

Uphill Village Academy

Newsletter 12th May 2023

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Message from the Principal

Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly, I hope you all enjoyed the bank holiday weekend and King's Coronation celebrations.

I would like to say how proud I am of our Year 6 children who have worked really hard and remained focussed throughout their SATs this week. Next week they have their very well deserved residential trip to Charterhouse Activity Centre on the Mendips, lets hope they get some good weather.

Well done to those Year 4 pupils who took part in the Bikeability course last week. The children enjoyed learning about road safety and all achieved their level 1 accreditation.

Finally, I would like to thank all the parents who have taken the time to complete our Parent Survey. If you haven't had a chance to complete this, then you have until the end of the weekend to do so using this link: [Parent Survey](#)

Mrs Hodder, Principal



Principal:

Mrs Samantha Hodder

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Class Photos

On Thursday 25th May, Tulip Photography will be visiting school to take our class photographs.

Our Year 6 children will have their individual photograph taken, as a



memento as their final year in primary school. Children should wear full school uniform and school jumpers MUST be worn.



Coronation of King Charles III



In honour of the King's Coronation, the whole school celebrated this momentous occasion with a street party lunch on Friday.

In typical British-style we made the best of the weather, setting up tables outside and decorating the playground with red, white & blue bunting. Most children were able to eat their lunch outside before the rain came and we had to move to a picnic in the hall. All the children enjoyed a piece of celebration cake to mark the occasion.



A special thank you to the staff team and caterers for organising this event and thank you to members of the PTFA who came along to help out.

The children were also presented with a commemorative bookmark, kindly donated by the PTFA, to mark this special event in history.



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Sports Day

Please join us for Sports Day on Thursday 6th July.

Key Stage 2 (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6) - 9.15am until 11.00am.

EYFS & Key Stage 1 (Year 1 and Year 2) - 2.00pm until 3.00pm.



For Sports Day children's PE kit should be either a white t-shirt, navy or black shorts and trainers or daps.

If they wish, children can wear a t-shirt or hat in their House colour

Unfortunately, this event is weather dependent and a decision will be made on Wednesday 6th July as to whether it will go ahead.

Dates for the diary

Don't forget to check out the school website for all our events as well as lots more useful class information and an array of great photos of our children's learning;

<https://uphillvillageacademy.clf.uk/events/>

May

Monday 15th - 19th

Year 6 Charterhouse Residential Trip

Tuesday 16th

Year 4 Folly Farm Residential Parent Meeting @ 3.15pm—School Hall

Thursday 18th

PTFA Textile Recycling @ 9.00am. Bags left by Ellesmere Road flower box

Thursday 25th

Class & Year 6 Photos

Friday 26th

END OF TERM 5

June

Monday 5th

START OF TERM 6

Term 6 Extra-curricular clubs start this week

Tuesday 6th

Sunshine Class Noah's Ark Trip

Wednesday 7th

Saturn Class Noah's Ark Trip

Monday 12th

Rainbow Class Noah's Ark Trip

Thursday 15th

New Intake September EYFS Parents Evening @ 5,00pm—School Hall

Thursday 15th & 16th

Year 4 Folly Farm Residential Trip

Tuesday 20th

Year 5 & 6 Sport Event in school

July

Thursday 6th

Sports Day

Friday 7th

INSET DAY (School closed to pupils)

Monday 17th

No Extra-Curricular Clubs this week

Friday 21st

END OF ACADEMIC YEAR

Community News



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Free, confidential
Information and advice
drop in

Third Tuesday of the month
9.30-2.30

SESSION DATES:
16th MAY
20th JUNE
18th JULY

The Firs, 89a Drive Road
Weston-super-mare BS23 3NX

No appointment necessary but slots
will be limited to 30 minutes when
busy.



For details and
booking to
all of our events



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North Somerset
Events

May - July
2023

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| NS Transitions Coffee Morning Tuesday 9th May 2023 | SEND and You Youth Matters Group Monday 22nd May 2023 |
| SEND and You Youth Matters Group Monday 19th June 2023 | SEND Support Information Session Wednesday 17th May 2023 |
| North Somerset Morning SEND Surgery Wednesday 24 May 2023 | North Somerset Evening SEND Surgery Tuesday 13th June 2023 |
| SEND and You Professionals' Information Day Tuesday 12th July 2023 | |

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Time Out For Parents



Handling Anger in the Family

Sessions for anyone parenting children aged 5 to 16

Date
Friday, 12.30pm – 2.30pm
9th June, 16th June, 23rd June,
30th June 2023

Venue
Locking Castle Church
Jasmine Way
Locking Castle
Weston Super Mare,
BS24 7JW

Booking & Further Information
Contact Cathy Bond
Mobile 07875 442139
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