



HALLOWEEN Disco

" KIDS, BRING YOUR PARENTS! "

FRIDAY 28TH OCTOBER @ CHARLTON KINGS CLUB

6:30PM - 10:00PM

MEMBERS & NON MEMBERS WELCOME

GAMES WITH PRIZES KIDS DRINKS FROM £1.00

DEALS ON DRINKS FOR ADULTS

BEST ADULT FANCY DRESS PRIZE

BEST CHILD FANCY DRESS PRIZE

SPOOKEY DISCO

FREE ENTRY

PARENTS MUST ACCOMPANY ANY CHILDREN THEY BRING AT ALL TIMES



Pate's Grammar School

NURTURING EXCELLENCE



Pate's Open Evening

Tuesday 4th October 2022, doors open 5pm

(no pre-booking required, just drop in)

Head Master's presentations will take place
at 5.15pm & 6.30pm.

There will be student-guided tours of the school, and staff will be available to answer any questions. Pupils are invited to join in with experiments and demonstrations, as well as tackle the climbing wall!
(There will be parking on-site)

Please note that Pate's Sixth Form Open Evening will take place on
Tuesday 24th January 2023.

Pate's is a free grammar school for boys and girls aged 11-18 years.

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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 effectively.

Your most up to date email and phone number is the most important.



UPDATE YOUR DETAILS