

Trinity School Newsletter 3 of the Summer Term – Friday 3 May 2024  
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**HEADS UPDATE from Amanda Seager;** We have been delighted to see so many parents (and grandparents!) at the Share my Work sessions over the last couple of weeks. The children do so much in school, and we know that even the chattiest of children probably only share a fraction of the news from the school day once they get home. Although the Share my Work sessions are relatively short, it seems that we have been able to find something that is not too difficult for busy families, but also works within our hectic school day. It is fantastic to hear the children talking about their learning, and really good for them to see what they remember and what they are able to explain about what they have learned, which is often a good test of how well something has been learned!

In our Stars assemblies on Fridays we are also making opportunities for the children to share and talk about their work. This morning it was the turn of Holly class and the Reception children. The children in Holly class treated us to a fantastic rainforest weather report, presented with great style by Bonnie and Jack. We also heard all about a workshop they enjoyed this week on the Ancient Egyptians. The Reception children treated us to a performance of two poems they have learned recently, one about a tadpole becoming a frog and the other about a caterpillar turning into a butterfly. They also showed us some beautiful artwork of frogs, snails and butterflies.

This week also saw a group of children from Sunshine class visiting Critchill Court, where they took part in activities with some of the residents. This is now going to be a regular fixture in the Reception week, with different groups of children visiting each time. The children thoroughly enjoyed their visit and we are really grateful for the support from Critchill Court which is enabling this to happen. There are so many benefits of inter-generational engagement and we are so excited to have been able to set up regular contact between us.

## DIARY DATES

Term Dates 2023/2024



<b>May</b>	
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>	Bank Holiday
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	Colour Run 12.30pm
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term 5
<b>June</b>	
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Start of Term 6
Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Fair
<b>July</b>	
Tue 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Break up for Summer

## Regular Notices and Reminders



### Parenting Discussion Group

Every Tuesday, 2pm in the staff room.  
All parents welcome.

This is an informal group for parents to discuss questions raised on the day. Veronique Camacho, who has children in Year 1 & 4, runs the group.

### Celebrating Achievements

Has your child received an award through a club or group (sports/cubs/brownies/dancing) out of school?



Please tell your child's Class Teacher by Thursday afternoon at the latest so we can celebrate their achievement in our weekly stars assemblies on Friday morning.

## School News



### Don't forget the Bank Holiday on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May!

Enjoy the long weekend and we look forward to seeing everyone on Tuesday.



### School Lunch Menus

Deadline for meals w/c 13th May is midnight Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May.

To minimise food waste, we kindly request that you order your child's meal(s) by midnight on the Monday of the previous week. If the deadline is missed, please ensure your child brings a packed lunch, as we will not have extra meals available to accommodate late orders. Thank you.



### Contact Details Update

Just a reminder if you have recently changed telephone numbers or moved house,

please let the office know so we can update your records. It is important to have up-to-date contact details in case of an emergency.

Please drop a quick email to

[office@trinityfirstfrome.co.uk](mailto:office@trinityfirstfrome.co.uk)



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## Swimming - Year 3

Just a reminder for Year 4 (Holly and Bramble) parents that payment for Term 5 (April/May) and Term 6 (June/July) is now available to pay through [ParentPay](#). If you are a Trust Fund pupil, you can use your funds to pay for swimming. Just email the office so we can check your balance and arrange this for you. Thank you.



## Wraparound

Bookings for Term 5 (April-May 2024) are open to all for new bookings, amends and cancellations.

Please make all bookings and amendments through your ParentPay account by clicking on your child's name and selecting the Clubs menu.

**Kites** - Bookings are open until 10pm the day before to enable one-off bookings/cancellations.

**Trinity Plus** - Bookings are open until 8am on the day to enable one-off bookings/cancellations.

Please can we remind parents to collect on time and to pre-book your child's place, as there are limited numbers to ensure a safe pupil to staff ratio.

If you have any questions, please email [Sarah.Hockley@trinityfirstfrome.co.uk](mailto:Sarah.Hockley@trinityfirstfrome.co.uk) (working Wed 12.30-3.30pm and Fri 9am-3.30pm)

**WELCOME**  
to the library  
Trinity School  
Open to families  
3.15pm-4.00pm  
Monday & Wednesday

Trinity First School 2024/2025																	
September 2024				October 2024				November 2024									
M	2	9	16	23	30	M	7	14	21	28	M	4	11	18	25		
Tu	3	10	17	24		Tu	1	8	15	22	29	Tu	5	12	19	26	
W	4	11	18	25		W	2	9	16	23	30	W	6	13	20	27	
Th	5	12	19	26		Th	3	10	17	24	31	Th	7	14	21	28	
F	6	13	20	27		F	4	11	18	25		F	1	8	15	22	29
Sa	7	14	21	28		Sa	5	12	19	26		Sa	2	9	16	23	30
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December 2024				January 2025				February 2025									
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March 2025				April 2025				May 2025									
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June 2025				July 2025				August 2025									
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Key:	Term dates summary:
School Holidays	Term 1: 02 September – 26 October 2024 (39 days)
Bank Holidays	Term 2: 04 November – 20 December 2024 (35 days)
Term Time	Term 3: 06 January – 14 February 2025 (30 days)
Inset Days	Term 4: 24 February – 04 April 2025 (30 days)
	Term 5: 22 April – 23 May 2025 (23 days)
	Term 6: 02 June – 22 July 2025 (38 days) TOTAL = 195

  

Bank and public holidays 2024/25			
Christmas Day Bank Holiday	25 December 2024	Easter Monday	21 April 2025
Boxing Day Bank Holiday	26 December 2024	May Day Bank Holiday	05 May 2025
New Year's Day Holiday	01 January 2025	Spring Bank Holiday	26 May 2025
Good Friday	10 April 2025	Summer Bank Holiday	25 August 2025

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## Friends of Trinity First School



Join FoTFS for our annual colour run on Sunday 19th May, gates open at 12:30. Tickets cost £5 per participant, spectators go free.

Pre booked tickets will include colour powder and a race headband. Tickets bought on the day will cover entry only.

If anyone has any issues trying to get a ticket or if you have any other questions please email us at [tsafrome@yahoo.com](mailto:tsafrome@yahoo.com).

### Tickets

Follow the QR code in the poster or link [www.pta-events.co.uk/fotfs](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/fotfs) to book tickets. FoTFS will also be in the playground on Friday 10th & 17th May to sell tickets.

### Volunteers

If you want to come and throw powder or help on the day please click the link below to sign up.

[Volunteersignup.org/YAFYL](http://Volunteersignup.org/YAFYL)

### Hay Bales

If anyone has any hay bales they could lend to us for the day, please email [tsafrome@yahoo.com](mailto:tsafrome@yahoo.com)



### Aster Textile Recycling Bank

Coming next Friday (10<sup>th</sup> May) we will have our own textiles bin by the car park, near to the school hall.



Please consider using this for any textiles recycling you may have as we can earn money based on the weight of your donations.

As this will be a permanent fixture we will no longer be doing bag2school collections. We hope however that this will be far more convenient for you as it will be available all of the time.

(Please note the one near the entrance to the school car park belongs to Critchill school so we do not benefit from any donations to that bin).



Thank you to everyone who supported our quiz. We had another brilliant night and raised over **£400!**

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## Local Events



CRITCHHILL MANOR ESTATE, FROME, BA11 4LJ  
SUNDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JUNE 12PM – 3PM

**LIVE MUSIC**

INFLATABLE SLIDE & BOUNCY CASTLE  
STALLS  
TOMBOLA  
STREET FOOD/BBQ/ICE CREAM  
FACE PAINTING  
MUCH MORE TO BE ANNOUNCED...



<https://somerscience.co.uk/>

### Parenting Café

#### Top tips for successful co-parenting for separated parents

5 June, 9:30-11:30 AM, Frome Town Hall  
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/872370783497?aff=oddtcreator>

25 June, 6-8 PM, Frome Town Hall  
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/872367313117?aff=oddtcreator>

Having a straightforward co-parenting relationship with your ex-partner can be fraught with difficulties. This is where we can help.

If you are a separated parent, come and join us for a relaxed and supportive Cafe where we chat about how to successfully navigate co-parenting challenges. Whether you are newly separated or have been separated and co-parenting for a while, this Cafe is designed to give you practical tips on dealing with the challenges, putting the well-being of your children at the centre. Places are limited so please book early to guarantee your place.

We look forward to meeting you.

Melody and Ruth

For more information about relationship support for parents please go to:

[Somerset children & young people : Health & Wellbeing : Somerset Parents And Carers Managing Relationship Conflict \(cypsomersethealth.org\)](http://www.cypsomersethealth.org)



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**ANYTHING GOES**  
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New Book by Emily Crane & John Maclean  
Music and Lyrics by Cole Porter  
Tickets:  
Adults \$18, U16 & OAP \$16,  
Group Ticket (10+) \$15  
ALL TICKETS OPENING NIGHT \$15  
**Tuesday 7th - Saturday 11th May 2024**  
EVENINGS AT 7.30PM • MATINEE SATURDAY AT 2.30PM  
Frome Musical Theatre Company  
The leading producer of anything goes is pleased to announce that  
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**FREE** ADHD Awareness Courses  
Online | April - June

Expand your knowledge and understanding of ADHD and neurodiversity. Learn about differences in the ADHD brain, challenges with mental health and executive functioning skills. Discover how to manage the challenges of ADHD whilst embracing the strengths. Come and learn for yourself and those you care for or work with. Everyone is welcome.

**What do I need to know?**

- For beginners and more experienced learners alike.
- Zoom access required.
- \*Please see our website for eligibility information.

**Introduction to ADHD - Taster:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024  
10:00am - 12:30pm | 1 Session

**Understanding ADHD - Starter:** Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024  
10:00am - 12:30pm | 4 Sessions

**Managing ADHD - Developer:** Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June - 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024  
10:00am - 12:30pm | 3 Sessions

Call Somerset Skills & Learning for more information / book online  
**0330 332 7997 [sslcourses.co.uk](http://sslcourses.co.uk)**

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**FREE** Autism Awareness Courses  
Online | April - June

Expand your knowledge and awareness of autism and neurodiversity. In each session you will learn about a different aspect of autism, including the key differences between the brains of neurotypical and autistic individuals, how autism affects executive functioning skills and how autism and anxiety are linked.

**What do I need to know?**

- For beginners and more experienced learners alike.
- Zoom access required.
- \*Please see our website for eligibility information.

**Introduction to Autism - Taster:** Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2024  
5:00pm - 8:00pm | 1 Session

**Understanding Autism - Starter:** Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2024  
5:00pm - 8:00pm | 4 Sessions

**Understanding Autism: Sensory Sensitivity, Stimming and Masking - Developer:**  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June - 3<sup>rd</sup> July | 5:00pm - 8:00pm | 3 Sessions

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## FAMILY HOLIDAY

Activities in Frome for families in need of support.

<b>Tuesday 28th May</b>	1pm - 3pm	Play and Take Away, crafts and stories	Cheese and Grain , Justice Lane, Frome BA11 1BE (room 1)
<b>Wednesday 29th May*</b>	10am - 1pm	Outdoor fun with nature - exploring and learning Transport available	Heal Somerset, Lower West Barn Farm, Bindon Ln, Frome BA11 5HH
<b>Thursday 30th May*</b>	10am to 1pm	Make something fabulous for the Children's Festival!	Trinity Church Hall, Trinity Street, Frome BA11 3DN
<b>Friday 31st May*</b>	1pm - 4pm	Fun with science—making rockets and more!	The Key Centre, Feltham Lane, Frome BA11 5AJ

Suggested donation of £2 per child

**BOOKING ESSENTIAL** - contact [lenkagrimes@purpieelephant.org.uk](mailto:lenkagrimes@purpieelephant.org.uk) to book a place or ask your school or support worker to refer you

Adults to accompany and remain responsible for their children at all times.  
Family support workers available at all sessions.

[www.PurpleElephant.org.uk](http://www.PurpleElephant.org.uk)

## Football Fun Factory

Football Fun and Development - Ages 5-12

Selwood Academy  
Mondays  
5-6PM

Register For a 3 week Free trial  
[www.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk](http://www.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk)