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Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

I am writing with a few updates about our school along with future events and plans. I also wanted to thank you for your support of World Book Day, which went really well; both authors, Robert Starling and Sophie Kirtley, were very engaging and inspiring.

**Term 4 and 5 dates:**

There are a several important and festive events which I would like to draw your attention:

Date	Event
12.3.24	EYFS and KS1 author visit – Robert Starling
15.3.24	Year 3 trip to the American Museum in Bath
w/c 18.3.24	Assessment week
21.3.24	Whole-school Inter-house running competition (trainers needed)
21.3.24	Y5 trip to the Bristol Hindu temple (8.30-11.30)
22.3.24	KS1 Music Festival (10-12.30)
w/c 25.3.24	Free2BMe Week – our Equalities Team have chosen the theme of ‘Different Abilities’ which will be a positive focus on disabilities.
25.3.24	Girls football match against Newbridge Primary
25.3.24	Y5 Dance Umbrella performance at The Forum in Bath
27.3.24	Y6 Parent’s SATS information meeting at 3:15pm
28.3.24	Easter Assembly led by Rev Tim Jones
Thursday 28.3.24	Free2BMe non-uniform day – ‘Express yourself’ Last day of term 4 at 3.00/3.15pm
Monday 15.4.24	Final INSET Day
Tuesday 16.4.24	First day of term 5
17.4.24	YR (Quartz class) to visit Court Farm country park in Banwell
25.4.24	Y5/6 mixed Tag Rugby Tournament
13-16.5.24	Year 6 SATs Week
22.5.24	Whole-school Poetry Week
Monday 2.9.24 Tuesday 3.9.24 Wednesday 4.9.24	1 <sup>st</sup> three INSET days of 24/25 academic year
6.1.25	INSET day



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### Free2BMe Week:

We are getting ready for our Equalities Week, with the help of our pupil E-Team. The theme is **Different Abilities** and we will be focusing on both visible and invisible disabilities. It is our aim to develop awareness, understanding and empathy during this week. Already I have been impressed by the children when we have discussed disability in recent assemblies.

Sport is a good way to develop understanding of lived experience and adaptations that are made, so if any parents have any links with disability sports please could you get in touch with me.

On Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March, we would like the staff and children to express their personalities, interests and even aspirations through their outfits. We know that some people love dressing up, whilst others don't, so the outfits can be flamboyant, or pared back.

### Sporting successes:

Well done to our Year 4 mixed football team who recently took part in a tournament, winning the shield and defeating Widcombe in the final with the last kick of the match. In addition, our girls football team recently won a cup match against Saltford 7-0 and they were praised for their performance and conduct by staff at Saltford.

Thank you for your continued support of our school and please do catch me, send me a dojo message, or phone the school office to get in touch with me whenever. We aim to be an 'approachable' school so please contact us with any relevant information, concerns, ideas, positives, etc.

With best wishes,

Steve Gumm