



LONGWELL GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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What's in your newsletter this week:

- Goodbye to Miss May
- End of year reports
- Healthy eating team
- Parent Governor election
- A Wild Night In
- Summer Fair news
- Holiday Club
- Girls Cricket

What's on in school next week:

- The internet safety meeting for parents is on Tuesday 29th June at 6.30 (see details in last week's newsletter)

Kitchen "World Cup" Prize Draw

Congratulations to the following winners:

- Monday - Hayden, M1
- Tuesday - Callum, L3
- Wednesday - Dan A, F5
- Thursday - Abbie, PR
- Friday - Daniel, RR

What happened in school this week:

- Year 2 went on a trip to Clevedon
- The girls' cricket team won the Festival of Youth Sport cricket tournament last Saturday, and got to the final of the County tournament last Friday
- The new Playpod was built and stocked ready for opening on Monday 28th June
- The very popular KS2 football tournament has started at lunchtimes

Goodbye to Miss May

We are saying goodbye to Miss May at the end of this school year. Miss May has been a teacher at Longwell Green for 6 years and has taught in year groups throughout the school. Over the last couple of years she has also led developments in Information and Communication Technology (ICT) and has ensured our ICT in school has been of a very high quality. Miss May will be very much missed, but we wish her well in her new job which is at the British School in Chicago, USA.

If any parent would like to contribute to a collection for Miss May, please go to the school office.



F5 Class Assembly

F5 will be holding their Victorian's Class Assembly on
Friday 9th July at 9.15am.

F5 parents are welcome to attend.

End of year reports, class lists for next year and the name of your child's teacher for next year will be sent home on Friday 9th June.

Healthy Eating Team

After making their suggestions about healthy packed lunches earlier in the year, the Healthy Eating Team will be talking to children about their packed lunches next week, especially about the vegetables they have as part of their lunch. Recent figures have shown that nationally only 1% of packed lunches have the same nutritional content as a school dinner, and vegetables are one of the main nutritional differences between a school lunch and most packed lunches. Next week don't forget the carrots, celery, salad, cucumber and peppers!

HELP! We are in need of hessian sacks (to use for sack racing). If anyone has any, or knows where we may be able to get some please could you let the office know.

Thank you

Parent Governor Election

Following the ballot for 3 parent governor vacancies, the following parents have been duly elected for a 4 year term:

Kathryn Davis
Nigel Gazzard
Sam Whyman

A Wild Night In

I know that many of you watched A Wild Night In last Sunday, and, like me, were disappointed that Longwell Green children did not appear after two days of filming here. I have not heard the reasons why none of the footage was shown, and I am writing to the show's researcher to express my disappointment, although I know that in the end the producer's decision is theirs to take. I have been told that footage will appear on the BBC website and we will be sent a copy of the footage that was filmed.

I hope you found the programme enjoyable and informative despite the disappointment, and the fundraising was for a good cause.

Friends of Longwell Green School

DON'T FORGET

SUMMER FAIR - Saturday 12 noon - 3.00 pm

Bring your family and friends, please remember parking will be very difficult so try to walk or cycle if possible.

And FORTHCOMING EVENT

**TREASURE HUNT AND FAMILY FUN NIGHT AND BBQ -
Friday, 9th July, 6.00 pm**

**A walking Treasure Hunt around Longwell Green with a pirate theme, looking for clues along the route; followed by a BBQ and fun in the school grounds.
Details to follow next week.**

Rocky's Plaice is coming to Hanham Baptist Church,
August 9 - 13th, 10.00 am - 12.00 noon.

A holiday club with bible stories, craft, drama, games. Action and fun for children who are at present in Reception through to Year 6. Children must be registered to attend; registration can be done online at www.hbhconline.com.

Girls's Cricket

On Friday 18th June the Y6 girl's kwik cricket team (Emily, Evie.D, Evie.B, Katie, Jess.F, Natalie, Chloe.C, Sophie.C, Sophie.E.B, and Jess H) made their way to Stroud for the County Finals.

When they arrived they found out that they would be playing their first game against Bream from Gloucester who we beat with the score of 279 to 220.

After our first game we then quickly moved on to our next game against Almondsbury who we also beat. When we finished that game we then played Longley who we sadly lost too, but this didn't matter as we already knew that we had automatically qualified into the semi finals as we had won our first two games. In fact we won our group.

In the semi final we beat Westbury on Trym quite convincingly.

So finally we reached our last game, the final, against Hempstead who we unfortunately lost to with the score of 234 – 263. It was really close until the last two overs when Hempstead ran away with the game with some outstanding batting. We each got a medal for getting that far and a certificate. We congratulated Hempstead and left with our heads held high in pride. But although this happened our journey may still not be up yet as if anyone drops out we will go through in their place!!!!

The very next day, Saturday 19th June, 10 of the girl's cricket club (Emily, Evie.D, Natalie, Jess.F, Katie, Evie.B, Rhain, Rhainna, Libby and Chloe.C) went to Yate for the Festival of Youth Sport cricket competition. We all arrived in hope that we would win this time. First all of the children attending the festival did a parade round the race track there. Then Vicky, who came to our school earlier in the year, talked through the rules with us. Straight after that we quickly moved on to our first game against St. Mary's who we beat. Shortly after we started to play our second game against Cadbury Heath which we also beat. We knew after this we qualified to the final. In the final we played against Hanham Abbots, who we also beat, and this meant that we had won the overall competition!!!! Once again Longwell Green girl's cricket team proved they are the best in South Glos.

By Evie. D and Emily. H.