

Newsletter (13) Friday 13th June 2025



In worship this week we focused on 'Our World' to link with our international day. We used World Ocean Day as our starting point. We reflected on what we are grateful for and how we can be good stewards by looking after our world. From Bowie Class, Abigail and Jacob said "We pick up litter because it will hurt the planet and the sea animals" and Jack shared that collecting seeds so we can grow more flowers and trees depending on which ones it came from.

Muddy Church

Our next Muddy Church session will be on Thursday 26th June. Please see poster below for more details and let the school office know in good time if you wish your child to be added to the list.



Nightingale

Charlie for your brilliant engagement in International Day! You went out of your comfort zone to try some dips and joined in with our 'flamenco dancing'. Well done!

Marcie for your fantastic Maths this week. You have been working really hard on your place value within 100 - well done!

Bowie

Jack for showing great excitement and curiosity trying Mexican cuisine - seeing you enjoy nachos and guacamole was a true delight!

Harper for being an adjective whizz, describing characters and settings with creativity!

Anning

Freddie E for showing excellent concentration and care when drawing his Greek Vase during international day - well done!

Lucy for working really hard in her reading this week, showing excellent comprehension skills and smashing her reading assessment - well done Lucy!

Zephaniah

Olivia T for her beautiful aboriginal inspired art work on International Day.

Rupert for his fantastic research all about Australia on International Day.

Lunchtime Superstar Award

This week, the Lunchtime Superstar Award goes to **Emmet** from Bowie Class for lovely manners at all times and **Freddie E** from Anning Class for including a child in Reception year in their football game.



Congratulations go to **Eliza, Jaiden** and **Nancy** from Nightingale Class and **Isla S** from Anning Class for achieving their Silver Templecombe Token certificate this week.

Congratulations go to Charlie, Ivy, Arthur, Dottie, Kyle, Harper, Scarlett and Isobel from Nightingale Class, Nelly, George, Grace, Harvey Stb and Harrison from Bowie Class and Bodhi, Cory and Darcey from Anning Class for achieving their Gold Templecombe Token certificate this week.

Out of School Achievements:

Well done to Mollie K-R from Zephaniah Class for being a "super swimmer", swimming 5 metres.

A big well done to all of you!

If your child achieves an award, medal or trophy through participating in an outside-of-school club or activity, we would love to hear about it and congratulate them at our weekly Wednesday worship. Please bring certificates etc to the school office.



Bowie Class

As part of our D.T. learning last half term, Bowie Class donned chef hats and cooked up a storm, creating our own pizzas. After sampling a variety of different toppings at the start of term, we chose flavour combinations to suit our target audience - us! After we cooked our pizzas, we placed them in our own eye-catching Pizza Boxes designed and brought to life with our own fair hands. Waiting to get home to sample the tasty delights was definitely the hardest part of the whole process!













International Day

On Tuesday, the whole school came together to celebrate **International Day** — a fantastic opportunity for our children to explore and experience the rich diversity of cultures from around the world. Each class focused on a different country, learning about its traditions, festivals, and way of life.

The children enjoyed tasting traditional foods, listening to music, learning songs and dances, and discovering interesting facts about their chosen country. Classrooms were transformed with colourful displays, artefacts and the sounds and smells of cultures far and wide.

In the afternoon, the whole school gathered to share what we had learned. Each class presented something special — from a dance or song to fun facts or artwork — allowing everyone to learn from one another and celebrate the day together. It was a vibrant, joyful day filled with curiosity, creativity, and connection. A big thank you to all the staff and families who helped to make it such a memorable experience. The day was thoroughly enjoyed by all.





























INSET DAY - Wednesday 18th June

A reminder that school is closed next Wednesday for a Trust wide INSET day.

Year 4 Brass

Over this academic year, our Year 4 students have been learning to play brass instruments. Year 4 parents are invited to attend the last lesson on **Thursday 19**th **June at 2.15pm** in the school hall so they can see their learning in action.

Cancer Research Fundraiser

We are always very grateful to those who volunteer to assist us in school and one of our volunteers, Heather Crewe, is taking on the Swim10K Challenge in June to raise money for Cancer Research UK. This isn't an easy challenge for her as she has many joint issues but she is determined to achieve the 10K and hopes to raise a lot of money for the charity in the process. If you are able to donate as little or as much as you can towards her goal of £1000, she'll be extremely grateful and you can do so using this link: https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/heathers-giving-page-3914



Summer Disco - Tuesday 10th June

Thank you to everyone who helped set up and run the disco on Tuesday – everyone had a great time!

Summer Fayre Planning Meeting

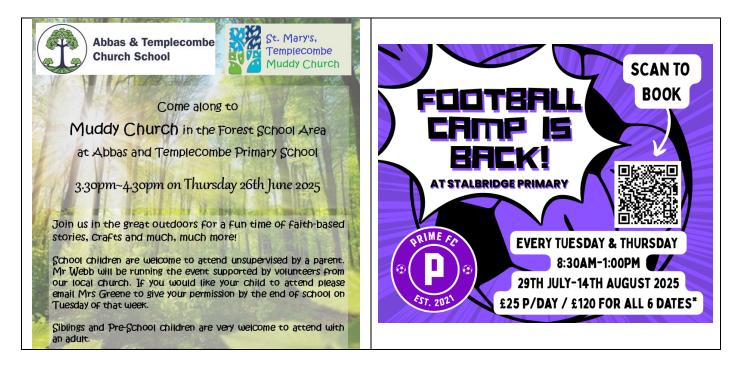
It was great to see so many attending our PTA summer fayre meeting yesterday — lots of great things being planned for our Fayre on the 4th July! If you are able to offer any time to help set up in the morning or run a stall for some time in the afternoon, please do let the PTA know by emailing ptfa.templecombeschool@aol.com. Any help, no matter how big or small, is always hugely appreciated.

And finally...

What a great week it has been, despite the rainy weather! Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Brazier

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DIARY DATES - 2024/25 Academic Year

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JUNE:			
16 th to 17 th	Year 3/4 Residential		
Tuesday 17 th	1.15pm-1.35pm September 2025 intake – Stay 'n' Play		
Wednesday 18 th	INSET Day – school closed		
Thursday 19 th	Yr4 Brass – parents invited to attend at 2.15pm		
Monday 23 rd	Class & Year 6 Leavers' Photographs		
Tuesday 24 th	KS2 Top Link Festival		
Thursday 26 th	11.30am-11.50am September 2025 intake – Stay 'n' Play		
Friday 27 th	Non-uniform day for sweets for Summer Fayre		
Monday 30 th	1.15pm-1.35pm September 2025 intake – Stay 'n' Play		
JULY:			
Wednesday 2 nd	Swap a class afternoon		
	Secondary School transition days (King Arthur's and Gillingham School)		
Friday 4 th	School Sports Event / PTFA Summer Fayre		
Monday 7 th	1.15pm-1.35pm September 2025 intake – Stay 'n' Play		
8 th July	Open Afternoon		
Thursday 10 th	PTA Bags2School collection: donations at lower playground gate by 9am please		
Monday 14th	Open Afternoon		
Monday 14 th	Yr6 Production dress rehearsal 1.30pm		
Tuesday 15 th	Yr6 Production to parents, 1.30pm and 6pm		

Wednesday 16 th	11.30am-11.50am September 2025 intake – Stay 'n' Play Movie 'n' Munch – TBC		
Thursday 17 th	11.30am-11.50am September 2025	11.30am-11.50am September 2025 intake – Stay 'n' Play	
Monday 21st	Yr6 Trip to Longleat	Yr6 Trip to Longleat	
Tuesday 22 nd	Whole School Fun Day		
Wednesday 23 rd	9.05am End of Term Awards	2pm Leavers Service in school	
3pm School Closes for the Summer Break (No After Fun provision)			

<u>Please note</u>: all activities/events mentioned above are subject to postponement or cancellation at short notice in line with any change in Government guidelines/internal school staffing pressures.