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Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back everyone! We are so glad to be back and our first week back at the Federation has been an exciting one.

At Stoke, Owls Class went on an educational visit to Carrymoor Environmental Trust on Tuesday, and lots of planting took place at after school gardening club!

At Croscombe, Chestnuts have been learning about Greek Mythology and with this lovely weather we have been able to take the children up to the school field for lunchtime play.

Just a quick reminder that Friday 25th June is an INSET day so there will be no school that day.

DON'T FORGET—RAINBOW Runners next Friday 18th June raising money for the Children's Hospice South West. Children are invited to wear brightly coloured clothes and bring in a small donation.

Ofsted Report—Stoke St Michael

We have now received the report from OFSTED for the monitoring visit made to Stoke St Michael Primary School on 5th May 2021 and the Inspector judged that:

"Leaders and those responsible for governance are taking effective action in order for the school to become a good school."

The full report is attached to the newsletter and will be available on the OFSTED website next week.

Stoke Summer Street Trail



On Saturday 3rd July, Stoke PTA will be holding an exciting summer fair with a difference! It will be a Summer Fair Street Trail held in people's front gardens around the village. The Summer Fair Street Trail will be held between 11am and 3pm. It will have all the usual favourites like hook a duck, lucky dip, face glitter, splat the rat, tombola, raffle etc.

If you live in Stoke St Michael and interested in paying £5 to have your own stall, please email stokepta@yahoo.com to register.

To help the PTA with this, on Thursday 24th June, the PTA are asking the children to come to school with "Crazy Head Gear". This could be crazy hats, crazy hair and crazy hair colours. In return, the PTA ask for a bottle of something for the Tombola! The bottle can be anything such as shampoo, wine, deodorant, water etc. Please make sure it is sealed and in date.

If you have any questions, then please feel free to ask a PTA member who will be happy to help!

Sports Day!

With the help of Mr D, we will be hosting Sports Day at both schools at the end of this term. Stoke St Michael's will be held on Monday 19th July at 1.30pm

Croscombe's will be on Wednesday 21st July at 1.30pm—school field

Parents will be invited (subject to COVID guidelines) to come and watch their children participate. More information to come so watch this space...



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PE at Croscombe

As we are experiencing some lovely weather, and with sports day to work towards, we are changing the days on which the children at Croscombe will have PE. Due to the time taken to walk to and from the field, the children will now have an extended session at the field for PE each week. This means that the days the children need to wear their PE kit into school will be:



These changes are coming into effect the week commencing Monday 14th June 2021.

Acorns	Friday
Chestnuts	Tuesday
Conkers	Thursday

Croscombe Forest School

A quick reminder for Croscombe parents/guardians that Wednesday 16th June, Reception class will be starting Forest School!

Please remember to bring your child in appropriate clothing e.g. wellies and clothes that are suitable for getting muddy and dirty.

Reminder of Behaviour Outside School Premises at Stoke

A gentle reminder to please be respectful and considerate when or after dropping your child/children to school. We have had some incidents of people littering, dropping cigarette ends and congregating outside of drop off hours.

As you are aware, the school is located in a lovely small village and we urge you to be mindful of this area.

We would appreciate it massively if you all keep this in mind and look after our communities!

SAVE THE DATE:

REMINDER: Tuesday 20th July - Year 6 are going to Mill on the Brue for a day of adventure challenges! More info to follow soon.....

Goodbyes

With sadness we are saying goodbye to three members of staff at the end of this time, Mrs Afsaw our Federation SENCO, Mrs Boardman our Acorns HTLA at Croscombe and Miss Rose our Acorns HTLA at Stoke.

All three have been a great asset to our team, and we will miss them greatly. We would like to thank them for all of their hard work in their time with the Federation and wish them good luck in the future!



Enjoy the sunshine,

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