



NEWSLETTER

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DIARY DATES

OCTOBER

Sat 3rd 1 - 4pm approx
Bell Boating Regatta Bidford

Sun 4th 9.15am

Harvest Family Communion

Tues 6th

Class 3 & 4 Stone Age

Workshop

Tues 6th 1.30pm

Open Afternoon for Reception
2016

Fri 9th

Autumn Creation Competition

Sat 10th 12 - 2pm

PTA Coffee & Conkers

Tues 13th 1.30pm

Open Afternoon for Reception
2016

Thurs 15th 9.30am

Open Morning for Reception
2016

Fri 23rd

Teacher Training Day

Mon 26th - Fri 30th

Half Term

NOVEMBER

Mon 2nd

Teacher Training Day

Tues 3rd

Back to School

Tues 3rd

School Photographs

Class 3 will be sharing their
learning in **Celebration**

Assembly Friday 9th October
at 2.45pm

Harvest Festival

We all enjoyed our Harvest service today. All classes performed their contributions to the service with enthusiasm and confidence. It gave us all great pleasure to hear the singing and poetry recitals and we are very grateful for all the hard work that staff and pupils have put into preparing for the service. A special mention must go to Mrs Staples-Grantham and the TG choir who have willingly given up their lunchtimes to rehearse; the quality of your singing is a reflection of your commitment – this is a great start to your musical year. We are also very grateful to the TG mums who provided the wonderful refreshments which we enjoyed back in our school hall.



A huge thank you to all our families who have contributed Harvest gifts, this year the monetary gifts and proceeds from the Harvest sale will be given to the Arden Food Bank to support families in need in our local area. Any left-over produce will be donated to Caring Hands in Evesham who provide hot meals for those in need.

Bell Boating



Yesterday Mrs Gray, our Class 4 pupils and four intrepid TG mums spent the day on the River Avon at Bidford perfecting the art of bell boating. The children had a fantastic time and we are looking forward to cheering them on as they compete in the inter-school regatta this Saturday. Many thanks to our parent volunteers who came along to help crew the boats.

Book Fair

Our thanks to all families who have purchased items at the book fair this week – we wish you happy reading!. We have gained over £150 of new books for the school which will supplement gaps in our AR library. We are very grateful to the TG mums who volunteered to help run the stall each evening.



Ground Force Morning/ PTA Clear Up

We would like to say a huge thank you to all the TG families who gave their time so generously last Saturday morning to help tidy the school grounds. I am sure that you will all agree they did a tremendous job. The PTA cupboard has now been cleaned out and reorganised which should make the running of future events much easier. If anyone could spare an hour to come in and label the shelves, please let the office know.

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Coffee and Conkers



Next Saturday, 10th October is our Coffee and Conkers event and all families and friends are most welcome to join us for some seasonal autumn fun. If you are able to help with the running of the event, please sign up on the sheets that have been put up in the parents' shelter.

Autumn Creations

The PTA will again be providing prizes for the children's Autumn Creations competition. All entries should be brought into school on Friday morning and taken straight to the hall where tables will be set out ready to display them.



KS2 Stone Age Day



Class 3 and 4 will be travelling back in time next Tuesday when they will be exploring life in Stone Age Britain. We are looking forward to seeing the children in their costumes which we hope will help to immerse them in the experience. Please return any remaining permission slips by Monday.

Music Lessons

Due to Bell Boating and Harvest Festival some piano and guitar lessons have been missed this week. These will be made up later in the term.