

HORRINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER 4 - AUTUMN TERM Friday 29th September 2017

Dates for diaries

Mon 2 nd Oct	Reception children start full-time Year 6 pupils depart for Kilve Court residential
Weds 4 th Oct	Year 4 pupils attending Multi-skills at The Blue
Fri 6 th Oct	Year 6 pupils return from Kilve Court residential
Thurs 12 th Oct	Harvest Assembly – Parents invited at 9:15am Harvest Concert for Local Community – Residents invited at 2:00pm
Thurs 19 th Oct	INSET
Fri 20 th Oct	INSET
23 rd -27 th Oct	Half Term
Fri 3 rd Nov	School photographer for individual pupil photos
Thurs 9 th Nov	Flu vaccinations for Reception through to Year 4
Thurs 7 th Dec	School Nativity Service @ St Thomas Church

Class 1 Somerset Museum Visit

On Wednesday, Class 1 enjoyed a morning of teeth and bones with a visit from the Museum of Somerset. The children learned about the different types of teeth and how they help animals eat their food before investigating bones in more detail. They built a skeleton, discovered more about animal skulls and had fun matching animal bodies to their skeletons. They were particularly fascinated by the rabbit skeleton, which didn't have ears.



Year 4 Multi-skills

Children in Year 4 will be attending the Multi-skills sports event at The Blue School on Wednesday 4th October. Please ensure you have made your online payment, which also confirms your consent, no later than **Monday 2nd October**.

Children to wear PE Kits to school. Thank you

Staff News

We are very sad to inform you that, after half term, Alison Thorne will no longer be our Crossing Patrol and Lunchtime Supervisor. Alison has found a fabulous new role at Center Parcs, so we wish her all the very best for this exciting new chapter in her life. She has been a friendly face greeting the children in the mornings and at lunchtimes for many years and will be sorely missed.

We will be advertising these two vacancies next week, but if you, or someone you know, may be interested in these roles or would like any further information please contact the school office.

Guitar & Ukulele Lessons

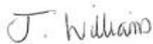
We are pleased to say that Wendy McKinley, one of our peripatetic music teachers, has been in touch to inform us that she is well on the road to recovery after her period of illness and is hoping to return to teaching after half term. We suggest that if you are interested in Guitar or Ukulele lessons for your child you contact Wendy direct for more information.

Mbl: 07788 769293 **Email:** bijou_music@live.com

Parent Volunteers

We welcome parents helping out in school in a variety of ways, including hearing readers, accompanying school trips, helping out in the classrooms etc. If you have a small amount of time to spare, and would like to be involved in helping in school, we would love to hear from you. Please email the office sch.186@educ.somerset.gov.uk providing your preferred email address, we will then be able to start the process of DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) clearance which is a mandatory requirement for all volunteers.

Yours sincerely,



Julie Williams
Headteacher