

St Benedict's C. of E. VA Junior School

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#### **Newsletter 4**

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Dear Mums, Dads & Carers

#### **Inspire workshops**

Each class will be holding an Art Inspire Workshop over the coming weeks and your child will soon be bringing home an invitation for you to attend. This informal workshop will all be held in the school hall and will start at 9am and last for approximately 1 hour.

The dates of the workshop are as follows:

<b>Class</b>	<b>Date of Inspire Workshop</b>
Owl	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> October
Chameleon	Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> October
Cat	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October
Spider	Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> October
Tortoise	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> October
Unicorn	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October
Peacock	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October
Leopard	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October

**It is important that your child has an adult to work with; that adult can be anyone closely connected with the family.** It has been proven that where parents and school work closely together progress is much improved and in previous experiences the children have been thrilled to have you in school and joining in their activities.

We do hope you are able to join your child on this fun, educational occasion.

#### **Parent Evening Appointments**

I would also like to give you advance notice of our forthcoming parents evening dates. We are looking forward to welcoming as many parents as possible to the parent consultation evenings on the following dates;

- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November 5.30 – 7.30 p.m.
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November 3.30 – 5.30 p.m.

**Please note there will be no after school clubs on Parents' Evenings.**

### School Photographs

Apologies but the incorrect date was printed for the school photographs. The school photographer will be in school on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November to take individual and sibling photographs (siblings at St Benedict's School only).

Please let us know if you do **not** wish to have your child's photograph taken.

### Book Fair

#### ***Celebrate reading at our Book Fair!***

The Book Fair, run in conjunction with Travelling Books, will be arriving in school this week, with hundreds of new children's books to browse and buy.

#### **Come and join us!**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October, Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October, Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October and Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October in the school hall/foyer from 3.15 – 3.45pm**

There are **over 200 titles** for you and your child to choose from, and with prices starting from **only £2.99**, there's sure to be a book for everyone.

If you can't make it to our Book Fair, try our **discounted Gift Vouchers** available at **travellingbooks.co.uk/parents**. They're a great way to ensure your child doesn't miss out.

Don't forget that every book you buy can help to get **FREE BOOKS** for our school library!

### Lunch orders

**Lunch orders are due in tomorrow** for the next 2 weeks. The menu and payment form is available on the school website: <http://stbenedictsjuniorschoolglastonbury.org/>

Please note Beech Catering is no longer able to accept cheques – payment may be made by cash (correct money in a clearly labelled, sealed envelope) or BACs payment preferred. Even if your child is entitled to free school meals you must complete an order form - **without an order form your child cannot be catered for during this 2 week period.**



Our **Harvest Festival** is on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 2.15p.m. It will be held in St Benedict's Church and parents/carers are very welcome to join us. Further details to follow next week.

Best wishes

Steve Gumm

### The week ahead

<b>Tuesday</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> October	DASH club (8.00am – 8.30am), Horse riding, 12.15 – 12.45 – Debating club, 3.00 – 5.30 – Cross Country event at Millfield Prep School, 3.15 – 4.00 – Netball club and Year 6 football club, 3.15 – 4.30 – Drama club.
<b>Wednesday</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> October	DASH club (8.00am – 8.30am), Year 4 swimming, 12.15 – 12.45 – Kx365 fitness club, 3.15 – 4.00 – Glee club and Lower school football club, 3.15 – 4.15 – Chess club.
<b>Thursday</b>	5 <sup>th</sup> October	DASH club (8.00am – 8.30am), 9.00 – Owl Inspire workshop, 3.15 – 4.00 – BIG art club, Gymnastics club and Art club, 3.15 – 3.45 – Book Fair.
<b>Friday</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> October	DASH club (8.00am – 8.30am), 9.00 – Chameleon Inspire workshop, 3.15–4.00 – Gardening club, 3.15 – 3.45 – Book Fair.
<b>Monday</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> October	DASH club (8.00am – 8.30am), 3.15–4.00 – Cross Country and choir, 3.15 – 3.45 – Book Fair.

