

Upcoming events

Please find a list of diary dates:

- 23rd Feb – Children return to school
- 27th Feb – Non uniform day for Trendlewood Wolves!
- 27th Feb – Book Fair opens
- 3rd Mar – Swimming starts for Year 5
- 3rd Mar – Parents' Evening
- 5th Mar – Parents' Evening
- 6th Mar – World Book Day
- 12th Mar – Mini First Aid for Y1 & Y5
- 16th Mar – The Big Walk and Wheel to school fortnight begins
- 16th Mar – Year 3 performance to parents, 2.00pm
- 18th Mar – Year 3 performance to parents, 4.00pm
- 26th Mar - Mini First Aid for Y1 & Y5
- 2nd Apr – WOWSA 'Break the Rules Day'
- 2nd Apr – Last day of term (Thursday)
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- 20th Apr – Children return to school
- 4th May – Bank Holiday Monday
- 11th May – Year 6 SATS Week
- 22nd May – Last day of term
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- 1st Jun – INSET Day
- 2nd Jun – Children return to school
- 20th Jun – WOWSA Summer Fair
- 3rd Jul – WOWSA 'Rags to Riches'

Reminders

Don't forget that **WOWSA are looking for a new secretary** to join their team. If you'd like to be part of a supportive, fun group and help shape what they do, please email wowsanailsea@gmail.com.

If your child is in **Trendlewood Wolves**, they have a **non-uniform day this Friday** (27th Feb) as they were overall house point winners for last term!



Just a reminder that WOWSA are holding a **Summer Fair on Saturday 20th June from 12.00 – 4.00pm**. Do save the date in your diary, it will be great fun with a huge variety of stalls and entertainment for all the family!

Our gardening experts!

On Wednesday during the last week of term, our Year 1 children went to Holy Trinity Church garden to see how the bulbs they had planted had bloomed into beautiful crocuses! They also explored the garden for signs of Spring and had a lovely morning without any rain!



Online Safety Curriculum

As many of you will be aware, teaching our young people about staying safe online is one of the most important aspects of our computing and PSHE curriculums and something we cover in all year groups, throughout the year. We use a national scheme to help us with this, covering topics like protecting personal information, being kind online and knowing what to do if something online makes you feel uncomfortable. For your information, attached is an overview of what your children will learn throughout their time at school in online safety sessions.

Dr Hardwidge (our Online Safety Coordinator) has also put together a leaflet for parents to support you in this most important area. This is attached and paper copies will also be available at Parents' Evening.

Minecraft Coding at Yatton Library

Please see the attached flyer for information about a 'Coding with Minecraft' session taking place at Yatton Library on Saturday 28th February.

At the club, the children experience coding with Minecraft Education, learning how to problem solve and collaborate with each other in a fun and safe environment.

Parents' Evenings – 2nd and 5th March

We are really looking forward to welcoming you to the upcoming Parents' Evenings. These meetings are a valuable opportunity for teachers to celebrate your child's achievements and talk about how we can continue to support their progress and wellbeing in school.

As you will hopefully have seen in the Studybugs message just before half term, the booking system goes 'live' at 6.00pm tomorrow (Monday 23rd February) and closes on Monday 2nd March. Attached are the instructions for booking an appointment, but if you have any issues at all, please contact the main office from Tuesday 24th February and they will be happy to help you.

Could you help me with using 'Sway'?

I would love to use a different format for this weekly newsletter as I am really aware that opening a PDF on a phone isn't ideal and you are almost certainly scrolling up and down, trying to enlarge each of the sections in order to read it!

I am keen to use something like 'Sway' (a Microsoft tool) and wonder if there is a kind parent out there who uses this regularly and would be happy to sit and talk me through it at some point? Please do email me at school (school@hannahmoreandgrove.co.uk) or catch me on the gate one morning if you are happy to help. Thank you very much in advance!

Lunar New Year

We would like to wish a very happy and prosperous Lunar New Year to any of our families who celebrated this during half term. It is a special time marked by family gatherings, gratitude, and hopes for health, happiness and success in the year ahead. Thank you very much to Toto, in Year 3, and her family who brought in lucky red envelopes to share with the children in Elm Class. Toto also shared a story about the different Lunar New Year traditions across the world. The children loved it!



I hope you all have a great week.
Victoria Reyes, Headteacher