



# The Manor CE Primary School

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## Dates for the Diary



- ⇒25/26 Mar: Parent/Carer Consultations
- ⇒26 Mar: Coffee Morning with SGPC
- ⇒27 Mar: Easter Church Service 1.30pm  
(all friends and family welcome to join us)
- ⇒28 Mar: Term 4 ends
- ⇒15 Apr: Term 5 starts
- ⇒16 Apr: Y6 SATS Briefing 3.30pm
- ⇒**22 Apr: Open Classroom**
- ⇒30 Apr: Class Photographs
- ⇒3 May: Inset (school closed for children)
- ⇒**11 Jun: KS1 Sports Day (AM)**
- ⇒**12 Jun: KS2 Sports Day (AM)**
- ⇒**18 Jun: Reserve KS1 Sports Day (AM)**
- ⇒**19 Jun: Reserve KS2 Sports Day (AM)**

## Open Classrooms (2.45pm - 3.20pm)

- ⇒ **Monday 22nd April 2024**
- ⇒ **Thursday 20th June 2024**

(new events in bold type)

## Inset Days 2023/2024

- ⇒Friday 3 May 2024
- ⇒Friday 28 June 2024

This week has seen our football and netball teams both representing our school brilliantly. Well done to all children who competed and showed everyone why Team Manor is such a fantastic team.

Our Year R children also went on a school trip this week to Grimsbury Farm. Everyone enjoyed themselves and returned to school with many stories of the farm!

Next week is our last week in school until the Easter break. We look forward to our Easter Service at St. Saviours on Wednesday afternoon. The service will start at 1.30pm and we welcome everyone to join us. If you would like to walk down to the church with us, please wait in the office foyer at 1.10pm as we will begin walking down at 1.15pm. Our whole school is joining us for this service so please be aware that all pews are reserved for school staff and our children. If there are spaces left once everyone is seated, parents and guests are more than welcome to then occupy them.

Have a wonderful weekend,  
Team Manor

## Dropping/collecting children outside of school

Please do not park/stop on the double yellow lines or zig zag area outside of school. This is a danger to all children. Many thanks.

## Safeguarding Corner

### Who are the Access and Response team in South Gloucestershire?

The Access and Response Team in South Gloucestershire is like your safety net outside of school hours. They're a group of experts trained to handle any worries you might have about your child's (or another child's) well-being when they're not in school. Whether it's concerns at home or in the community, 'ART' are there to take your call and listen to your concerns. So, if something's potentially worrying you about a child's safety and wellbeing, don't hesitate to reach out. You can give them a call on their helpline or get in touch through the local authority.

You can find more information about ART here -

<https://find-information-for-adults-children-families.southglos.gov.uk/kb5/southglos/directory/advice.page?id=nLGe146mGI&familychannel=1-6&channel=family>



## Comic Relief Day



Thank you for your donations last Friday—we raised £95.10 for this wonderful cause.



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We will now be sharing important class dates and any remember to's on this part of our newsletter. Please remember to keep an eye on our Facebook page for class activities! <https://www.facebook.com/groups/930513833807729>

Netball and Dance Clubs have now ended for this term. All other clubs lead by Miss Lambe will continue to the end of this term.

**Message from Mrs Mann our Family Link Worker:**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

I am pleased to say I have secured a really exciting opportunity for families of The Manor.

At our next coffee morning a representative from SGPC- South Glos Parent Carers will be joining us.



**Anxiety and Difficulties Attending School**

- Identified or suspected about your child?
- Pain us for it then?
- Helping you support your child's needs?
- Your child does not need a diagnosis for you to attend?

Drop in: 26th March 2024, 9:30am

Please do come along if you feel this will be of a support to you and your **child(ren)**.

They will not be able to attend until 9:30am but please feel free to stay after morning drop off for a cuppa first or join us at 9.30am.

For more information on SGPC please see their website: <https://sgpc.org.uk/>

**10.30 am Good Friday 29th March**  
At St Michael's Church  
Church Lane, Winterbourne, BS36 1SE

**ALL AGE FAMILY SERVICE**

**All Welcome**

Fromeside Benefice of Churches  
We are a group of churches in South Gloucestershire, working together in our praise of God and in service to the wider community.

South Gloucestershire Council  
www.southglos.gov.uk

**Bikeability**  
Cycling Training for the 21st Century  
SCHOOL HOLIDAY CYCLE TRAINING COURSES  
All courses are Subject to a £5 Booking Fee which is Non-Refundable, places are limited, booked on a first come basis, so please do not delay - PLEASE NOTE AGE RESTRICTIONS DO APPLY

ANY CHILD ATTENDING BIKEABILITY TRAINING CAN ONLY ATTEND ONE COURSE DURING THE SPECIFIC HOLIDAY COURSE DURATION

**Bikeability Learn to Ride**  
This session is for children who are unable to cycle, including older children who have never mastered the skill. Session 1 ½ hours. This course is for School Year 3 and above.

**Level 2**  
Consists of two morning sessions, there is an initial assessment in the playground covering level 1 skills to ensure they are ready for on road training. Once out on the road they will learn about road position, which road user has priority and when, how to recognise typical hazards as well as manoeuvring through junctions. This course is for school years 6 and above.

**Level 3**  
Aims to equip riders with skills for more challenging roads and traffic situations such as passing queuing traffic, road narrowing, understanding blind spots and perceive and deal with hazards. Level 2 must be undertaken prior to Level 3. This course is for school years 6 and above.

Courses are being held at Bradley Stoke Community Secondary School, Fiddlerswood Lane, BS32 9BS

To book on one of the above courses please log onto <https://southglos.cyclingability.co.uk/publicbookings>

Please note the age restrictions for each course.

- All elements of the course must be achieved to a competent, confident and consistent standard to gain the Bikeability standard
- Trainees must have and be able to ride a roadworthy bicycle.
- Trainees must have a properly fitted cycle helmet.

All Instructors are DBS checked and work for the Council's Road Safety Team. Bikeability certificates are awarded to all trainees who successfully complete the course.

Please note courses are subject to a minimum number of children attending on the date. Locations of training may vary according to availability. All courses are Subject to a £5 Booking Fee which is Non-Refundable

**reach out**

We are aware that many of our families are finding things tough at the moment.

We wanted to reach out and say – we may not have all the answers, but please do come and speak to Mrs Flanagan, Mr Israel or Mrs Mann– we may just be able to help.

### School lunches

Please ensure you have booked meal choices for your child—including packed lunch—on Parentpay for every day. This means we do not need to interrupt class learning at the start of the day and also helps to ensure our kitchen have prepared enough food for all the children. We will have a new menu starting after Easter and will share this with you next week. Many thanks.



# Extra Curricular clubs and activities



We have been asked to share the information on this page with our families.

Please note: as a school, we are not able to endorse any of these clubs - we are unable to comment on their suitability or their safeguarding procedures.

Many thanks

**Westerleigh & Coalpit Heath**  
PARISH COUNCIL

**SWFT**  
SPORTS COACHING

### Free Funday Events

Dear parents / Carers,

I am writing to give details of an exciting opportunity and invite you to attend our free funday events, which is being offered **FREE OF CHARGE** to all primary school pupils who either live or attend a school within the Westerleigh and Coalpit Heath Parish.

Westerleigh and Coalpit Heath Parish Council are working in conjunction with Swift Sports Coaching to run a free funday events to promote physical well being, exercise and a healthy lifestyle for children living within the local area. There is no charge for children to participate as Westerleigh and Coalpit Heath Parish Council have very kindly funded the events.

**Date:** 2nd, 3rd, 11th & 12th April  
**Venue:** Westerleigh Village Hall - Play Field  
**Times:** 10.00am - 4.00pm  
**Price:** Free of charge

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Children will need to be dropped off at 10.00am for registration and **parents / carers** will need to sign them in on the day. All children will need to bring suitable outdoor clothing and a pack lunch with a refillable water bottle. The coaches at the event have been provided by Swift Sports Coaching, a sports coaching company working with schools throughout South Gloucestershire and Bristol. All coaches are DBS checked, 1st aid qualified and fully insured.

The days are limited to 32 participants and this will be allocated on a first come, first serve basis. If you would like to take this fantastic opportunity, please read the instructions below:

**How to Book**

Bookings will be made available on **Sunday 10th of March from 10am**, bookings can only be made via our online booking system <http://bookings.com/swiftsportscoaching.com>. Bookings are allocated on a first come, first serve basis and bookings will close once spaces have exceeded 32 participants. You will be notified by email with confirmation of your booking, if you miss out on a place you can join the waiting list using the same link.

TEL: 07537 991 991  
 EMAIL: [bookings@swiftsportscoaching.com](mailto:bookings@swiftsportscoaching.com)  
 WEB: [www.swiftsportscoaching.co.uk](http://www.swiftsportscoaching.co.uk)

Community Learning and Skills Service

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**\*FREE Course**

## South Glos Community Learning

# EASTER TREATS

### FAMILIES WORKSHOPS

**FREE Workshop in Yate for ALL families to come and have fun over the easter break!**

This course will give parents or carers an opportunity to explore ways to **create** Easter crafts with children, whilst allow them to develop creativity and confidence in their own abilities. It is suitable for parent or carers wishing to help their child to try out new ideas and develop problem-solving skills.

**How to book**

Where: Yate Parish Hall, near Tesco Express in Station Rd

When: Friday, 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Start date: 05.04.2024 [workshop](#)

Book here: [07768 293842](tel:07768293842) | [samantha.jones1@southglos.gov.uk](mailto:samantha.jones1@southglos.gov.uk)

More info: [southglos.gov.uk/communitylearning](http://southglos.gov.uk/communitylearning) or Facebook: [southgloslearning](https://www.facebook.com/southgloslearning)

Ofsted  
Good Provider

\*For adults aged 19+ with few or no qualifications; or experiencing other barriers to work. We will also need to see evidence of identity and eligibility for this course. Please contact us for further details.

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**SGPC**  
South Glos Parent Carers

South Glos Parent Carers (SGPC) is the local parent carer forum working to represent and support parent carers of children and young people (age 0-25) with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) in South Gloucestershire.

**360° Outreach Project**

Our 360° Outreach Project supports schools and families working together to build a picture of the "whole child" and better understand the child's needs, at home and at school.

- ✔ Free workshops for parents
- ✔ Helping you support your child's needs
- ✔ Your child does not need a diagnosis for you to attend

Book now with this code:

**SUNFLOWER**

**A 360° APPROACH TO MENTAL HEALTH & NEURODIVERSITY**

REGISTER NOW

Tue 7 May 7:00pm

Book now with this code:

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**Preparing for moving up school years**

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