



Ampney Crucis C of E Primary School
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Newsletter 12: Summer Term 2 2024

Welcome back to the last half term of the year.

I hope you had an enjoyable half term week and saw some sun somewhere!

It is an extremely busy and action packed half term with all the dates and events are on the school website. Please keep checking for different events.

A highlight for me is always our Sports Day this year on **Monday 24th June** (fingers crossed for good weather) but before that we have our amazing **Sponsored Colour run on Saturday 15th June**. Our Summer Fair on **Friday 12th July** plans to be bigger (and drier) than last year so please come and help out, if you can in the afternoon and bring all your friends and family along after school.

Of course, this half term is all about saying goodbye to our Year 6 children and welcoming our new Maple children. Year 6 have a lot to look forward to including but not exclusively; their performances of Pirates of the Curry Bean, Leavers Service at Gloucester Cathedral, Presentation afternoon and **Leaver's Service in our Church on Wednesday 17th July at 9:30- all are welcome to join us.**

Work never stops when the children are off, and this half term has seen the installation of a wonderful canopy covering the majority of Willow's outdoor area- somewhere to keep the children dry and sheltered. Many thanks to all of you for your contributions to the different events put on by The Friends as they contributed to paying half of cost. It is going to make such a difference to the children's daily learning and provision.



It is National Thank a Teacher day on June 19th. In fact, you can thank anyone who works in school by sending a virtual thank you card via this website.

<https://thankateacher.co.uk/>

I know that any staff member that receives one will be delighted, and really will make their day.

Winning House for last half term

It looked like it was going to be a different winning house but when all the points were added up Dodd won again so dress down for anyone in this house will be this Friday, 7th June.

This week

Chestnut and Willow are out on a trip this week, while Year 5 has a forest school session on Friday and some children are out at a cricket tournament.

Amongst all the busy things happening this week we will be taking some time to reflect on the 80th anniversary of the D-Day landings and the significance of this event.

Please, if the weather does improve can children remember a hat and suncream (please label the bottle) which they need to be able to put on themselves.

Have a lovely week.

Mrs Wood

