



#### Friday 16th September 2021

# Excitement about our new Internal Refurbishments !

You will have read about our building works, due to start during October half term. This internal development and refurbishment will really enhance the layout, with the relocation of the Reception Office, Children's Toilets, Headteachers Office and Teachers planning space and Intervention rooms.

I am particularly excited about the new School Chapel! It will be a pleasure to see children's Stain Glass Window designs – please encourage your child to get creative and to submit their entry by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October. Having their artwork transformed into an actual stained glass window will be something for us all to treasure and enjoy!

Mrs S Woods



## In St Anthony this week...

We had to meet the Big Bad Wolf! He was terrifying and we had to be very brave! And a big well done to the Receptions for a fantastic start to school!

# Diary Dates—Term 1

<b>September</b> Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5 and 6 Football festival 1.30–4.00pm Red Bull Pitches PFA – Adult painting lessons more info to follow St Joseph's assist the official opening of Aldi. includes Team GB assembly
October	
Friday 1st	Design our stain glass window—deadline for entry
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	First Holy Communion – Breakfast
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Rags2Riches collection. Bags to be left by 9am
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Harvest Festival 1.30pm
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Rugby tournament Year 3 & 4 2.45pm-5.00pm Minety RFC
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	School photograph in school individuals, plus siblings
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup>	First Holy Communion – Breakfast
Tuesday 12th	Whole school mass led by St Scholastica 10am
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	PFA Annual General Meeting 8pm All invited.
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Rugby tournament Year 5 & 6 2.45pm-5pm Minety RFC
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Open day for new prospective parents.
	9.30am, 11.30am and 1.30pm
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Staff Development Day. School closed for children
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Staff Development Day. School closed for children
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Staff Development Day. School closed for children
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	End of term 1.
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Deadline date to book school meals for week commencing 1 <sup>st</sup> November

November

Monday 1st—Term 2 Children return to school

Weekly Attendance Monday 6th—10th Sept	St Lawrence 98.6%
St Anthony 98.3%	St Francis 99.4%
St Aldheim 99.3%	St Scholastica 96.1%



**Art Club**— had a very enjoyable session on Thursday, so much so, we have decided to extend their creative time and change the pick up time to 4.30pm. There are still a few spaces left, so please enquire if your child would be interested in this afterschool club for children in year 1 to 6

# St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Admissions 2022 - OPEN DAY



# **Wed. 13th Oct. BOOK NOW! Tours at 9.30am, 11.00am & 1.15pm**





During this uncertain time prayer is more important than ever.

All of the schools of the Diocese need our prayers and so each week we shall pray for different, specific schools and all that work and learn in them. Please try to spend some time, each week, thinking and praying for the schools

### Christ the King Primary School, Bristol Holy Cross Primary School, Bristol

Holy Spirit, be with the children of these schools we pray for this week.

Bless them, their teachers and all who work at the school.

Give strength and grace to their growth, wisdom and understanding to their search for knowledge and strength to continue to learn despite the difficulties.

Thank you, Lord for the gifts that they all bring to their community.

May everyone connected with the school remain safe and well.

Amen

Department for School and Colleges Administrator—Vacancy Alexander House, 160 Pennywell Road, Bristol.

Following the retirement of our current administrator the department is looking to recruit a suitable replacement. The post would be suitable for someone looking to work during term time only and between the hours of 9-30 - 2-30 Monday- Friday. Details of the specific role and person specification can be found on: <u>https://schools.cliftondiocese.com/</u> vacancies

or on the main diocesan website.

## Message from Pope Francis: "Jesus leads us to go out from



ourselves more and more, to give ourselves to serve others."

Please take a moment to follow the Wednesday Word link below...

https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/serving? pid=MTA101634&v=37.18