

Newsletter



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Wednesday 20th July 2022



Goodbye to all of our wonderful year 6s. Enjoy your next school. We will all miss you!



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THANKS FOR REMEMBERING
THIS IS A



PEANUT/NUT FREE
SCHOOL

We currently have two children who have serious nut allergies. Please remember that we don't allow any nuts or nut products in school. **This includes Nutella.** Thank you for helping us to keep St Peter's School a safe place.



Governor Update

As we approach the end of term, on behalf of the governors, I want to thank Mr Jeffries and all the staff of St Peter's for their amazing hard work, in another challenging year. Their commitment to every individual child achieving the best possible outcome is impressive and a real credit to the school. We wish them all a restful and refreshing summer holiday.

I also want to thank each of the governors for the part they play in supporting staff and aiming for excellence at St Peter's – in particular, I would like to pay tribute to Jan Macdonald, whose length of service and passion for the school is second to none! We are very fortunate to have such a strong team.

This is my last message as Chair of Governors as I am standing down from the role at the end of this term and handing over to the very capable Anne Armitage. Anne has been a parent governor for over three years now - Vice Chair this last year - and has the full support of the governing body in her new role. She has a great track record, bringing skills and insights from her professional life, but also from chairing our meetings, liaising with parents and staff, and representing us in EPA settings. I know you will give her, and the governing body, your full support - and you can expect regular news updates, keeping you up to date with initiatives, at the end of each term. I am sad to be leaving such a great team, but have full confidence that St Peter's will go from strength to strength.

My best wishes to you all for the success and happiness of students of St Peter's – and I hope you have a wonderful summer!

Claire Page

SPSA Update

Thanks so much to all the parents who helped make Bike Night the success it was.

We haven't got the final total raised yet - we'll update next term. But we know we've done well, especially considering we were all pretty much beginners with all things bikes!

It was great to see so many people getting involved. It bodes well for the future of the SPSA in our quest to raise funds and support the school and all our children in the coming year. We already have the makings of a plan that we hope to share with you for your thoughts, ideas and support next term.

A special thank-you also needs to go to the amazing Kathryn Claridge who leaves us after having been with the SPSA since her twins started at St Peter's. We wish them all well as they head to Bartholomew's (and have taken note she's still up for helping at next years bike night barbecue!) For now, have a super summer holiday with family and friends and - whatever you do - don't melt!

SPSA Committee

Well done to the Kestrels who won our KS1 & 2 sports days!



Dear Parents / Carers,

To bring St Peter's in line with other EPA schools and to fulfil statutory requirements from Sept '23 (32.5 hours a week), we will be slightly altering the start and finish times of the school day.

Currently gates open at 8:35 and register and gate closes at 8:55. Pick up time is 3pm.

From September '22, gates will open from 8.30 and register and gate closes at 8:40. Pick up time will be 3.10pm.

Nursery sessions will be 8:30 - 11:45 and 12pm-3pm

Breakfast club will be from 8:00-8:30 and After School Club sessions will be 3:10-4:15pm and 4:15pm-5:15pm

Judo will be from 7:45 until 8:30 (please don't arrive any earlier than 7:45) and football and other 'external' clubs will be 3:10-4:10

We have selected these times to minimise any potential impact on your school day routines.

Thank you



On behalf of all the staff, we'd like to take the opportunity to say a huge thank you for all the lovely cards and gifts that we received at the end of term.

Have a very happy, fun & safe summer!



A Message From Mr Jeffries



Dear Parents/Carers,

As another academic year draws to a close, I would like to thank all the families for your continued support of the school, your friendly smiles in the morning, and for giving us such great children to teach!

We are sad to say goodbye to the year 6s but know that they are going to blossom as they embark on the next stage of their education. We are also sad to say goodbye to Claire Page (Chair of Governors), Mrs Bushnell (lunchtime supervisor), and Reggie (cleaner and caretaker of our school). Thank you, Duncan, for putting together so a wonderful service for us this morning; many parents and staff commented on how much they enjoyed it.

All the staff wish you a peaceful, relaxing and safe summer and a big thank you for all the cards, well wishes and gifts we received. We truly appreciate all of your sentiments.

With warmest wishes,

Jon Jeffries

The cast from our Willow Class production of Joseph



Please see the website for more information - <https://www.st-petersoxon.co.uk/diary>

SEPTEMBER

Friday 2nd -INSET Day

Monday 5th - **Term 1 starts at 8:40**

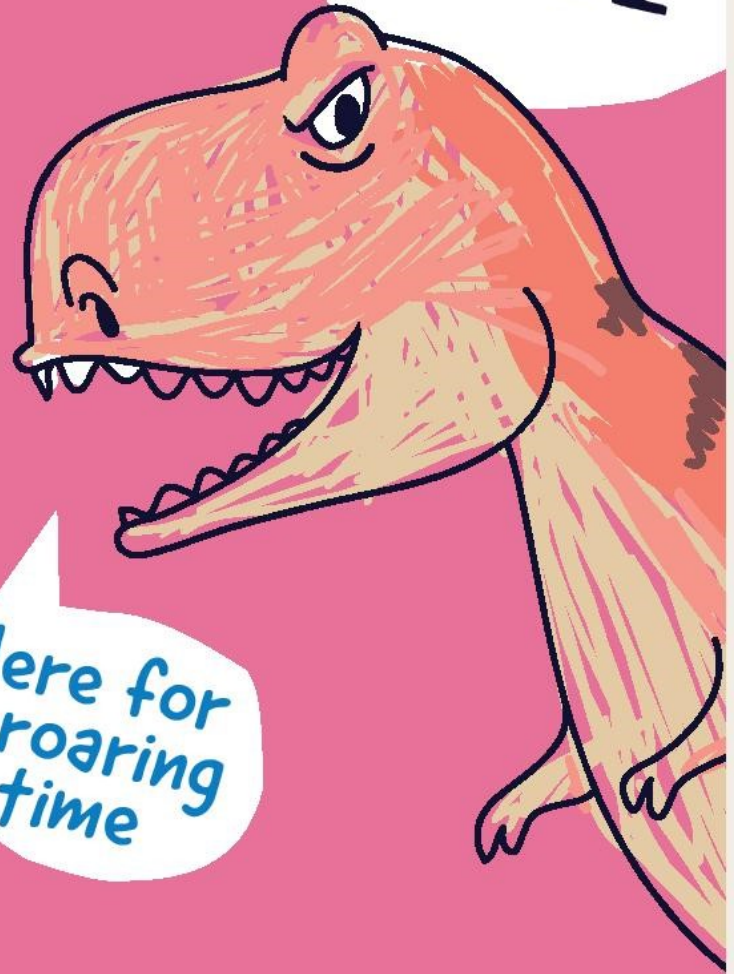
Monday 12th to Friday 16th -Bikeability training for Year 6s

Wednesday 14th - Junior citizens - Year 6s

Friday 30th - Stay & Play for 0-4 year olds - 2-3pm - £3 per family

THE
OM

in Woodstock



FREE

Here for
a roaring
time

JOIN US for Summer of fun AT THE OM

It's the summer holidays and that means one thing for us - lots of summer fun on **Art Tuesdays**, **Wicked Wednesdays** and **Art Thursdays**.



Scan me to
find out more

Week commencing:

- **25 July** - there's Roman games and crafting
- **1 August** - you can experience how the Victorians had fun
- **8 August** - it's music madness and story time
- **15 August** - explore Anglo-Saxon life
- **22 August** - have a roaring time with dinosaurs
- **29 August** - celebrate nature and the countryside

oxfordshire.gov.uk/museumchildrensactivities

ART & DRAMA

AGES
8 - 13

SUMMER CAMPS

COME ALONG AND SPEND A WEEK
IN THE BEAUTIFUL SETTING OF WYCHWOOD SCHOOL OXFORD
AND EXPRESS YOUR CREATIVITY WITH ART AND DRAMA CAMPS

10AM - 4PM DAILY EVERYBODY IS WELCOME,
NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

ART WEEKS 18TH - 22ND JULY
25TH - 29TH JULY
DRAMA WEEK 25TH - 29TH JULY
£250 PER WEEK
10% SIBLING DISCOUNT

CONTACT
M.CONSTANCE@WYCHWOODSCHOOL.ORG (DRAMA)
OR A.WARDELL@WYCHWOODSCHOOL.ORG (ART)
TO FIND OUT MORE

Summer Holiday Tennis Courses



Ages 4 - 16

Weekdays from 25th July to 2nd September

Fun and Educational!

Small Group Sizes - Limited Space Available

Flexible Bookings - Full Week or Individual Days

Childcare Vouchers Accepted

Morning, Afternoon and Full Day Sessions Available

Available Weeks and Venues

Week 1: 25th - 29th July	Witney and Kingston Bagpuize
Week 2: 1st - 5th August	Witney and Kingston Bagpuize
Week 3: 8th - 12th August	Witney and Standlake
Week 4: 15th - 19th August	Witney
Week 5: 22nd - 29th August	Witney and Kingston Bagpuize
Week 6: 30th - 2nd September	Witney

For more information and to book, please visit:

<https://www.exceltennisacademy.co.uk/summer-holiday-booking>



ENGLISH HERITAGE
NORTH LEIGH ROMAN VILLA

Mosaic Open Days

Saturday July 23 & Sunday July 24
11am - 5pm

Wednesday August 10
11am - 5pm

Saturday August 20 & Sunday August 21
11am - 5pm

Saturday September 17 & Sunday September 18
11am - 5pm

Join our volunteers at North Leigh Roman Villa for a great chance to see the impressive mosaic close up!

Summer Reading Challenge 2022



Presented by The Reading Agency.
Delivered in partnership with libraries.

Get curious and inventive this summer with a FREE children's reading challenge at your local Oxfordshire library!

9th July to 10th September 2022

Read library books to discover the Gadeteers' amazing inventions as they plan an epic summer party.

Finish the challenge and get your own medal and certificate AND be entered into the countywide prize draw!



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Look out for fantastic new books and activities at your library

www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/summer-reading-challenge

Go to summerreadingchallenge.org.uk for more fun!

WOULD YOUR CHILD LIKE TO JOIN THEIR OWN ROCK BAND?



Enrol For September 2022

visit www.irockschool.com or call 0330 174 2655

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Rock and Pop band lessons are available at your child's school with bookings now open for September 2022. iRock is the perfect opportunity for your child to learn new skills and build new friendships by joining their very own rock band.

Our in-school band lessons are not only fun but they can massively help develop your child's life skills: boosting confidence; supporting wellbeing; developing social skills and even helping to improve their academic performance.

How it works:

- There is no experience necessary to join and all the instruments are provided by iRock.
- Your child can choose from drums, keyboard, electric guitar or vocals (subject to availability). They'll play the same instrument every week and join their band mates in 30 minute weekly lessons.
- Lessons are held during the school day and are led by one of our experienced band coaches who will guide your child through every lesson.
- Lessons are available from foundation to Year 6 with children grouped by age. Children choose their band name and learn their favourite songs.
- Rehearsals build towards a concert at the end of each term, a great way to show you just how far they have come.
- ***NEW*** Your child can achieve a brand new music qualification, regulated by RSL awards. More information about our new qualification coming soon!

A highlight of your child's week for £35.95 a month (no payment in August). The iRock subscription is designed to give parents full flexibility rather than having to commit to a whole year or a whole term. The subscription guarantees a minimum lesson quota of 33 lessons in each academic year.

You can book your child's place today by visiting www.irockschool.com, email info@irockschool.com or call 0330 174 2655. Places are offered on a first come first serve basis.

Kind regards,

Joshua Franklin
Founder

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“ For me, iRock is about a lot more than music. It teaches children some really valuable life skills - confidence, self esteem and team work. ”

ANNA HUNT - PARENT



<p>Week 1 - Monday 25th to Thursday 28th July Garden City FC, Maple Avenue, OX5 1HW Kennington, Forest Side Road, OX1 5LQ</p>
<p>Week 2 - Monday 1st to Thursday 4th August Garden City FC, Maple Avenue, OX5 1HW</p>
<p>Week 3 - Monday 8th to Thursday 11th August Garden City FC, Maple Avenue, OX5 1HW Eynsham Sports Pavillion, Oxford Road, OX29 4HG</p>
<p>Week 4 - Monday 15th to Thursday 18th August Garden City FC, Maple Avenue, OX5 1HW Kennington, Forest Side Road, OX1 5LQ</p>
<p>Week 5 - Monday 22nd to Thursday 25th August Garden City FC, Maple Avenue, OX5 1HW Eynsham Sports Pavillion, Oxford Road, OX29 4HG</p>
<p>Week 6 - Tuesday 30th August to Thursday 1st Garden City FC, Maple Avenue, OX5 1HW</p>

OSA Summer Football Camps
 For all ages & abilities 4-12 years
www.osaacademy.co.uk

On camp
 UEFA Qualified Coaches
 Fun games improving techniques
 Beat the coach
 World Cups
 And lots more...

Benefits of Camp
 Gain Confidence
 Make New Friends
 Develop New Skills
 Have Fun
 Stay Active

Don't Forget
 Suitable Clothing
 Packed Lunch
 Plenty to Drink
 Shin Pads
 Suitable Footwear

10am-3pm - £20 per day/£60 for full 4 day course
 9am-3pm - £25 per day/£80 for full 4 day course
 *OSAA member discounts & siblings discount available
 *3 day camp prices will differ slightly

For more information, an application or to book a space on any of our camp days please get in touch at info@osaacademy.co.uk, abowerman@osaacademy.co.uk or visit our website.



Mobile Staff
 NEEDED

Requirements
 Due to new business mobile staff is needed for the oxfordshire area. Term Time Only
 25 hours per week for mobile cooks
 20 hours per week mobile general assistant
 Applications please to Kirsty Brooks
kirsty.brooks@dolce.co.uk
 07587109169



Fresh eggs

We are now getting 4 or 5 delicious eggs a day from our lovely rescue chickens.

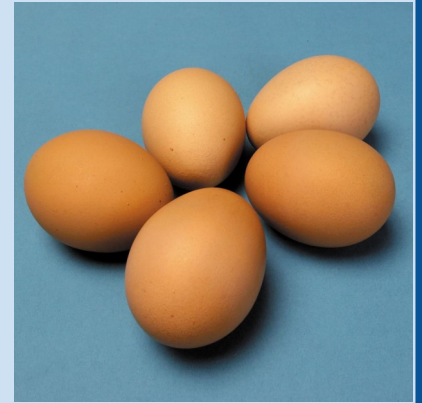
(Mrs Cluckington is now back to full health and is happily laying again!)

If you would like some of our delicious eggs, we are asking for a contribution of

£1 for 4, or £1.50 for 6

which we put towards the cost of their food.

If you would like some, please email me in the office and I'll pop your name on the waiting list, or just call in!



ST PETER'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Green, Cassington, Oxfordshire. OX29 4DN

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Stay and Play



0-4 year olds
2-3pm
£3 per family



Last Friday of each term!
30th September, 21st October, 25th November, 16th December
























No need to book - just turn up!

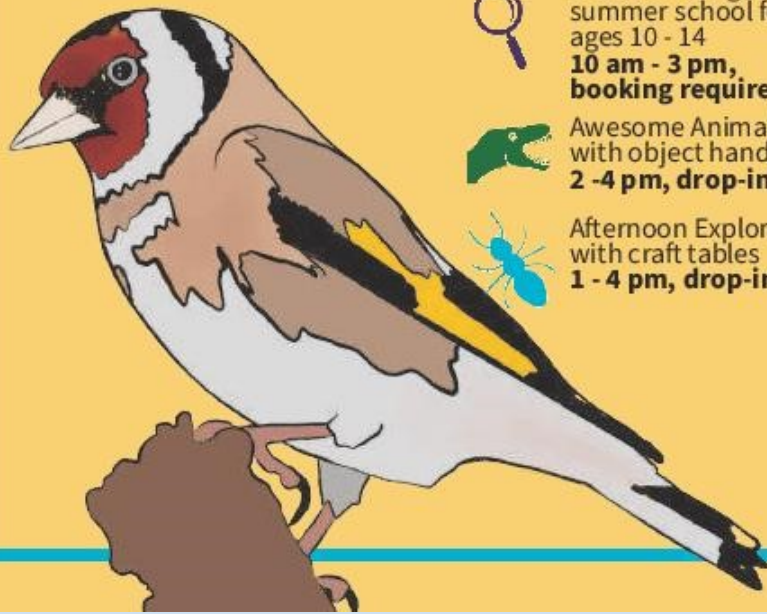


We look forward to seeing you

Your summer calendar sorted



	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
JULY	18	19	20	21	22	23	24 
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31 
AUGUST	1 	2 	3 	4 	5 	6	7 
	8 	9 	10	11	12 	13	14 
SEPTEMBER	15	16 	17	18	19 	20	21 
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Insect Investigators summer school for ages 10 - 14
10 am - 3 pm, booking required



Awesome Animals with object handling
2 - 4 pm, drop-in



Afternoon Explorers with craft tables
1 - 4 pm, drop-in



Family Friendly Sundays
2 - 4 pm, drop-in



Autism-Friendly Opening
9 - 10 am, booking required



EntoHunt: Learn about insect identifications

Learn more about our **FREE** family-friendly summer events at:
www.oumnh.ox.ac.uk/events

Summer Cycling with Windrush Bike Project

Bikeability Levels 1&2

Holiday courses

- Bike handling skills
- Learning to ride confidently on residential roads
- Ideal first course for children age 10 and above

Book your 3-hour session (27th, 28th July, 1st, 2nd August 2022.

www.bookwhen.com/windrushbikeproject?tag=bikeability



Bikeability Level 3

Holiday courses

- Boost your skills and confidence
- Negotiate traffic lights, roundabouts and town centres

2 hour sessions available on 9-11th August 2022 leaving from Windrush Bike Project. 152 B Corn Street Witney.

Book your place:
www.bookwhen.com/windrushbikeproject?tag=bikeability



Rusty Riders

Want to start cycling or get back into cycling?
Want to improve your confidence to ride with your children?

Rides of 2 – 5 miles on quiet roads and tracks including a coffee stop.

Each ride will be run by 2 qualified ride leaders.

The **BIG BIKE**
Revival



Fridays 10am: June 10th and 24th, July 8th and 22nd, Aug 12th and 26th
Windrush Bike Project. 152B Corn Street, Witney. OX28 6BY

Borrow a bike for the ride from our workshop

Rides are FREE – reserve your place

www.bookwhen.com/windrushbikeproject?tag=rides

email: admin@windrushbikeproject.uk

Bike Library

Borrow a bike and when you have outgrown it, bring it back



The library is free of charge to anyone facing hardship or in receipt of benefits.

Some adult bikes are also available. To arrange an appointment contact admin@windrushbikeproject.uk.

Supported by Active Oxfordshire.

Do you have a bike you no longer need or use?



We can give your bike a new life. We will refurbish it with the help of our workshop volunteers, and give it to someone who needs it. Or we will sell it to keep our community workshop open.



Bikes can be dropped at our workshop at 152b Corn Street, OX28 6BY, Mon 10-2, Thurs 4-7pm, Fri 9 - 5pm or Sat 9-5pm.

To book a free family cycling session with a qualified instructor email us on admin@windrushbikeproject.uk
Please visit our website for all our other activities – there is loads going on!
www.windrushbikeproject.uk

BE SMART ONLINE



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SAFE

Keep your personal information safe. When chatting or posting online don't give away things like your full name, password or home address. Remember personal information can be seen in images and videos you share too. Keep them safe to keep yourself safe.



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MEET

Meeting up with someone you only know online, even a friend of a friend, can be dangerous as this person is still a stranger. If someone you only know online ever asks you to meet up, for personal information or for photos/videos of you then tell an adult straight away and report them together on www.thinkuknow.co.uk

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ACCEPTING

Think carefully before you click on or open something online (e.g. links, adverts, friend requests, photos) as you never know where they may lead to or they may contain viruses. Do not accept something if you are unsure of who the person is or what they've sent you.



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RELIABLE

You cannot trust everything you see online as some things can be out of date, inaccurate or not entirely true. To find reliable information compare at least three different websites, check in books and talk to someone about what you have found.



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TELL

Tell a trusted adult if something or someone ever makes you feel upset, worried or confused. This could be if you or someone you know is being bullied online. There are lots of people who will be able to help you like your teachers, parents, carers or contact Childline – 0800 11 11 or www.childline.org.uk



BE SMART WITH A HEART

Remember to always be smart with a heart by being kind and respectful to others online. Make the internet a better place by helping your friends if they are worried or upset by anything that happens online.





Dino Digital Detectives

Name	
Class	
Potential harmful activity detected	
Date handed to office	

Action	
Review	

Unlocking....

Minds that learn, Hearts that love, Faith that gives

