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Football

Well done to the Boys Football teams who all played so well at Frenchfield on Thursday afternoons. All gave their very best and the Year 4/5 team have got through to the Final whilst the Year 6 boys were just pipped at the post.



Parent's Evening

We very much appreciate having the opportunity to chat to parents about their children earlier this week. If you still need to make an appointment please speak to your child/children's class teachers.

Job Vacancy

We are currently looking for a Clerk to Governors to join our school team (1.5hrs per week). If interested, you can find further information about the role on our school website or please feel free to pop in the school office to discuss the role further.

[Clifton Primary School & Hedgehogs Nursery - Vacancies](#)

PE LESSONS next half term are as follows.....

Hedgehog Class – Monday and Thursday

Fox Class – Friday

Deer Class – Friday

The children in Year 2-6 will be having PE at Newton Rigg for the whole of Friday afternoons.

Please can children come to school in their PE kits on these days. Please send PE kits in to keep on the pegs for Hedgehogs as changing time is a good opportunity to develop independence skills

Outdoor Learning

Next half term it will be the turn of Fox and Hedgehog classes to do Outdoor Learning.

Wednesday 23rd October will be the last session for Deer Class

Wednesday 6th November – Fox Class

Wednesday 13th November – Hedgehog Class

Wednesday 20th November – Fox Class

Wednesday 27th November – Hedgehog Class

Wednesday 4th December – Fox Class

Wednesday 11th December – Hedgehog Class

Wednesday 18th December – Fox Class

Please send in a complete set of suitable clothing and, now the wetter weather is here, **wellies** and ensure all items are labelled with your child's name.

Please be aware that shorts are not acceptable clothing for Outdoor Learning. The children are outside for a long period of time and the weather can be wet and cold. It can also be a health and safety risk when children are around fires and in nature with nettles/brambles etc.

PTA News

BAG 2 SCHOOL – Thankyou so much for all the donations – it raised £132 for school funds.

Next meetings – November 7th & December 5th @7.00pm

Thankyou for all the donations of Tombola items on Friday.

Non Uniform Day for Bottle Tombola items – Friday 29th November

Friday 13th December – Christmas Fair in school @3.30pm

Autumn Term Clubs

Cross Country – Monday lunchtimes with Mrs Davies. Children who want to take part in the running club should bring their PE kits and bag for muddy trainers in on Mondays.



Sewing Club will start on Fridays from November 8th. If you would like your child to take part please let Mrs Brabant or Mrs Roberts know before Half Term so we can ensure we have enough resources. There is a £3 charge for Sewing Club to help cover costs.

Are there any parents who could help with Football Club? Please see Miss Simpson if you can.

Dates for the Diary



24th October – Girl's Football @ AGS

25th October – Harvest Time Celebration at Church
@2.00pm

5th November – Hunter Hall Cross Country Y 4-6

November 7th – PTA meeting @7.00pm

19th November – Individual & Family Photos

20th November – Basic Skills Festival – Key Stage 1

20-22nd November – Year 5/6 London Visit

Friday 29th November - Non Uniform Day for Bottle Tombola items (wine, beer, bubble bath, spirits, pop)

Tuesday December 3rd – Hedgehog Nativity @ 2.00pm & 6.00pm @

Cliburn Village Hall

December 5th - PTA meeting @7.00pm

Tuesday 10th December – PTA Wreath Making Evening

Friday 13th December – PTA Christmas Fair & whole school Theatre By the Lake trip

Wednesday 18th December – School Christmas Lunch

Thursday 19th December – Christmas Parties

Friday 20th December – Carols at Church @2.00pm



CLIFTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
STAY & PLAY!
EXPLORE - PLAY - ENJOY
FORTNIGHTLY ON WEDNESDAYS
2PM-3PM - AFTER OCTOBER
HALF TERM
Upcoming dates: 6th Nov, 20th Nov, 4th Dec and 18th Dec
CHILDREN AGE 0-4 WELCOME
SNACK, JUICE AND A WARM DRINK FOR GROWN-UPS PROVIDED
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Separate letters are sent for all sporting events and trips

TERM DATES FOR THE YEAR AHEAD

School term and half term dates for 2024/2025

Term	Start of term	Half term	End of term
Autumn	Wednesday 4 September 2024	Monday 28 October to Friday 1 November 2024	Friday 20 December 2024
Spring	Tuesday 7 January 2025	Monday 17 February to Friday 21 February 2025	Friday 4 April 2025
Summer	Tuesday 22 April 2025	Monday 26 May to Friday 30 May 2025	Friday 18 July 2025

Remember you can keep up to date with events and photos on our Friends of Clifton Primary School Facebook page so please join if you have not already.

If you have any questions or feedback, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Nikki Brabant, Tasha Coutts & the Clifton Team