



PAULTON JUNIOR SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



FRIDAY 12TH JUNE 2026

Learning Together, Learning For Life

Our Paulton Junior School 6R Values

RESPECT RESOURCEFUL RESILIENCE REASONING RESPONSIBILITY REFLECTIVE

Diary Dates

Tuesday 16th June – **Sports Day** 1pm
Thursday 2nd July – **Move Up Day- YEAR 6 to new school**
Friday 3rd July – **Summer Fair**
Tuesday 7th July – **Rocksteady Concert**
Tuesday 14th July - **Year 6 Performance of Aladdin** 6pm
Wednesday 15th July – **Year 6 Performances of Aladdin** 1.30pm and 6pm
Friday 17th July – **End of Term**
Monday 20th July – **Inset Day**
Tuesday 21st July – **Inset Day**

Taekwondo



We were delighted to welcome Ms Fober, a local Taekwondo coach from Midsomer Norton TAGB Taekwondo Club, who led an exciting session with each class. The children thoroughly enjoyed learning some basic Taekwondo skills and techniques, showing great enthusiasm and focus throughout. Any children interested in continuing their Taekwondo journey are warmly invited to attend a free trial session at Dragonfly Leisure, Writhlington. Further information can be found at Midsomer Norton TAGB Taekwondo Club: <https://midsomernortontagbtaekwondo.co.uk>.

Sports Day – Tuesday 16th June - Doors open at 1pm

Parents/Carers – you are invited to come along to spectate at the annual sports day at Paulton Juniors on Tuesday. Already the lines are marked out and the children have been practising athletics in their PE lessons. Everyone will be cheering on their House Team.

All children are expected to wear their coloured house T-shirt, blue or black shorts/skort/ joggers and trainers. Long hair must be tied back and no jewellery to be worn. The weather forecast is cloudy/warm; please ensure your child has a water bottle, a sunhat and has applied sun cream. We look forward to seeing you there!

School Games Silver Award



We are delighted to announce that our school has achieved the Silver School Games Mark in recognition of our commitment to promoting sport and physical activity. This award reflects the hard work of our pupils and staff in creating an active school environment. To achieve this accreditation, we demonstrated a range of opportunities for children to be active, including engaging playtimes, participation in competitive sporting events, and a variety of extracurricular clubs and activities. We also encourage children to take part in sports outside of school, helping them develop healthy lifestyles, teamwork skills, and a lifelong enjoyment of physical activity. We are incredibly proud of this achievement and look forward to continuing to build on our sporting success.

Noah's Ark Zoo



Year 5 were lucky enough to go on a visit to Noah's Ark in Bristol last Friday. We had an amazing experience meeting a variety of animals such as: gibbons, crocodiles, capybaras, lions, zebras, elephants, meerkats to name but a few!

We learnt all about how animals adapt in the wild during a work shop and even got to hold a giant African snail and a tenrec which very few people know about!

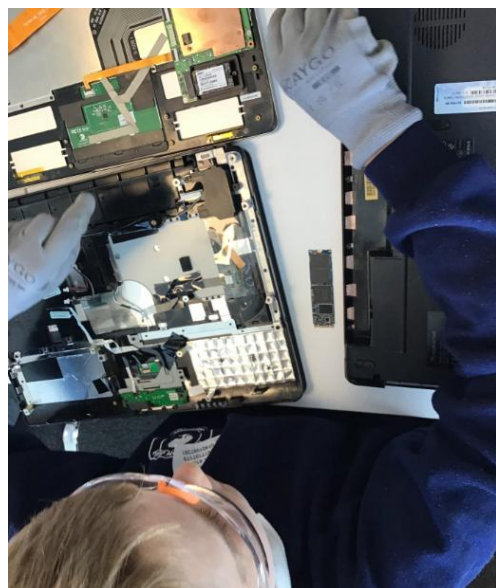
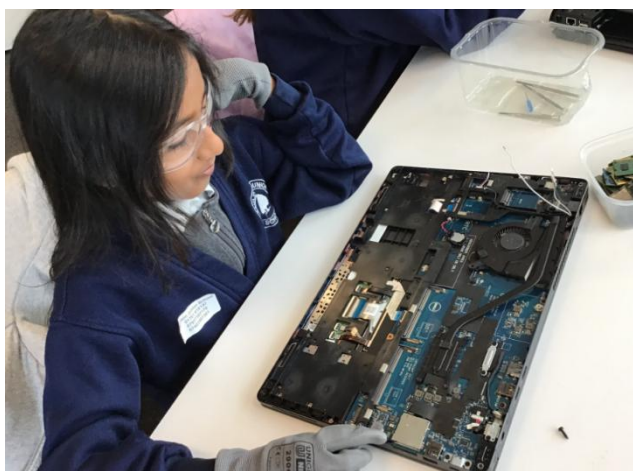


It was great seeing animals that we can't see in the British wilderness. Some of us even got to feed meerkats with live crickets! A fabulous day was had by all!



Year 6 Visit to Keynsham Recycling Centre

As part of our Year Six science topic 'Looking After Our Environment' we learn how to reduce the amount of waste sent to landfill. What better way to learn this than visit Keynsham Recycle Centre! Pupils took part in four hands-on, engaging workshops where they stripped cables to reveal copper wire, dismantled laptops to identify components that could be upgraded rather than discarded, explored household recycling made up of mixed materials and learned how to take apart small electrical items to support effective recycling. We also watched live footage of machinery in action and discovered fascinating facts about landfill and recycling that truly wowed us. The engagement from all Year 6 pupils made their teachers extremely proud.



Girl's Football

Paulton March into the Plate Final After Six-Goal Sensation!

The afternoon sun shone brightly on Paulton Junior School today as our incredible girls' football team delivered a spectacular, high-octane performance to secure a thumping 6-1 victory over Norton Hill Primary! Played in front of a packed, roaring crowd of passionate supporters from both schools, the atmosphere was absolutely electric from the very first whistle.

While the match began with a few tense, nervous moments, Paulton quickly shook off the cobwebs and found their rhythm in spectacular style. Clara broke the deadlock and settled the early anxiety, producing a brilliant burst through the centre of the pitch before unleashing a clinical strike to get Paulton off the mark. With the ice broken, the floodgates opened. Harper put on an absolute masterclass in finishing, tearing through the opposition's defence to net four brilliantly taken goals in a sensational display of attacking flair. Behind her, the midfield trio of Evelyn, Niya and Jessie completely dominated the centre of the pitch, dictating the tempo and suffocating any attempt at a Norton Hill fightback.

The victory was a true squad effort, driven by a relentless strategy of rolling substitutions that kept a constant supply of fresh legs on the pitch. Willow was an absolute machine, working tirelessly to track down attackers and reclaim possession in dangerous territory. Moving forward, Erin looked incredibly strong and confident on the ball, while Tega dazzled the crowd with her trademark skill, embarking on a series of wonderful, maze-like dribbles that pushed Paulton into advanced attacking positions time and time again. When Norton Hill did manage to break through, they ran straight into a brick wall. Angel and Hannah put on a defensive clinic, pulling off a series of fantastic, decisive clearances to protect our increasingly dependable and confident goalkeeper, Maia. Even when the spirited Norton Hill goalkeeper made a heroic flurry of brilliant saves late in the game, Paulton refused to let up. Reacting with lightning-fast instincts,

captain Evelyn pounced on a rebound to fire home a thoroughly deserved sixth and final goal. This magnificent 6-1 triumph means our girls have officially booked their place in the highly anticipated Plate Final! Huge congratulations to the entire squad for their phenomenal teamwork, and a big well done to Norton Hill Primary for a fiercely competitive and spirited match. The countdown to the big game begins now! Watch this space for upcoming news on exactly where and when the Plate Final will take place—our girls are going for silverware, and they will need your incredible support!

PTA

Recently, some new wooden structures have been added to the playscape. Big Wood returned to construct on-site, two more tee-pee dens and the wonderful fort with scramble net and ramp. These provide opportunities for the children to play imaginatively, hide, climb and explore the amazing environment in our school grounds. The PTA fundraising last year has made this all possible. Thanks again for the donations.



Miner's installation



We were delighted to receive a 3ft metal miner donated from **The Somerset Miners Welfare Trust**. They have been offered to local schools to help teach children about the area's coal mining heritage. The schools' initiative builds on the success of the wider metal miners project, which has seen over forty seven-foot silhouettes installed at locations across the coalfield over the past two years. From town centres and railway stations to recreation grounds and canal paths, the metal miners have sparked conversations and reminded communities of the industry that shaped the region for centuries. Bringing a smaller version into schools is a natural next step in broadening that awareness among younger children.

Bryn and Mo delivered the miner to school and presented it to Mrs Rawlings and the house captains on behalf of the Junior school. The children were very proud to receive the miner and spoke with the two ex-miners about their jobs in the pit at Writhlington Colliery, that closed in 1974. In Year 3, the children study the local area and visit Radstock Museum to see artefacts from the local coal mines and to learn about life in the past.

The miner will take pride and place in the school garden and be a reminder to everyone about the importance of our local mining heritage.



Tennis Balls Donated

Thank you to Somer Valley Tennis Club (SVT) who have donated used tennis balls to the school. The pupils and staff are so grateful for them. They are being used regularly in PE lessons, playtimes and after-school clubs.



Summer Fair

This year the Summer Fair will take place on Friday 3rd July. Children are invited to wear Non-Uniform and can bring their donations of a bottle and a cake to the hall on the morning of the fair. There will be plenty of fun stalls and an opportunity to visit the beautiful playscape to see the new additions. If you can volunteer to run a stall, please contact the PTA or let the school office know, all help is really appreciated to ensure funds can be raised for the children at both Infant and Junior Schools.

REMEMBER- Please sell your raffle tickets and return the named stubs and money to the school office via your child's blue box, in the classroom. If you need any more to buy or sell, please ask at the office, there are some in the reception area.

STALLS, GAMES, BOUNCY SLIDE, ICE CREAM VAN AND MORE

JOIN US FOR PAULTON SCHOOLS' PTA ANNUAL

SUMMER FAIR

& EXPLORE THE NEW & IMPROVED PLAYScape

RAFFLE PRIZE WINNERS ANNOUNCED

FRIDAY
3RD JULY
- 3:10PM-4:00PM -

THE PTA OF PAULTON SCHOOLS IS REGISTERED UNDER CHARITY COMMISSION NUMBER: 310207

SUMMER PLAYDAYS 2026

"Nothing lights up a child's brain like play."
— Dr. Stuart Brown

NATIONAL PLAY DAY
Playday

PENNYQUICK PARK 5TH AUG 12-3PM
Newton Road BA2 1RW

Samba Band – Straw Bale dens – Swingboats – Inflatables – Play Wooden – Radio Bath – Bright Start Children's Centres under 5s area – Loose Parts & Construction – Bungee trampolines – and much more!

Early Bird tickets **£5**
(£6 from July and on the gate)

Turn over for more playdays info >>>

COMMUNITY FUND

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FREE FAMILY PLAYDAYS

DONATIONS WELCOME

WEEK 1

Monday 27th July **Green Park**
Green Park Road (City Centre) BA1 1HG

Tuesday 28th July **Midsomer Norton Town Park**
Sullick Tynning BA2 2JH

Wednesday 29th July **Sandpits Park**
Moxesdale Road, BA2 2JH

Thursday 30th July **Play Out Wild**
Paulton Scout Hf & Recreation Ground BS59 7QY

WEEK 2

Monday 3rd August **Westfield**
Wortmead Recreation Ground BA3 4BY

Tuesday 4th August **Roundhill**
Mount Road, Bath BA2 4LG

Wednesday 5th August **National Play Day**
Pennyquick Park, Newton Road BA2 1RW

Thursday 6th August **Play Out Wild**
Broadstone Lane, Bath BA1 4LD

WEEK 3

Monday 10th August **Alice Park**
Gloucester Road, Bath BA1 7RL

Tuesday 11th August **Keynsham**
Keynsham Road Park BA31 2JA

Wednesday 12th August **Weston**
Recreation Ground BA1 4DY

Thursday 13th August **Play Out Wild**
Timbury's park next to Coysgate Hall BA2 0BJ

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SOCCER CAMPS

at Paulton Junior School, BS39 7QY

FOOTBALL ALL DAY EVERY DAY!

Summer Soccer Camps

Tuesday 21st – Thursday 23rd July

Tuesday 28th – Thursday 30th July

Tuesday 4th – Thursday 6th August

Summer Early Bird Discount Prices

Online bookings received by Tuesday 30th June

Individual Days: £23 Full Week (3 Day Week): £63

Standard Summer Prices

Bookings made after Tuesday 30th June

Individual Days: £27 Full Week (3 Day Week): £73

Full Week Sibling Discount details available on website

Soccer camps are aimed at boys and girls aged 7-11

Course Times: 9:30 – 3:15
(can arrive from 8:45)

Example of Our Day Plan

8:45 - 9:30	Sign in / Arrival Games
9:30	Welcome / AD Rules
9:45	Fun football activity
10:45	Snack break
11:00	World Cup Style Football Tournament
12:30	Lunch
1:15	Tournament continued
2:45	Daily Awards
3:00 - 3:15	Sign Out

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**09:00
- 15:30**



**Years
R - 6**



SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS

St John's C of E Primary School

1

Mon 20th July
Tues 21st July
Wed 22nd July
Thurs 23rd July
Fri 24th July

Gymnastics
Summer Sports
Nerf, Dodgeball & Archery
Dance OR Football
Musical Theatre



2

Mon 27th July
Tues 28th July
Wed 29th July
Thurs 30th July
Fri 31st July

Nerf, Dodgeball, Archery & Football
Summer Sports
Dance OR Multi-Sports
Musical Theatre OR Multi-Sports
Nerf, Dodgeball, Archery & Football



3

Mon 3rd Aug
Tues 4th Aug
Wed 5th Aug
Thurs 6th Aug

Nerf, Dodgeball & Archery
Summer Sports
Football
Dance OR Multi-Sports



4

Mon 10th Aug
Tues 11th Aug
Wed 12th Aug
Fri 14th Aug

Football
Summer Sports
Nerf, Dodgeball & Archery
Dance



5

Mon 17th Aug
Fri 21st Aug

Nerf, Dodgeball, Archery & Football
Dance



6

Mon 24th Aug
Tues 25th Aug
Friday 28th Aug

Nerf, Dodgeball & Archery
Summer Sports
Football



Tues 1st Sept

Nerf, Dodgeball, Archery & Football



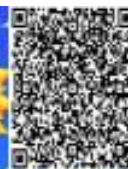
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EXTENDED DAY ACTIVITIES

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

TUESDAY
28th JULY

GLOW IN THE
DARK DODGEBALL

WEEK 1

WEDNESDAY
29th JULY

SILENT
DISCO PARTY

THURSDAY
30th JULY

PIZZA MAKING
WORKSHOP

TUESDAY
4th AUGUST

LASER TAG
CHALLENGE

WEDNESDAY
5th AUGUST

WATER GUN
BATTLE

THURSDAY
6th AUGUST

NERF GUN
BATTLES

TUESDAY
11th AUGUST

ARTS & CRAFTS
MANIA

WEDNESDAY
12th AUGUST

BAKING
WORKSHOP

THURSDAY
13th AUGUST

WORLD CUP
FOOTBALL

TUESDAY
18th AUGUST

FILM &
POPCORN NIGHT

WEDNESDAY
19th AUGUST

SUMMER
OLYMPICS

THURSDAY
20th AUGUST

END OF
CAMP PARTY

★ PRICES AND TIMINGS ★

STANDARD DAY
9:00 AM – 3:30 PM
£25

EXTENDED DAY
8:00 AM – 5:30 PM
£30





WOMAD
THE WORLD'S FESTIVAL

Would you like to perform any of these amazing stages?!

We'll be hosting our very own stages at WOMAD, Bath City Farm Fest,
and Bath Carnival. We're also returning to perform at Carfest
which this year, is relocating to the home of British racing, Silverstone



24th - 26th July

15 minute sets
Bands, Solo Artists, Acoustic Acts



5th July

15 - 20 minute sets
Solo Artists & Acoustic Acts



29th - 30th August

20 minute Sets
Bands



11th July

Sets between 20 - 45 minutes Available
Small Bands, Solo Artists, Acoustic Acts
Activities & Workshops

Our Spring Summer Program of events is about to get under way.

We're looking for **bands, Acoustic acts and Solo artists aged 11 - 21.**

If you are interested in performing, follow the QR code and fill out an
individual form for each of the events you available for.





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