

Newsletter ~ Term 3, Week 1

Welcome back and a very happy new year to you all. On behalf of all the staff, I want to say a huge thank you for all the gifts, cards and warm wishes you gave us at the end of last term – they were much appreciated and we are still feasting our way through the goodies! The children have come back to school looking refreshed and ready to learn their way through another busy term.

We need to have copies of baptismal certificates for any Catholic children wanting to join us in the Reception class in September. Please bring the certificate to the office by 15 January.

We have some **special theme menus** coming up this term:

17 Jan: Build a Burger

5 Feb: Chinese Day

5 March: Pancake Day (for pudding)

26 March: Italian Day

Please note that Thursday 17 Jan is Census Day; we would encourage all children to participate in a school lunch that day as the more children who are registered for lunch the more funding we get into school for school meals.

Allergies

Please remember to inform us if your child has any new allergies or food intolerances of which we need to be aware. We have a child in school at present with a peanut allergy so we are asking that **no food containing peanuts be brought into school**. This does not include any food that 'may contain traces'.

Houses of Parliament Trip

Year 5 and 6 children need to come to school on Monday in smart school uniform with a coat and plenty of easy-to-eat-on-the-go foods and lots to drink. We will be leaving school promptly in the morning. It will be a long but exciting day and we hope to be back in Nailsea at around 8pm. Keep an eye on ParentPay emails for updates.

Next Week

Monday 11: year 5 and 6 visit to Houses of Parliament

Thursday 17: Build a Burger lunch

Bad Weather

A reminder of the procedures we follow if there is bad weather and decisions have to be made as to whether the school will be open, partially closed or closed. In the case of poor weather conditions, parents will be notified through:

- the welcome message on the school telephone 01275 855373
- the school website
- ParentPay email
- the North Somerset Council website www.n-somerset.gov.uk/disruption
- local radio.

And Finally...

***Let our New Year's resolution be this:
we will be there for one another as
fellow members of humanity, in the
finest sense of the word.***

Goran Persson





NORTH SOMERSET ATHLETICS CLUB AND ACADEMY
SOUTH WEST CLUB OF THE YEAR 2018
ATHLETICS COACHING/FUNDAYS
WINTER/SPRING 2019
 Delivered by 2018 South West Coach of the Year Chris Millard and supported by NSAC Coaches/Ambassadors
 Clevedon School Sports Centre
 Age 7-12 - All abilities welcome
 10am - 4pm
 £17.00 per day
 A great taste of this action-packed sport!

NORTH SOMERSET ATHLETIC CLUB AND ACADEMY
WINTER/SPRING 2019 DATES

FEBRUARY HALF-TERM

MONDAY 18TH FEBRUARY 2019	TUESDAY 19TH FEBRUARY 2019	WEDNESDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2019	THURSDAY 21ST FEBRUARY 2019
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EASTER HOLIDAYS

MONDAY 8TH APRIL 2019	TUESDAY 9TH APRIL 2019	WEDNESDAY 10TH APRIL 2019	THURSDAY 11TH APRIL 2019
MONDAY 15TH APRIL 2019	TUESDAY 16TH APRIL 2019	WEDNESDAY 17TH APRIL 2019	THURSDAY 18TH APRIL 2019

MAY HALF-TERM

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***** "THE BEST ATHLETICS DAYS IN THE AREA" *****

DELIVERED BY AWARD-WINNING NGB LEVEL 3 COACH, GB/WELSH INTERNATIONAL,
 WITH MORE THAN 25 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN THE SPORT

To book, for more information please email chrisbtg@blueyonder.co.uk
 For more info please visit <http://www.nhsac.org.uk/news/fundays/>

Teach Child Safety

We need more volunteers to cope with increased demand. Can you help?

Lifeskills is an interactive safety education centre in The Create Centre, Hotwells, Bristol. It is built as a realistic village, designed to teach children how to deal with potentially difficult or dangerous situations, in a safe environment.



Volunteers are trained to guide small groups of primary school children around the life-like scenarios using an interactive approach to teach safety skills.



CAN YOU HELP?

Guides train at a pace that suits them with the support of experienced trainer guides.

Sessions run, Monday to Friday, from 9.30am-12noon & 12.30pm-3.00pm.

To find out more please call **0117 9224511** or email



www.lifeskills-bristol.org.uk



SOUTH WEST CLUB OF THE YEAR 2018

NSAC are one of the top Junior Athletic Clubs in the South West, catering for more than 400 athletes aged 8+. We train across the area, with the emphasis on enjoyment, fitness and personal achievement. We follow the National Governing Body's Long Term Athlete Development model, aimed at producing athletes who enjoy a range of events and activities into their late teens and beyond...



TRAINING & COMPETITION

NSAC run sessions from Clevedon, WSM and Nailsea in a variety of events, and for children of all abilities, not just for 'elite' performers. Details of sessions can be found on www.nsac.org.uk/training/

NSAC successfully compete in various Track & Field Leagues (Avon, YDL), Cross-Country Leagues (Gwent), Road races and Sportshall, plus we encourage athletes to attend County, Regional and National Championships, creating National Champions and Internationals along the way...



For all enquiries, please email contact@nsac.org.uk



NSAC HALF-TERM COACHING/FUNDAYS

NSAC have been delivering specialist Coaching/Fundays since 2005. Fronted by 2018 South West Coach of the Year Chris Millard, and supported by NSAC Club Ambassadors, we ensure athletes get an excellent experience of our action-packed sport! We are a high-quality option for your children during half-terms, with badges, certificates and medals up for grabs. For more information please visit www.nsac.org.uk/news/fundays/



"We have taken part in various fundays in the area for a few years now, but yours are definitely the best we have been to by some margin. My kids loved it, and will definitely be back" - HK 2017

"Ace, first-class. The best we've seen" - LB 2017

NSAC & SCHOOLS

NSAC have worked in most schools across North Somerset. Whether it is delivering Track & Field, supporting Cross-Country, Quadkids or Sportshall Competitions, or assisting with Gifted & Talented Programs, NSAC are never far away. New from 2018: 50m Sprint Challenge, Mini-Marathon support, setting up or improving existing Running Clubs, and adding variety to 'Mile-a-day' initiative. Always happy to attend schools, just ask!



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