

Friday 17th July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I do hope that this newsletter finds you well and looking forward to the upcoming summer holidays.

We have had another sweltering week here at Westonzoyland! My highlight has to be the Year 6 performance of 'Grossbusters'. The children were simply brilliant! The singing and dancing that was on display was incredible – and I really enjoyed the energy that everyone put into their performances, as well as the many comedy lines that made the audience laugh out loud. Well done to all involved and I'd like to personally thank Mr Whitmore for making some fabulous props, as well as the staff team of Mrs Bell and Miss Hurley for their amazing patience, guidance and support of the children that enabled the performances to be such a success.



In other news, on Wednesday our Osprey Class enjoyed a class trip to the Muller factory. The children enjoyed learning about the journey of milk from the farm to the finished product. The children showed great curiosity throughout the visit, asking lots of thoughtful questions and demonstrating excellent engagement. At the end of the trip, everyone was delighted to receive a free water bottle and notebook to take home as a souvenir.



As they head towards the end of their journey in primary school, our Year 6 children are currently enjoying a trip to Crealy Adventure Park today, having raised money throughout the year from a variety of events and initiatives, to help pay towards the costs for the day. I am sure that they will have a memorable and enjoyable time. My thanks go to Mrs Bell for organising this lovely opportunity!

As we near the end of term, I wanted to make you aware of a new event that is happening on Monday after school, our inaugural WZ Music Performance. Letters have been sent out to the children performing, and it promises to be a lovely occasion in which people can get a flavour for some of the wonderful musical talent that we have in our school. My thanks in advance goes to our music teacher, Miss Stringer, who has been instrumental in supporting the music in the school and putting this new opportunity together.



Safeguarding is the responsibility of everybody. In terms of keeping children safe, please Don't think, 'What if I'm wrong?' Think... 'What if I am right?'. If you have any concerns about a pupil, you should report this to a member of staff immediately. If you feel a pupil is at risk or a subject of abuse, you must contact the Designated Safeguarding Team immediately (dsl@wzps.co.uk). The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mr Clark and Deputy Designated Safeguarding leads are Mrs Bell, Mrs Bridgeman and Ms Hellyer. The school Safeguarding and Child Protection Governor is Miss Nikki Doughty. If you are ever worried about a child or young person who could be in danger, please contact Children's Social Care on 0300 123 2224 or via email on childrens@somerset.gov.uk.

Attendance Matters



Well done to Hobby Class who achieved the highest attendance score this week! Our whole school attendance this academic year stands at 95.8% and our target is 97%.

It is incredibly important that our children attend school as much as they possibly can to make the most of their learning opportunities. Our teachers work hard to provide an engaging, purposeful and inspiring curriculum and we don't want our children to miss out on it. Thank you, as ever, for your support in maintaining regular school attendance for your child/children.

Merlin 97%

Kestrel 95%

Osprey 95.2%

Buzzard 96.1%

Eagle 95.4%

Hobby 97.9%

PTFA

- The PTFA are looking for parent helpers for their fundraising events. Whether you can help in part or for a whole event, any help would be gratefully received. Please email wz-p-t-f-a@hotmail.com. Thank you.

Upcoming key dates

- Friday 17th July – Year 6 trip to Crealy Adventure Park.
- Monday 20th July – Music performance to parents (3.30pm – 4.15pm)
- Wednesday 22nd July – Leavers Service 9am (whole school to attend, parent helpers needed)
- Wednesday 22nd July – Y6 Leaver Assembly to parents 11am (school hall) followed by parent picnic.
- Wednesday 22nd July – End of term.

Notices

- Our new ParentPay system is up and running. Please speak to Laura in the office if you have not received an activation email.
- We are always in need of adult helpers to listen to the children read during the school day. If you feel that this is something you'd like to help us with, please do contact Laura in the office for more information.

This will be my final newsletter of the year and before I sign off, I would like to wish all of our wonderful Westonzoyland community a happy, restful, and fun-filled summer holiday.

With very best wishes,

Mr. Andy Clark



WESTONZOYLAND
PTFA

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WE NEED
VOLUNTEERS!

**HELP MAKE OUR PTFA
A HUGE SUCCESS!**

WHY VOLUNTEER?



**SUPPORT OUR
SCHOOL**

Every hour you give
helps raise vital
funds for our
children and
school.



**MAKE A
DIFFERENCE**

Your time and
skills help create
amazing events
and memories for
our children.



**BE PART OF A
GREAT TEAM**

Meet new people,
make friends and
be part of our
friendly school
community.



**DEVELOP NEW
SKILLS**

Learn, grow and
use your talents –
no experience
needed!



**FUN &
REWARDING**

It's fun, fulfilling
and you'll see the
fantastic impact
you make!

**EVERY
BIT OF HELP
COUNTS!**

**WHETHER YOU CAN SPARE AN HOUR
OR A WHOLE DAY – WE'D LOVE TO
HEAR FROM YOU!**



Let's work
together to
make a difference
for our school
community! 



GET IN TOUCH!

Email:
wz-p-t-f-a@hotmail.com
or speak to a member
of the PTFA



THANK YOU!

Your support makes a
big difference to our
school community.



**FOLLOW US ON
FACEBOOK**

@Westonzoyland PTFA

WHY JOIN?

➤ 8 REASONS TO JOIN OUR PTFA ➤

1



YOUR CHILD BENEFITS

We enrich school life with books, playground equipment, sports and more.

2



MAKE A DIFFERENCE

We run fun events like Disco, Christmas parties and the Summer Fair—building community and raising vital funds.

3



FEEL INVOLVED

Join our friendly team and help shape your child's school experience.

4



TOTALLY FLEXIBLE

Any time you can give—big or small—makes a real difference.

5



BECAUSE IT'S FUN

Great events, great people, great laughs—and everyone's welcome!

6



BE BETTER CONNECTED

Work with teachers and staff and feel more connected to the school community.

7



NOT JUST FOR MUMS

Everyone is welcome—parents, carers, grandparents, aunts, uncles and friends.

8



KEEP THE PTFA GOING

As children move on, new parents help ensure the PTFA can continue for years to come.



TOGETHER, WE MAKE OUR SCHOOL GREAT

G&T SPORTS CAMP

An Exceptional Sporting Experience for Children with a Passion for Sport



Following the outstanding success of our **Gifted and Talented Programme** for children in Years 3 to 6, we are delighted to introduce our **Inaugural Gifted and Talented Sports Camp**.

This exclusive three-day camp is designed for young athletes who demonstrate a **genuine passion for sport**. Participants will benefit from a supportive yet challenging environment, carefully structured to develop technical ability, confidence and overall sporting performance. Led by highly experienced coaches, the programme offers expert instruction across a variety of disciplines. Children will take part in high-quality coaching sessions in **hockey, football, dodgeball, athletics and more**, providing a unique opportunity to refine skills and **maximise** their sporting potential.

 **Camp Location: Bridgwater College**
Bath Road, Bridgwater, Somerset, TA6 4PZ

CAMP DATES
WEDNESDAY 29th JULY
THURSDAY 30th JULY
FRIDAY 31st JULY

9am until 3pm

LEAD COACHES

- **Gareth Lewis** – Lead Lecturer in Sport at Bridgwater College, with over 15 years of experience
- **John Irish** – Sedgemoor School Sport Organiser, with over 20 years of experience

CAMP PRICING

£30 Per Day

£80 All Three Days



What to Bring:

- ✓ Suitable sports clothing and trainers
- ✓ Plenty to drink
- ✓ Snacks
- ✓ Sunscreen
- ✓ Lunch

• Child's Name: _____

• Date of Birth: _____

• Year Group (child has just finished): ☐ Year 3 ☐ Year 4 ☐ Year 5 ☐ Year 6

• Emergency Contact Name: _____

• Emergency Contact Number: _____

• I permit/consent:

☐ I give permission for my child to participate in the G&T Sports Camp.

☐ I consent to emergency medical treatment if required.

☐ I consent to photographs/videos being taken of my child for promotional purposes.

Additional medical information (e.g. allergies, medications): _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE, CONTACT: John Irish 07534 636500
or email: Championsportsandevents@hotmail.co.uk

Please return this completed form before the first day of camp.

PLACES ARE LIMITED
SO PLEASE BOOK EARLY



SUMMER HOLIDAY TENNIS CAMPS 2026



Avenue TC - Burnham on Sea



Thursday 23rd - Friday 24th July (2 Days)

9.30 - 12.30pm (4 - 12 years)

Thursday 13th - Friday 14th August 2 Days)

9.30 - 12.30pm (4 - 12 years)



Bridgwater TC



Monday 10th - Tuesday 11th August (2 Days)

1.00 - 4.00pm (4 - 12 years)

Monday 17th - Tuesday 18th August (2 Days)

1.00 - 4.00pm (4 - 12 years)



Online booking and payment available at

www.tennis-extreme.com

(Book Full Camp or individual Days)

For further details about the Camps please contact Tim Seymour
on 07887 723554 or e-mail tennisextremeuk@gmail.com



at

Junior Club
2026

Bridgwater
Tennis
Club



Every Friday

From 5pm–6.15pm

For ages 8 years +

For...Tennis practice, playing tips, learn matchplay etc

AND play table tennis

Parents are requested to stay for the session and are welcome to join in if 'parent members'

For more information

bob.kippen@hotmail.co.uk

07833 365333



Annual

Membership

Junior £10

Parent £25

B-ELITE
KIDS

SUMMER CAMP 2026

★★ ALL NEW ACTIVITIES, COMPS, INSTRUCTORS AND MORE...★★

DAY PASSES AVAILABLE



ALL FOOD & DRINK



OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES



MARTIAL ARTS TRAINING



COMPETITIONS



BBQ NIGHT



MOVIE NIGHT



TAKEAWAY NIGHT



BOUNCY CASTLES



SKITTLES COMPETITION



SWIMMING POOL



AND MUCH MUCH MORE...

ALL THIS FOR ONLY

£150



29TH JUL - 31ST JUL
12TH AUG - 14TH AUG
19TH AUG - 21ST AUG

BOOK NOW →



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📍 West House, Chilton Polden, TA7 9DR



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Council



TEA & TRUMPETS

SATURDAY 25TH JULY

10AM - 3PM

BLAKE GARDENS,
BRIDGWATER

WITH PERFORMANCES FROM
BURTLE SILVER BAND &
BURNHAM AND HIGHBRIDGE BRASS BAND



**Bridgwater
Playday**



**St Matthews Field,
TA6 7BT**

Wednesday 5 August 2026

10.00am - 3.00pm



A free event for children and families

**Children must be
accompanied by an
adult**

**Parking available
on site at £1 per car**

**Please note photos
will be taken for
publicity purposes**

**Dogs must be kept
on a lead and litter
picked up**



**Bridgwater
Town
Council**



somerset
COMMUNITY | FOUNDATION



Funeralcare

Sedgemoor fm
104.2



Bridgwater
Town
Council

Living History Day



Saturday 22nd August
10am - 4pm
Blake Gardens, Bridgwater

**FEATURING FULL COMBAT DISPLAYS FROM THE SOMERSET BARONS,
RE-ENACTMENTS FROM THE ERMINE STREET GUARD, MUSKET FIRING
FROM HISTORY WORKSHOPS AND LIVING HISTORY DISPLAYS FROM
THE SUTTON HOUSEHOLD**

PLUS AXE THROWING, ARCHERY AND INTERACTIVE SWORD FIGHTING

Summer Craft Workshop
at St Mary's Church,
Westonzoyland
on Saturday 18th July from
10:30am-12:00pm



Decorate a useful fabric beach bag for the holidays

Make a paper aeroplane and fly it to win the competition



Decorate shells as gifts or ornaments

Make summer flower posies for someone you love



Plus, lots more activities for every age!!
And even better it's all free!

All ages are welcome, but children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

Refreshments provided

HANDBELLS

Make Music Learn Together

Teamwork

Childrens Handbell Team

**COME AND
HAVE A GO**

A little musical knowledge is a useful thing but we can teach you what you need to know.



WHEN

WEDNESDAYS

19 August 2026

26 August 2026

4.00pm - 4.45pm

WHERE

**WESTONZOYLAND
CHURCH**

WHO

**ACCOMPANIED
CHILDREN
aged 8 and Over**

Contact Details

Gina Scarbro

0776 515 4041

felixthecat249@gmail.com



Members of HRGB
Handbell Ringers of Great Britain

HRGB CRESCENDO SCHEME

**EARN BADGES
AS YOU LEARN**

Any questions please get in touch.



 *Westonzoyland Primary*

ACTIVE CAMP



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ACTIVE

 SUMMER HOLIDAYS

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W/C July 27th	Laser Tag	Inflatable Day	Olympic and Paralympic	Tournament Thursday	Racket Sports
W/C August 10th	Batting Day	Dragonball	Nerf Battles	Mini Golf	Target Day



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