

October

# PRIMROSE LANE POST

2026



Dear Parents & Carers,

We have had a super seven weeks and they have been so busy that the time has flown by. Right at the beginning of the half-term the children were lucky enough to experience some lessons delivered by staff from Coram Life Education. These sessions were all PSHE based and covered topics such as *taking care of our feelings, meet the brain, it's great to be me*. These are always really well received by the children and they participate well.



We have already elected our new school council members and they have made a positive start to the new year. I am looking forward to working with them throughout the year on various projects. Next half-term we will be working together to develop a survey to send out to all children to find out how happy and safe they all feel at Primrose.

On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October, we held our Harvest celebration and were joined by residents of Wyndham Park. Thank you for your generous donations that have been delivered to the Lord's Larder. The celebration was made all the more special because we had the choir singing some specific songs for us and the Year 6 school council members did the narration.

This half-term we had our first 'belonging' afternoon where the children got together in their 'Houses'. This was a great success and well received by the children who relished the opportunity to work/play alongside different pupils and we will continue to hold these afternoons throughout the year.

Thank you to all of you who took the time to fill in the survey about 'transition'. Please see the section in this edition of the Primrose Post that gives feedback regarding your answers.

I hope you have a super half-term break and I look forward to seeing you in November.

Annie Sherrard

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**After School Clubs:-**

We have all really enjoyed delivering the after-school clubs this half-term and they will continue after the half-term break for the four weeks, ending on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November. There are photos of the clubs out in the entrance foyer and hopefully your child/ren come home full of enthusiasm about what they have been doing.

## Dates for your Diary

### November -

- 2nd—INSET Day
- 3rd—First day back
- 9th—No screen day
- 10th—Rainbow Club
- 10th—ESFA Small Schools Football Tournament
- 12th—ESFA Girls Football Tournament
- 16th—Book Fayre arrives (details to follow)
- 17th—Individual School Photos
- 19th—ESFA Fun Football Tournament
- 20th—FOPS Non School uniform day (Hamper Donations)
- 27th—FOPS Non School uniform day (Hamper Donations)
- 28th—WPA Christmas Fayre

### December -

- 1st—Hamper Squares (sent home)
- 4th—FOPS Non School uniform day (small smellies & gifts)
- 4th—FOPS Christmas Film Night
- 8th—Rainbow Club
- 9th—Christmas Dinner & Wear a Christmas Jumper
- 15th—KS1 Nativity (9am)
- 16th—KS1 Nativity (9am)
- 17th—KS1 Nativity (9am)
- 18th—LAST DAY OF TERM

### January—

- 4th—FIRST DAY BACK

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**PLPS - Transition survey results – October 2026 44/210 responses (20%).**

| Question                                                                                 | Responses                                                                                                                                                                        | Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| How well has your child settled into class?                                              | 3/44 – not very well<br>9/44 – quite well<br>32/44 – very well                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| How happy does your child seem at school?                                                | 41/44 – mostly happy or very happy                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| How confident does your child feel in their new class?                                   | 40/44 – quite confident or very confident.                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| How well has your child developed relationships with their new teacher and other adults? | 44/44 – quite well or very well.                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| How well do you feel the school supported your child during the transition?              | 38/44 – very well<br>6/44 – quite well                                                                                                                                           | All the teachers are very helpful *and understanding<br>*All information provided via app/ letter / verbally<br>*Meet the teacher and transition booklets were really helpful                                                   |
| Did you receive enough information about what to expect during the transition?           | 3/44 – no<br>41/44 – yes                                                                                                                                                         | *My child was given a leaflet with photos in which he enjoyed looking at.<br>*All the information at the meet the teacher evening was thorough and covered all we needed to know. A great opportunity to ask any questions too. |
| How effective was communication between you and the school in the lead up to transition? | 1/44 - not very effective<br>(There have been no comment from the parent who deemed that communication was not effective.)<br>10/44 – mostly effective<br>33/44 – very effective | *Always feel well informed<br>*We knew everything we needed to in good time<br>*My child was already familiar with her teacher before going into her class                                                                      |
| How well has the new teacher understood and responded to your child's needs?             | 2/44 – not very well<br>(There have been no comments from the 2 parents who deemed a lack of understanding from the teacher.)<br>8/44 – quite well<br>34/44 – very well          | *Nothing to add. She's been great<br>*We are very happy and reassured as she appears to understand my son and his needs very well.<br>*Teacher is very knowledgeable and very helpful and supportive in my child's needs.       |

Whilst it is always lovely to read the positive comments about our provision here are a few comments that we need to consider:

| Comment                                                                                                                                 | Action                                                                                         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| **** is finding it hard to settle in her new class.                                                                                     | Class teacher will follow this up with the parents.                                            |
| The transition period (Red class) was a bit long for us ..... that being said it's nice to see the children eased into the new routine. | Annie Sherrard and Abi Nathan to discuss and review transition period.<br>Feedback to parents. |
| Half- days for the first 3 weeks (Red class) was not required for my child.                                                             | Annie Sherrard and Abi Nathan to discuss and review transition period.<br>Feedback to parents. |
| Unsure whether my child's needs are being met, learning plans are being filtered down.                                                  | Class teacher will follow this up with the parents.                                            |
| 'Did you receive enough information about what to expect during the transition?' - No                                                   | Parent will be invited to discuss responses.                                                   |

## Red Class (Year R)

### Settling into School Life

What a fantastic start to school life my Reception children have made! I am incredibly proud of how well the children have settled into Red Class and how confidently they are beginning to find their way around school. The transition into Reception is a big step for children, and they have shown wonderful resilience, enthusiasm and determination as they have become familiar with new routines, adults, friends and expectations.

Our topic this term is 'Me and My World', which has provided lots of opportunities for the children to talk about themselves, their families, their interests and the world around them. Through our learning and play, the children have been getting to know one another, developing friendships and beginning to understand what it means to be part of our school community.

A key part of our transition has been learning about the Primrose Lane Golden Rules. The children have been talking about what these rules mean and how we can show them every day. I have been particularly impressed with the way the children are learning to be kind and respectful, look after our classroom and resources, listen to others and make positive choices. These important foundations will support them throughout their time at school.

I have also been celebrating the children's achievements. Each week, children have the opportunity to receive Achievement Certificates and be recognised as our Star of the Day. These celebrations provide a lovely opportunity to acknowledge children's individual successes, whether that is trying something new, showing kindness, demonstrating resilience, making progress with their learning or simply being a fantastic friend. I love seeing the children's faces light up when their efforts are recognised!



Another important part of settling into school life has been staying for lunch. The children have quickly become familiar with our lunchtime routines and have enjoyed sitting together with their friends and trying the variety of foods available on the school menu. Lunchtime is not only an opportunity to enjoy a healthy meal but also helps the children to develop independence, social skills and confidence.

Many of my children have also been making use of Breakfast Club and After School Club. For some children, this has meant gradually building up to a much longer day than they have previously experienced. They have done brilliantly, developing their resilience and becoming increasingly confident with the routines of a full school day. I am very proud of how they are adapting and showing their growing independence.

Home Learning has now begun, giving the children opportunities to share their learning and experiences with you at home. I really value the support that parents and families provide with this. Spending a little time talking about what your child has learned, reading together, practising key skills and encouraging them to complete their home learning activities will help your child to develop positive learning habits from the very beginning. Your encouragement and involvement will give your child the best possible start to their homework journey.

It has been wonderful to see my Reception children grow in confidence over these first few weeks. They are becoming increasingly independent, forming friendships, learning our routines and developing a real sense of belonging within Primrose Lane. I am so proud of them and look forward to seeing all the exciting learning and achievements that lie ahead!

Mrs Nathan



## Orange Class (Year 1)

The children have all settled incredibly well into Year 1, and we are so pleased with how they have started the year!

In Phonics, we have been revisiting our Phase 3 sounds and sight words, as well as beginning to learn some Phase 5 sounds.

In Literacy, we have been learning the story Red Ted at the Beach. The children have worked hard to learn and retell the story, as well as writing the beginning, middle and end of their own stories.

In Maths, we have been learning about place value within 10 and practising addition and subtraction within 10.

The children have also enjoyed our wider curriculum topics. In History, the children loved taking part in our toys workshop, where they were able to play with toys from the past and make their own thaumatropes. I would also like to thank all of the family members who came to our Toy Museum afternoon. The children loved hearing all about the toys you used to play with and it was a lovely afternoon to conclude our topic.

In Science, we have been learning about different materials, and in Art, we have been exploring primary colours and creating portraits.

Thank you to all the parents and carers who attended Parents' Evening. It was lovely to talk about how well the children have settled and share their hard work.

We hope you all have a lovely half-term break!



## Yellow Class (Year 2)

What a fantastic start to the new year we have had! We have started English with the story 'Caterpillar's shoes' and moved on to 'On The Way Home' which we innovated and wrote our own version. The children used their imaginations and produced some wonderful writing. We have ended this half term with instruction writing on how to make a monster pizza! We then made our own pizzas.

In Maths we have been recapping our numbers to 20 and to 100. We have ordered numbers and compared them. Now, we have started our topic of addition and subtraction which we will continue with after half term.

In History we have been learning about Florence Nightingale. We have learned lots of information about her life and the advances she contributed to nursing.

In Science we have been learning about Habitats. The children enjoyed our micro-habitats search around the school although due to the weather we weren't very successful!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for such a positive start to Year 2 and also thank you for taking the time to help with reading and homework at home. It really does make a huge difference. Have a lovely half term and I cannot wait to see everyone back after the holidays.





# Rainbow



We have had a lovely start to the new academic year and the children have settled back in to our daily routine really well. In literacy, we have focused on different types of text exploring both fiction and non-fiction in the form of instructions. We have learnt to write instructions and learnt why instructions are useful to us in everyday life our example was 'Making a Jam Sandwich'.

In Maths, we have been focusing on addition and subtraction within 0-10 and we have used lots of resources to help us secure this knowledge, the children have worked really hard at this.

Our Focus in Rainbow room for this term is 'Ourselves' and we are incorporating this across all our topics. In science we have been learning about our bodies, we have linked this to PSHE and have been learning how to look after our bodies. We have learnt how important it is to brush our teeth and our hair. We have also learnt about the importance of keeping our hands clean. In Art we have been focusing on Autumn and been using our fine motor skills to create some lovely autumnal pictures.

We have also been able to join Miss Wright and Green Class regularly, joining in with PE and computing. We also joined in with a martial arts taster session which was lovely. Spending time in Green Class is really helping the children to build confidence and create social opportunities which the children are enjoying and its lovely to watch new friendships forming.

Have a lovely break and we look forward to seeing you all next half term.

## Green Class (Year 3)

All children have settled well into Year 3 and have been enthused about the topics and subjects we have covered so far. We have been working hard to meet the expectations of behaviour and effort needed to succeed in Key Stage 2. When I asked the children about what they'd like to share with you this half term they replied:

'I've really liked English, the Wishgranter story was great! We like learning new stories and our class book is funny'.

'I've loved having the Green Class teachers work with us.'

'I enjoyed meeting Harold when our visitor came in (SCARF PSHE).'

'I can't wait to make tacos, make a whole class volcano (in the Summer), learn about magnets and make our Stone Age spears'. 'I can't wait for our school trip.'

As you can see, Autumn 2 will likely be a messy but fun half term. It has been wonderful getting to know the children individually, they are a wonderful class who respect one another and care deeply about being part of our 'Green Class Crew'. Thank you for making time at Parent's evening to connect and catch up about your children's progress – it is great to hear all the extra bits that are going on at home to support the work going on in school. Adults in Green look forward to seeing the children's Pick 'N' Mix homework when we return.

Wishing you a restful break and we look forward to welcoming you back shortly.



## Blue Class (Year 4)

Blue Class have had an amazing start to the academic year, both in our learning as well as in establishing strong relationships with each other.

In English, we spent time familiarizing ourselves with a non-chronological report about the Sneaglegator.

The children really enjoyed finding out about generalisers, subheadings and technical vocabulary. This report inspired us to be scientists ourselves and to create our own non-chronological reports about two-part or even three-part animals that we had created. Lots of our lovely class even went home and created some of their own reports for extra homework.

Within our maths lessons, we have developed our understanding of place value by placing 4 digit numbers on an empty number lines, rounding numbers to 10, 100 and 1000 as well as comparing numbers using greater than, less than and equals to. The children then started their studies of adding two four-digit numbers without grouping and then regrouping. Well done Blue class for grasping this so well. Our knowledge of our multiplication times tables has greatly improved each week. Remember to go on TT Rockstars over half term.

The children have loved the practical activities and experiments of our Science topic 'Teeth and the Digestive system' this half term. The children created the digestive system and all of its stages by using digestive biscuits, orange juice, a banana, some tights and some water. We have an amazing display in the lane, please come in and see it when you have a chance. Blue class also studied the effects of different liquids on egg shells (acting as our teeth) The children were fascinated by the negative effects vinegar, orange juice and coca-cola had on teeth. This has encouraged us to brush our teeth more often as well as drink less corrosive drinks.

Throughout this half term, we have developed our ball skills in basic games as well as hockey. We have discovered the need for good close ball control either with the hockey stick or our dribbling foot. Our throwing and catching has greatly improved. Great perseverance Blue class!

We had an amazing trip to Carymoor as part of our Anglo-Saxon History studies. The children had the opportunity to dress up in Anglo Saxon tunics, take part in an orienteering challenge answering questions with multiple answers all about Anglo Saxon life, learn about a varied diet that the Anglo Saxons would have eaten as well as solve a runes challenge where we all received a gold chocolate coin. The amazing artists that Blue class are, meant that our woven willow plates were beautifully made with wonderful patience and enthusiasm. Thank you so much for all of your support in providing waste free lunches. I was hoping as a class we would get onto the leader board, but to come first has made my year.

Thank you everyone for all of the hard work this half term. We all hope you have a lovely restful week!



## Indigo Class (Year 5)

The children have settled into Indigo Class wonderfully and it has been fantastic to see the progress they are making already. They have been an absolute joy to get to know and I was pleased to have met many of you during our recent Parents Evenings.

In English, we have had fun writing about Robin Hood-Villain or Hero resulting in a balanced argument. We have now moved on to writing based on-The Arrival by Shaun Tan. The children have been tasked with writing a diary based on the pictures from the novel. We have also been developing our editing, handwriting and proofreading skills.

In Maths we have worked hard on place value, reading and writing numbers up to 1 million, we have learnt to round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1,000 and 10,000. We have been positioning numbers on a number line and comparing and ordering numbers. We have just started our new unit of work on multiplication and division.

In Science we have been learning about Earth and Space. We have learnt about Heliocentric and Geocentric theory. To understand the vastness of our solar system, the children created a scale model of the solar system using a variety of spherical objects which we then enjoyed as a yummy fruit salad for break time the following day.

In History, we have been building on previous learning about the Ancient Egyptians. The focus has been on the rise and fall of the Ancient Egyptians and everyday life.

In computing, we have been looking at quizzing. What makes a quiz fun, what type of questions are best and how to add features that make them interactive and appealing. The children have really enjoyed this and as they have access to Purple Mash at home, they can keep making them and saving them in 'Own Work' to share if they wish.

We have enjoyed workshops from The Life Bus related to PSHE and a great martial arts session.

We are looking forward to continuing to learn about ancient Egyptians after half term, and starting our next Science topic (Forces and Mechanisms).

I wish you all a relaxing and restful break. Thank you for all your support and hard work during a busy half term!



## Violet Class (Year 6)

We have settled in well to Violet Class and have made a fantastic start to the new school year. We are really enjoying our new topic all about The Benin Kingdom and can confidently express our views about the subject. Our new class novel Malamander has provided us with some interesting ideas to write about. We are able to make lots of predictions about what we thought might happen. The children have been very creative when writing about what they think the malamander looked like. They have enjoyed writing in role as Herbie or Violet (the main characters) about the strange events in Eerie on Sea. A lot of the children are excited to read the other books in the series. We have worked hard with our maths work and have successfully mastered long division!

In science we are enjoying learning about the circulatory system and the function of blood. We especially enjoyed making our own version of blood so we could study the different components. We have enjoyed developing our teamwork skills by playing a range of games in PE, one of which involved working as a team to solve challenges. We are also enjoying taking part in the new outdoor learning orienteering. We have enjoyed learning about the Benin Bronzes in Art and are creating our own model.

Year Six has had a visit from the Life Education Bus and discussed 'choices'. We discussed how different people can influence decisions and how we can make sure we make the best decision for us not what others want us to.

Last week, we completed our very first Year 6 SATs assessment practice papers and we will be taking more of these as the year progresses! We coped well and showed our mature and sensible attitude to learning.



## Sports Lead

This half term has been really busy and all the classes have embraced their lessons superbly. KS1 have learnt all about movement, whilst KS2 have been learning about hockey and applying their new found skills brilliantly.



Extra-curricular sports have involved cross-country, hockey and football. It has been fantastic to see them represent the school with such commitment and responsibility.



Have a lovely half term and I look forward to taking many more children to extra-curricular activities in the next half term.

## **\*\*IMPORTANT\*\***

**Please remember to call in before 9am to report your child's absence or illness giving a full description of symptoms.**



**Don't forget that the school day starts at 8.50am for ALL children. Please ensure that your child arrives promptly. The gates will be open from 8.40am.**

### **Safeguarding**

If for any reason you have concerns about the welfare of any child please contact Somerset safeguarding on 0300 1232224 or email at [childrens@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:childrens@somerset.gov.uk).



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If there are any concerns about the welfare of a Primrose child, please feel free to email [safeguarding@plps.yacat.org](mailto:safeguarding@plps.yacat.org).

## **\*\*IMPORTANT\*\***

**Please remember to book your meals for the next half term by TUESDAY 27th October 2026 for the children's return on Monday 3rd November 2026.**



**Dinner numbers are counted in advance and the food is prepared accordingly. If you miss the cut off, you will need to provide a packed lunch for your child.**

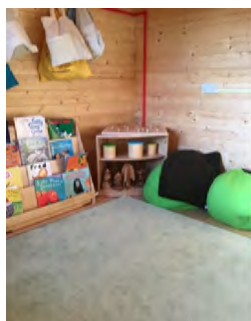


### **Availability at Little Learners for January 2027**

If you are wanting your child (from age 2-4yrs) to come to Little Learners Pre-School, please complete and return a registration form ASAP. We still do have some spaces for the current academic year (mostly afternoon sessions). We also are already running a waiting list for September 2027.

If you know anyone who might be interested in sending their child to Little Learners, do pass this on.

Registration forms can be downloaded from our website or collected from School Reception.



# FOPS

## Christmas Dates

**20th**  
NOVEMBER

Mufti Day,  
Hamper Food Donations



**27th**  
NOVEMBER

Mufti Day,  
Hamper Food Donations



**28th**  
NOVEMBER

WPA Christmas Fayre



**1st**  
DECEMBER

Hamper Squares  
Sent Home



**4th**  
DECEMBER

Mufti Day,  
Small Smellies and Gifts



**4th**  
DECEMBER

Christmas Movie Night



**14th**  
DECEMBER

Christmas Gift Wrapping  
for Parents/Grandparents etc





**EXTRACURRICULAR AND WRAPAROUND**

**AT PRIMROSE LANE**

**SPORTS CLUBS**  
 MONDAY - BASKETBALL  
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**Autumn Term Wraparound Craft Curriculum**

**WEEK COMMENCING**  
 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER - GETTING TO KNOW YOU  
 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER - RYDER CUP WEEK  
 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER - FARMER DUCK  
 28<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER - ANIMAL AWARENESS WEEK  
 5<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - BONFIRE WEEK  
 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - ALIENS LOVE UNDERPANTS  
 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - HALF TERM  
 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - FINN THE LITTLE SEAL  
 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER - MEXICAN WEEK  
 9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER - MENTAL HEALTH WEEK  
 16<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER - I LOVE YOU ALREADY  
 23<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER - YOU SEE A CIRCUS  
 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER - ANCIENT EGYPTIAN WEEK  
 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER - TIDDLER  
 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS WEEK

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**Where**  
Yeovil Town FC  
Huish Park 3G

**When**  
Friday Evening  
School Term

**Session Timings**  
u7s. 5.15-6.15pm  
u8s. 6.15-7.15pm

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## Yeovil Town FC Performance Centre Advanced Development Centre Programme



**Where**  
Yeovil Town FC  
Huish Park 3G

**When**  
Thursday Evening  
School Term

**Session Timings**  
u9-12s. 5.30-6.30pm  
u13-16s. 6.30-7.30pm

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## BOURNE SPORTS COACHING FOOTBALL CAMP: OCTOBER HALF TERM 2026

Dear Parent / Guardian:

I am delighted to announce that Bourne Sports Coaching will be running a football camp in the upcoming October Half Term. As a qualified F.A Coach I would like to offer your child the chance to attend our camp for 2 days and experience some top quality football coaching, led by myself and other F.A and UEFA qualified coaches. The children will take part in warm up games, skill & technical sessions and play football matches.

The football camp is for children aged between 4-11 years and is open to all abilities. The children will be playing against others of a similar age and ability during the camp. There are lots of medals and prizes given out at the end of each day for awards such as most improved, player of the day etc.

As the World Cup has taken place this year, to embrace the tournament, we will be finishing the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of the camp with our own mini World Cup competition, to give the children a chance to play for different countries and emulate their footballing icons. This is a great chance to put into practice all of the skills they have learned over the course of the camp. The coaching sessions will be held on our three grass pitches, playground or indoor hall (if wet).

**Venue:** Kingfisher Primary School, Kingfisher Drive, Yeovil, BA22 8FJ.

**Camp Details:** Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2026 Times: 9.00am – 3.15pm

**Cost:** £59.00 for 2 days. *Students must wear appropriate clothing and bring a packed lunch.*

\*\*\*\*\*Early Drop Off available: £10 extra (£69.00 total) for both mornings (drop off from 8am, please note that breakfast is not provided so please ensure your child has eaten beforehand).\*\*\*\*\*

Please return the permission slip below with cash or a cheque made payable to 'Bourne Sports Coaching' to: Bourne Sports Coaching, Conkers, Melplash, Dorset, DT6 3UD. BACS payments to: Bourne Sports Coaching, Sort code 30-99-98, Acc no 41480560 (please put your child's name and year group as the reference).

Online signup also available by scanning the QR Code below or visit: <https://bourne-sports-coaching.pembee.app>

Please register by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2026. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards

Colin Bourne – Bourne Sports Coaching  
Tel: 07894 801 209



### Kingfisher Football Camp: October Half Term 2026

Child name..... Date of Birth..... School.....Year group.....

Emergency contact name..... Daytime telephone number.....

Any allergies/medical conditions (e.g. Asthma).....

Early Drop off? (£10 extra) Y / N Do you consent to your child being photographed during the camp for sole use in BSC social media advertising etc? Yes / No (please circle)

Fee enclosed £..... Parent / Guardian Signature..... Date.....

Data Protection Act 2018 – The information you have provided will be held for the purposes of registration for the coaching sessions and will be disclosed only to the organisers at Bourne Sports Coaching.



Bournesportscoaching

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**PEN MILL F.C.**

**WILDCATS**

**SCHOOL YEARS**  
**2-6**

**TRAINING**  
**MONDAY**  
**5 - 6 PM**

**LOCATION**  
**WESTFIELD**

**FIRST SESSION FREE!**

**INTERESTED?** CONTACT OUR FACEBOOK OR INSTAGRAM FOR MORE INFORMATION

Pen Mill Girls | Pen Mill Youth

**BUCKLERS MEAD**

**OCTOBER CAMPS**

**October 26<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup>**

|                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| <b>MONDAY</b>    | Target Day          |
| <b>TUESDAY</b>   | Racket Sports       |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b> | Inflatable Day      |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>  | Tournament Thursday |
| <b>FRIDAY</b>    | Nerf Battles        |

*Extra Time available - 8am to 8.30am and 3.30pm to 4pm.*

**LOOKING TO GIVE BACK TO YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY?**

We're currently looking for volunteer drivers in South Somerset to join our Community Cars Scheme to transport elderly clients to medical and social care appointments.

We provide our services throughout Yeovil, Martock, South Petherton, Crewkerne, Chard, Langport, Somerton, and the wider surrounding villages.

Volunteers will need to use their own car, we reimburse mileage expenses at 45p/50p per mile, this is inline with HMRC tax guidance.

We will do a DBS check on all of our volunteers, of which the cost is covered by us.

Volunteering for us requires no minimum availability, fully flexible to work around you.

Any time you can spare could make a real difference in someones life.

**Community Transport South West Limited**

TO APPLY PLEASE CALL 01935 477399 OR EMAIL [info@communitytransport.org.uk](mailto:info@communitytransport.org.uk)



Oct/Nov/Dec 2026



## Somerset School Nurse Team Newsletter

### Welcome to the Somerset School Nurse Team newsletter!

The school nurse team is made up of Specialist Community Public Health Nurses, and Assistant Practitioners. We specialise in promoting the health and wellbeing of children and young people aged 5–19 years and cover primary and secondary schools across Somerset.

This newsletter will be delivered termly, and is intended to keep you up-to-date on all the things we are doing as a service, and will include topics and links relevant to physical and mental health.

We hope you find this newsletter helpful but please do feedback anything you would like to be added.

[Somerset children & young people : Health & Wellbeing : Phn School Nursing](#)



Feedback QR code



### What is SEND support?

(Webinar for Parent Carers and Young People)

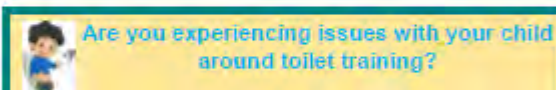
Do you have questions about SEND support and how education settings should meet a child or young person's special educational needs?

Join our **free webinar** to learn more about SEND support in education. There will also be an opportunity to ask questions during a Q&A session at the end of the webinar.

Wed 21 Oct 2026, 7.30-8.00am / Thurs 22 Oct, 10.00-11.30am

For more information on how to join visit:

[Workshops and Information Days](#)



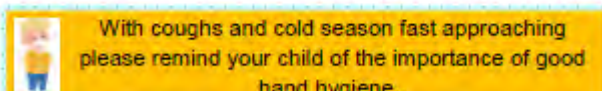
### Are you experiencing issues with your child around toilet training?

If so please click on the link below to find useful information and advice...

[Potty training your child - Best Start in Life - NHS](#)

If your child has already started school and is still in nappies/pullups please contact the School Nurse Team for support!

Text Chat health: 07480 635 515



### Let's Wash Our Hands!

With coughs and cold season fast approaching please remind your child of the importance of good hand hygiene..

[Washing Your Hands song - CBeebies](#)



Remember to wash our hands:



### If your child is experiencing issues with daytime/nighttime wetting often the situation can be improved by following the...

#### 4 Steps to a Healthy Bladder

- 1. Check the bowel**  
 It is important to rule out constipation as a full bowel will reduce the capacity of the bladder to expand
- 2. Check for a UTI (Urinary Tract Infection)**  
 Bugs in the bladder can cause issues around wetting so it is important to check for infection
- 3. Drink plenty!**  
 The bladder is a muscle and all muscles need exercising, visit the link below for advice regarding how much your child should be drinking
- 4. Relax to wee**  
 Ensure your child is comfortable sitting on the toilet, encourage them to take their time & encourage boys to do sit down wees

[Children's bladder health – what's normal and what can go wrong - ERIC](#)



**ChatHealth**

Parent advice & support  
Mental health  
School transitioning  
Emotional health

**is your child 5-19 and are you looking for confidential help and support?**

A safe and easy way to contact your School Nursing Team

Just send a text  
**07480 635 515**

Improving LIVES

**Disclaimer:** This is not an emergency service; it operates Monday to Friday 9am-5pm and is only available by using a UK mobile number. Your messages are stored on our secure system and can be seen by the School Nursing Team who run our ChatHealth Service. Although this is a confidential service, in the event of a safeguarding issue the School Nurse has a duty of care to act on this and may

**Back to school can mean a return of those pesky 'head lice'!**

How do I treat head lice?  
Medicated lotions and sprays may not always be needed, the 'wet combing' method can be very effective at getting rid of headlice.

The **'Wet Combing'** Method:

- Wash your hair with ordinary shampoo
- Apply lots of conditioner to the hair (any conditioner will do)
- Comb the whole head of hair from roots to the ends using a special fine-toothed comb (detection comb). These can be bought online or from a pharmacy
- It usually takes about 10 minutes to comb short hair, and 20-30 minutes for long or curly hair
- Use this method on days 1, 6, 9 and 18, so you catch any newly hatched lice
- Check everyone's hair again on day 17 to make sure they are free of lice

If you need medication, this can be bought from a supermarket or pharmacy. Some medicated treatments may need repeating after a week to kill any newly hatched lice

For more information on treating headlice head to...

[Head lice and nits - NHS](#)

**Somerset School Nurse Team Contact Details:**

Email: [schoolnurseduty@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:schoolnurseduty@somerset.gov.uk)

Tel: 0300 790 9854

**Has your child missed their flu vaccination?**

If so, the School Aged Immunisation Nursing Team (SAINT) are running a number of walk in clinics.

**NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY!**

**SAINT Flu Vaccination Clinics**

All clinics below are for the FLU nasal spray vaccination and are walk-ins (no appointment is needed). If your child requires the FLU inactivated injection Please contact 0300 323 0032 to arrange an appointment.

| DATE & TIME                  | ADDRESS                                                 | DATE & TIME                  | ADDRESS                                                 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| Tuesday 10th Oct 10am-12pm   | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Wednesday 11th Oct 10am-12pm | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Thursday 12th Oct 10am-12pm  | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Friday 13th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Saturday 14th Oct 10am-12pm  | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Sunday 15th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Monday 16th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Tuesday 17th Oct 10am-12pm   | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Wednesday 18th Oct 10am-12pm | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Thursday 19th Oct 10am-12pm  | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Friday 20th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Saturday 21st Oct 10am-12pm  | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Sunday 22nd Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Monday 23rd Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Tuesday 24th Oct 10am-12pm   | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Wednesday 25th Oct 10am-12pm | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Thursday 26th Oct 10am-12pm  | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Friday 27th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Saturday 28th Oct 10am-12pm  | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Sunday 29th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |
| Monday 30th Oct 10am-12pm    | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ | Tuesday 31st Oct 10am-12pm   | St Andrew's Church, 100, St Andrew's Road, Bath BA1 1LQ |

**LOOK FOR SIGN POSTING & SAINT FLAG**

**Somerset School Aged Immunisation Nursing Team | Somerset NHS Trust**

**ORAL HYGIENE**

With a significant rise seen recently in child tooth extraction, please can we remind you of the importance of good oral hygiene

- Brush teeth twice a day: ideally first thing in morning and last thing at night
- Use a fluoride toothpaste; use a pea sized amount containing at least 1000ppm of fluoride
- Brush for 2 minutes; ensure your child brushes for 2 minutes covering every tooth and surface
- Spit don't rinse; after brushing your teeth spit the excess toothpaste and avoid rinsing

**How to Brush Your Teeth Animation MCM**



# Children's Flu Vaccination Clinic

Missed the school vaccination? Join us at a  
walk-in clinic for Reception to Year 11  
No appointment needed!

## Vaccinations in Somerset

Find out more about the vaccination  
programme in Somerset, including  
advice for housebound and  
upcoming walk-in clinics.





# Activity Calendar

Community Inclusion  
and Activity Team

October Holidays  
26 - 30 October 2026



For ALL children and young people in Somerset with a disability or additional needs  
\*You DO NOT have to be referred to any service to access these activities, unless otherwise stated.

## Key for activities:



**Family Activity** - for all members of the family to attend and enjoy



**Child/Young person can attend on their own under group supervision or with parent/carer if additional 1:1 support is required** - please call the organisation to have a chat



**Child/young person must attend with a parent or carer**



**Staff provided by the organisation to support the child/young person 1:1 if required** - please call the organisation to see what they can provide as this may not include personal care



**Some parts of the activity are wheelchair accessible please call the organisation to find out more**



**Accessible changing facilities are available please call the venue to find out more**



**Activities aimed at young people/teenagers/young adults**



**Autism friendly session with staff from the Virtual School (formerly CAOT) available for light support**

## Useful Information

**Who are the people offering the activities?** Organisations who have experience of working with children and young people with a disability or additional need and their families. Activities can be adapted to suit the children and young people who would like to attend. Please call them to chat about your child / young person's needs.

**Activities offered by the Community Inclusion and Activity Team** - Dependant on the child / young person needs, we can provide a day out without parent / carer as we offer group supervision. If it is the first time your child / young person has accessed a trip with our team, a parent/ carer will need to attend. We require payment a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the day. Online payment at [www.somerset.gov.uk/cwd](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/cwd)

**Don't forget our Activity Day Passes** - Available to ALL families in Somerset with a child or young person with a disability or additional need - Paulton Park, Noah's Ark, The Bristol Zoo Project, Abbotsbury, Fenne Animal Sanctuary, Hestercombe gardens, Court farm. Email [ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk) to find out more or visit [www.somerset.gov.uk/activity-passes](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/activity-passes) to view the flyer.

**Max Card** - A FREE card for all children and young people with a disability or additional need in Somerset aged 0-25 years. This card can be used at many places all over the UK offering discounts and special rates when you show the card. Visit [www.somerset.gov.uk/max-card](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/max-card) for more information on how to access this card. Cards can ONLY be issued by Somerset Council to people living in Somerset.

If you would like help with the calendar and how to access activities, please email [ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk) and someone will be in touch to support you.

| MONDAY 26                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | TUESDAY 27                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | WEDNESDAY 28                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | THURSDAY 29                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | FRIDAY 30                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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| <b>Brookside Academy KS1</b> (A)(U)<br>Brooks Road, Street, BA16 6PR<br>A variety of indoor and outdoor activities, arts & crafts, cooking, messy and sensory play, sports & more. Different activities each day. 9am-3pm with wraparound available 4-11hrs £27 per person.<br>To book, email Tom Ball. <a href="mailto:Extendedschool@brooksideacademy.co.uk">Extendedschool@brooksideacademy.co.uk</a> 01456 443349 | <b>Nova Sports</b> (A)(U)<br>Harry's Hydro, Nunney Road, Frome, BA11 4LB<br>Family swim sessions in warm water during the holidays. Free play with toys and floats provided, or bring your own! 10am-1pm. All ages £5 per person.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:bookings@novasports.org.uk">bookings@novasports.org.uk</a> or call 07958 016417                                                                                              | <b>Brookside Academy KS1</b> (A)(U)<br>Brooks Road, Street, BA16 6PR<br>A variety of indoor and outdoor activities, arts & crafts, cooking, messy and sensory play, sports & more. Different activities each day. 9am-3pm with wraparound available 4-11hrs £27 per person.<br>To book, email Tom Ball. <a href="mailto:Extendedschool@brooksideacademy.co.uk">Extendedschool@brooksideacademy.co.uk</a> 01456 443349 | <b>Brookside Academy KS1</b> (A)(U)<br>Brooks Road, Street, BA16 6PR<br>A variety of indoor and outdoor activities, arts & crafts, cooking, messy and sensory play, sports & more. Different activities each day. 9am-3pm with wraparound available 4-11hrs £27 per person.<br>To book, email Tom Ball. <a href="mailto:Extendedschool@brooksideacademy.co.uk">Extendedschool@brooksideacademy.co.uk</a> 01456 443349     | <b>Emma Bettridge Projects</b> (A)(U)<br>Chocolate Books, 9 High Street, Wiveliscombe, TA4 2JX<br>Spooky Stories in the Wilds. Join author Emma and dog Nell for Halloween storytelling in a local graveyard, recorded in notebooks and dictaphones. 10-11.30am & 1-2.30pm. 5-12yrs, £5 per child.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:elbettridge@outlook.com">elbettridge@outlook.com</a>                                                                        |
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| <b>Rainbow Roots</b> (U)<br>Dove Barn, Manor Farm, Silver St, Barton St David, TA11 6DB<br>The Colour of Leaves: Notice & Explore. Notice autumn colours and textures, enjoy a colour hunt, create nature-inspired art using natural materials. 9.30am-12pm. 4-12yrs £7.50 per child.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:events@rainbowroots.co.uk">events@rainbowroots.co.uk</a> or call Lou Stockley 07432 384287    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Nova Sports</b> (A)(U)<br>Frome Boulder Rooms, BA11 3BN<br>Try out the climbing walls at Frome Boulder Rooms. Supported by Nova Sports staff. 10-11am 8-18yrs £16pp.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:bookings@novasports.org.uk">bookings@novasports.org.uk</a> or call 07958 016417                                                                                                                             | <b>CIAT</b> (A)(U)<br>Creaty Theme Park, Sidmouth Rd, Clyst St Mary, Exeter EX5 1DR<br>Family adventure park with over 66 rides and attractions, including live shows and animals. Park open from 10am-5pm. Staff on site for support from 10am-3pm. All ages. £18 per person.<br>To book, call 07977 412199 on 6 Oct from 10am. From 7 Oct, email <a href="mailto:ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk">ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk</a> | <b>Green Gobkins</b> (A)(U)<br>Riverside Church, The Exchange, Hamilton Road, Taunton, TA1 2EG<br>Tabletop games every Friday. Including Pokemon Trading Card Game, Board Games and D&D Roleplay Games. No booking required. 6-16.30pm. For 10yrs & above with parent/carer if under 10 or if 1:1 support is needed, £4 entry (1st time free, parent/carer free).<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:greengobkinsgamesclub.co.uk">greengobkinsgamesclub.co.uk</a> |
| <b>ACTIVITY PACKS</b><br>Step4ward-in2growth<br>October themed activity packs for sale to each child's interests. All ages £4 per pack.<br>To ORDER email <a href="mailto:step4ward-in2growth@nail.com">step4ward-in2growth@nail.com</a> or call 07757 331134                                                                                                                                                         | <b>CIAT</b> (U)<br>Flip Out, Castle Road, Chelston Business Park, Wellington, TA21 9UG<br>2 hour jump session at Flip Out Somerset. Socks, drink token and 3 pizza slices included (cheese & tomato or pepperoni). 4-6pm. Parents/carer to arrive at 3.30pm for registration. 8-18th birthday. £16pp.<br>To book, call 07977 412199 on 6 Oct from 10am. From 7 Oct, email <a href="mailto:ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk">ciatteam@somerset.gov.uk</a> | <b>Nova Sports</b> (A)(U)<br>Frome Boulder Rooms, BA11 3BN<br>Sensory Bouldering. Climb, explore and build confidence in a safe, exclusive environment. Particularly suitable for children with complex needs. 9-10am, 4-11yrs. £16pp.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:bookings@novasports.org.uk">bookings@novasports.org.uk</a> or call 07958 016417                                                              | <b>Rainbow Roots</b> (A)(U)<br>Dove Barn, Manor Farm, Silver St, Barton St David, TA11 6DB<br>Around the Table: Experiment & Create. Explore beautiful materials and techniques, including mixed media, textiles, printing and collage. 9.30am-12pm. 4-12yrs. £7.50 per child.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:events@rainbowroots.co.uk">events@rainbowroots.co.uk</a> or call Lou Stockley 07432 384287               | <b>Purple Elephant</b> (A)(U)<br>Football Club, Berkeley Road, Frome, BA11 2EH<br>Family holiday fun, with a healthy meal. Explore all kinds of animals, mammals, amphibians and reptiles. 10am-1pm. 6-18yrs £3 suggested donation. Free to those on free school meals.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:rebecca.harrison@purpleelephant.org.uk">rebecca.harrison@purpleelephant.org.uk</a>                                                                     |

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| <b>MOOR OUTDOOR CIC</b> (U)<br>North Hill Bank Track, TA24 5LB<br>Intermediate Mountain Biking For confident off-road riders. Build trail skills through games and guided rides. Equipment provided. 10am-12pm. 8-18yrs £7.50 per person.<br>To book, email Alicia Hockin <a href="mailto:hell@mooroutdoor.org">hell@mooroutdoor.org</a>                                 | <b>Rainbow Roots</b> (A)(U)<br>Dove Barn, Manor Farm, Silver St, Barton St David, TA11 6DB<br>The Woodland Knows: Explore & Discover. Look for seasonal changes, investigate habitats and tracks, and find your own special place in Rainbow Wood. 9.30am-12pm. 4-12yrs. £7.50 per child.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:events@rainbowroots.co.uk">events@rainbowroots.co.uk</a> or call Lou Stockley 07432 384287 | <b>Rainbow Roots</b> (A)(U)<br>Dove Barn, Manor Farm, Silver St, Barton St David, TA11 6DB<br>Tiny Worlds: Discover the small, use magnifying glasses to explore the woodland floor, discover tiny patterns, textures, plants & habitats. Use natural, recycled material to design miniature worlds. 9.30am-12pm. 4-12yrs. £7.50 per child.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:events@rainbowroots.co.uk">events@rainbowroots.co.uk</a> or call Lou Stockley 07432 384287 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Rainbow Roots</b> (U)<br>Dove Barn, Manor Farm, Silver St, Barton St David, TA11 6DB<br>Halloween Inclusive Family Celebration. Enjoy creative activities, costumes, games, seasonal fun and a gentle woodland experience. 10-1pm. All ages £7.50 per child.<br>To book, email <a href="mailto:events@rainbowroots.co.uk">events@rainbowroots.co.uk</a> or call Lou Stockley 07432 384287   |