



The Manor CE Primary School

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Shine like stars in the sky*

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been another successful and joyful month here at school, filled with learning, achievement, and a real sense of community spirit.

Sport has been a real highlight this month. We were incredibly proud of the children who represented our school at the *Festival of Youth Sport* – they did so with great enthusiasm and sportsmanship. Closer to home, our two sunny Sports Days were a real celebration of participation and teamwork. It was fantastic to see every child giving their all, showing encouragement and courage throughout both mornings. We've also seen a wonderful celebration of creativity this term. Our brand-new *Manor Art Gallery* is now up in the school hall – do take a moment to admire it when you're next in school. Well done to all the children whose artwork has been featured this time!

Congratulations as well to the five Year 6 children who recently took part in the *Bridge Family of Schools' 'Poetry Please'* competition. They all did brilliantly and performed with confidence and flair. A special mention to Archie Dykes, who was awarded 2nd place in the entire competition – a fantastic achievement. Well done, Archie!

We're also hugely grateful to the Friends of Manor School (FOMs) team for their hard work this term. Events like the Father's Day gift sale were warmly received, and of course, the very hot *Summer Fayre* was a real highlight! Thank you to everyone who helped organise such a fantastic afternoon for our school community – and for raising valuable funds for our school in the process. We are so fortunate to have such a brilliant team of dedicated volunteers that make these a possibility.

Looking ahead to next week, our *Manor Committee* are hosting a charity cake sale after school on Wednesday in support of the children's chosen charity – the *Bristol Animal Rescue Centre*. Children in Reception, Year 2, Year 4 and Year 6 are invited to bring in cakes that morning, and everyone is welcome to come and buy a treat (or two!) in the hall after school.

We are delighted to share with you that we have a new member of staff joining The Manor team—please see below! We know you will join with us in giving Miss Bessell a very warm welcome.

A gentle reminder that Monday is an INSET day, so school will be closed to all children. On Tuesday, we're looking forward to welcoming parents into classrooms from 2:45 – 3:00pm for our final *Open Classroom* of the year – a lovely chance to share in your child's learning. There's still lots to look forward to as we approach the end of the school year, with exciting trips, performances and celebrations to come.

In the meantime, we wish you all a restful and hopefully sunny weekend.

Team Manor

A welcome message from Miss Bessell

Hello I'm Miss Bessell and I am really looking forward to starting in September, covering Miss Hawkins' maternity post. I graduated from University 2 years ago and have since been working in Early years.

You'll hear lots about my Labrador, Storm, and he's looking forward to hearing about you too! I love spending time outside, exploring new walks and finding lovely cafes. In the classroom, I enjoy seizing every opportunity to take our learning outside. I am excited to meet all of you here at The Manor.



Speak Out Stay Safe

We'd like to remind you that our children are taking part in the NSPCC's *Speak Out Stay Safe* programme this term, helping them to understand their rights and how to stay safe. If you'd like more information about what this involves, please head to <https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/services/speak-out-stay-safe>

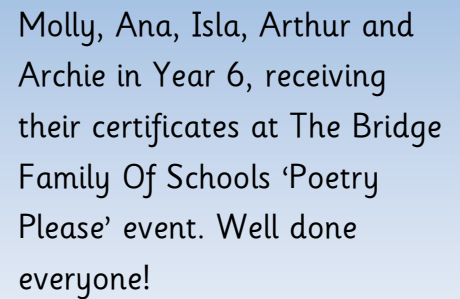


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THE MANOR GALLERY

Artworks displayed:

- Top Left:** Landscape painting by *Jaeger, Christopher* (Year 10)
- Top Center:** Drawing of a corset by *Smith, Oliver* (Year 10)
- Top Right:** Sailing ship painting by *Widdows, Elizabeth* (Year 11)
- Bottom Left:** Still life with birds by *Little, Beth* (Year 12)
- Bottom Center:** Colorful abstract landscape by *Little, Emma* (Year 11)
- Bottom Right:** Collage by *Little, Emma* (Year 11)

Art movements at the bottom:

- Ancient
- Baroque
- Realism
- Renaissance
- Contemporary
- Classical
- Romanticism
- Modern



Dates for the Diary

- ⇒30 Jun: Inset Day—school closed for children
- ⇒1 Jul: Open Classrooms. 2.45—3.00pm Main entrance open to parents. 3.10pm Parents leave. Parents may leave with their child when they have finished looking at books
- ⇒2 Jul: Cake Sell after school. Details sent previously and shared again with this newsletter
- ⇒3 Jul: YR trip Pizza Express
- ⇒7 Jul: Y3 Y4 trip British Aerospace Museum
- ⇒16 Jul: Y6 Leaver's Performance to parents 2—3pm. Details to follow
- ⇒16 Jul: Y6 Leaver's Performance to parents 5—6pm. Details to follow
- ⇒17 Jul: FOMS Disco. Tickets available to purchase through Parentpay. System closes 16th July
- ⇒**18 Jul: FOMS Tuck Shop—lower playground after school**
- ⇒22 Jul: Y6 Leaver's Service to parents 10—11am (in school hall). Details to follow
- ⇒22 Jul: Last Day Term 6

Next week/Reminders/Notices

- * Y2—PE for Year 2 next week will be Wednesday and Friday.
- * YR—trip to Pizza Express on 3rd July. The children will make pizzas and bring them back to school to eat. If your child does not want to eat their pizza and will bring in a home packed lunch or require a school dinner, please contact the office asap. Any food choices already made on Parentpay will be deleted to help the kitchen so it is important to let the office know. If we do not hear from you we will assume your child is eating their own-made delicious pizza! Many thanks.
- * Gentle reminder—we are a nut-free school. Please ensure your child does not bring any food item in containing nuts. Many thanks.
- * Y1 Beat Bus performance—Friday 4th July at 9.30am. We hope to see you here! FOMS will provide tea/coffee after drop off/before performance!
- * Reminder—Positive Parenting Programme—6 wk course (1 x 2hr session per week) starting Tuesday 16th September 2025. Please contact Mrs Mann or school office by Thursday 3rd July to book your place. Many thanks.

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As a school we set high targets for our children's attendance as we know that regular consistent attendance makes a huge difference to their learning:

If children are not in school they miss key parts of their learning.

Our current target for **all** children is **97%** - thank you for supporting us with this.

Term Time Absence

The Department of Education's guidance encourages all schools to take a much firmer stance on absence authorised in term times. Parents do not have the right to take their child out of school for holidays.

Where absence is wanted for any reason during school time, it is important to email school and inform us of your intentions in advance. E-mail: manorprimary@sgmail.org.uk

Please be advised that we are unable to authorise any term time holiday requests, – parents need to email and inform school of their intentions to take a holiday in advance, this will be **unauthorised**, and will be recorded as G code for family holiday (unauthorised).

Other Circumstances that would not be authorised are:

- Family Holidays;
- Relatives coming to visit;
- Family day trips/shopping days
- Visiting family who have different half terms or holiday;
- Grandparents/family members that have booked a holiday and parents were not aware of the dates;
- Re-occurring car/traffic problems;

How many days does your child attend School?

There are **190** days in a school year which leaves **175** days to spend with family for birthdays, special occasions, holidays, shopping, appointments and other things.



Reminders

Our school gates are open at **8:40am**, where a member of staff will welcome pupils into school. Gates close at **8:50am** (if you arrive after this time you will need to enter through the main school entrance).

If a child is unwell, a telephone call message should be left on 01454 866555 before 9am on the first day of absence stating the reason the child can-not attend.

We operate an everyday call system and if a reason for absence has not been communicated to the school office by 9:30 a.m. a call/text to the parent or carer will be made. Every day calling is an effective measure that helps ensure children are safe.

We are unable to authorise any holiday in term time.

More information can be found on the school website: <https://www.themanorcofeprimary.org.uk/copy-of-contact-us>

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Wednesday 2nd July – 3.15 – 3.30pm

The Manor Committee are organising a whole school charity cake sale. The proceeds will go to the charity which was most voted for – The Bristol Animal Rescue Centre

We invite the children only from Year R, Year 2, Year 4 and Year 6 to get baking at home and then bring in your sweet treats on the Wednesday morning.

The cake sale is open to **everyone** and will start after school in the hall.

Our Manor Committee reps will be running the cake sale (with a little help from adults!).

Please join us for this wonderful event, raising money for a worthwhile cause!

Please note: The cake sale will be cash only (sorry—no card payment available).

SUMMER Celebration

Thursday 3rd July

Build a Burger
Served with Homemade Wedges & Coleslaw

Hot Dog
Served with Homemade Wedges & Coleslaw

Ice Lolly

A healthy food meal is important for children and young people to keep healthy and improve their performance

FOODSMART **ADAP**

Trussell

Ending hunger together

Get emergency food

If you need help, a food bank can provide an emergency food parcel containing at least three days of meals.

In order to get help from a food bank you'll need to be referred for a food voucher. The voucher is then exchanged at the food bank for a food parcel.

You can get a food voucher from a number of local community organisations, who can ensure you get the right support. Here at The Manor we are able to issue food bank vouchers.

If you feel this is something you need a little help with please contact Mrs Mann either through the school office or direct by emailing teresa.mann@gmail.org.uk

(This will be treated as strictly confidential)

We have been asked to share the local food community shops and their opening times should any of our families need this extra support.

FEEDING FROMESIDE FOOD HUB

EVERY THURSDAY 12-2PM @ ZION CHURCH

FOOD SHOP & COMMUNITY CAFE! ALL WELCOME - FREE/PAY AS YOU FEEL

SAFE AND SANITARY SNACKS

WASH AND COAT HANGING

WASH AND DRY HANGING

ZION CHURCH, WOODEND ROAD, FRAMPTON COTTERELL, BS36 2HY
EMAIL - FOODHUB@ZIONCHURCH.CO.UK FB - @FEEDINGFROMESIDE

Opening times for the Family Food 4 Free community shop are as follows.

★ TUESDAY 1pm - 2:30pm

★ FRIDAY 10am - 11:45am

★ At Poole Court, Poole Court Drive, Yate, Bristol, BS37 5PP ★

OPENING HOURS

SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMPS

SOAK UP THE ACTION AT ONE OF OUR POPULAR SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMPS!

FOOTBALL

RECEPTION - YEAR 7 FOOTBALL CAMP
@ CHIPPING SODBURY SCHOOL (BS37 9EW)
MONDAY 28th JULY - FRIDAY 2nd AUGUST 9:30am - 3:30pm
FROM £78.00 PER DAY

YEAR 2 - YEAR 7 COALKEERS CAMP
@ CHIPPING SODBURY SCHOOL (BS37 9EW)
MONDAY 28th JULY - FRIDAY 2nd AUGUST 9:30am - 3:30pm
FROM £78.00 PER DAY

SPORTS

RECEPTION - YEAR 7 SPORTS CAMP
@ BLUE COAT PRIMARY SCHOOL (GL2 7BD)
MONDAY - THURSDAY 28th JULY - 1st AUGUST 9:30am - 3:30pm
FROM £78.00 PER DAY

YEAR 2 - YEAR 7 SPORTS DEVELOPMENT CAMP
@ K&L SCHOOL (GL2 8BE)
EVERY MON TUE WED THU FRI 28th JULY - 1st AUGUST 9:30am - 3:30pm
FROM £78.00 PER DAY

ALL CAMPS EXCLUDE MONDAY 28th AUGUST

EARLY DROP OFFS AND LATE PICK UPS ARE AVAILABLE TO BOOK AT JUST £5.00 PER HOUR!

SUMMER FUN MORNINGS

THU 31ST JULY
THU 7TH AUG
THU 14TH AUG
THU 21ST AUG

FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY FREE ENTRY CRAFTS GAMES SENSORY FREE LUNCH

BOOK ON VIA THE RESOUND WEBSITE

THU 31ST JULY
THU 7TH AUG
THU 14TH AUG
THU 21ST AUG

HELD AT RESOUND BLACKHORSE ROAD BS16 9BP

BOOK ON VIA RESOUNDBRISTOL.CO.UK

OR SCAN THE QR CODE

THU 31ST JULY
THU 7TH AUG
THU 14TH AUG
THU 21ST AUG

CREEPY CRAWLIES
OUR HELPERS
WATER GAMES
BUILD ZONE

SCHOOL UNIFORM SWAP

THURSDAY 21ST AUGUST
1pm to 3pm
Resound, BS16 9BP

Bring along old good quality uniform to donate or collect new used uniform for free

Families Plus 5-18 Parenting Groups for 2025/2026

Course	Date	Venue	Time
Parents Plus Adolescent 5-11 years	Tuesdays 30th September - 25th November	Kingswood Hub	09:30 - 12:00
Parents Plus Adolescent	Tuesdays 30 th September - 25th November	Yate Children's Centre	18:00 - 20:30
Parents Plus Children	Thursdays 2nd October - 27 th November	Staple Hill Children's Centre	18:00 - 20:30
Parents Plus Children	Thursdays 2nd October - 27 th November	Yate Children's Centre	09:30 - 12:00
Parents Plus Children	Thursdays 12nd January - 26th March	Staple Hill Children's Centre	10:30 - 12:30
Parents Plus Adolescent	Tuesdays 20th January - 17th March	Filton Children's Centre	18:00 - 20:30
Parents Plus Adolescent	Tuesdays 20th January - 17th March	Kingswood Hub	09:30 - 12:00
Parents Plus Children	Thursdays 22nd January - Tuesday 24th March	Patchway Children's Centre	09:30 - 12:00

If you would like to refer a family to any of these Parenting Groups please complete a ART referral form and email it to art.referrals@bristol.gov.uk

If you would like more information on any of these courses please contact our Compass team through Access and Response on 01454 886000

South Gloucestershire Council Document ref: 0410-00-0000-02

Creative Holiday Club

Reception - Year 6

Activities

- Arts and Crafts
- Drama
- Games
- Outdoor play

When? 10am - 2pm Dates from 25-4 July - 2nd August 2025

Where? Sites across Bristol & South Glos

Any questions? Call 0117 928 4242 or info@bristol.gov.uk

NO COST!

44 club places are fully funded (no cost) and children need to be in receipt of Universal Credit. Free School Meals to be eligible for a place.

To find out more visit our booking page here www.bristol.gov.uk/creativeholidayclub

SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMPS

Save 10% with our early bird discount. Use code **EBSUMMER25** at the checkout! (Offer ends on 6th July 2025)

@MANGOTSFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL, BS36 2EY & @STANBRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL, BS16 6AL

OPEN 8:30-10:00 TO 3:30 FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION TO YEAR 6

<https://www.sportingshance-cap.co.uk/events>

Book today

SUMMER HOLIDAYS Parish Free Fundays

5-11 Years
10:00am until 4:00pm
20 Spaces available
Priority to Parish Residents

New Venue
Marek Lane
Coalpit Heath BS36 2UF

BOOK NOW: swiftsportscoaching.co.uk/parishevents

Westerleigh & Coalpit Heath PARISH COUNCIL

SWIFT SPORTS COACHING

Creative Arts Club

For ages 11-16

Learn creative skills and meet new people this summer!

WHEN: Every 2nd Sat. 10am-12pm (10:30am-12:00pm) Monthly (1st Sat. is a break)

WHERE: The Arts Centre, 100 The Arcade, Bristol

FOOD: Free hot lunch, dessert and snacks

ACTIVITIES: Performance, Games, Multi media arts, Photography, Drawing

TO BOOK: Scan the QR code or visit bristolartsclub.org.uk

Questions? Call 0117 928 4242 or info@bristol.gov.uk

GET STARTED WITH NATURE

Everyone starts somewhere. Learn from industry experts, get invaluable experience and a taste of what it is like to work in nature.

Find out more visit kingstons.org.uk or email enrichment@kingstons.org.uk

ON THE COURSE YOU'LL:

- Learn about conservation and how wildlife and people can thrive together
- Understand the effects of climate change on nature
- Learn about the environment
- Find out about different roles in conservation
- Get support for up to 4 1:1 post-programme

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:
Taster day: Wed 10th July 2025
Course dates: Mon 24th - Fri 25th July 2025
Express Interest by: Fri 18th July 2025
Location: West
Eligibility: 16-30 years old

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB 2025

For Boys & Girls 4-12 Years Old

Runs From M/F Aug 4th and Aug 18th

Activities

- Sports games
- Dance and Drama
- Board Games
- Arts and Crafts
- Cooking
- Forest School and Den Building

Register on <https://thelittlemagicbooking.co.uk/identity/account/login>

Watermore School

Play, Learn, Grow Together. thelittlemagic.co.uk 01253 74660

50th Anniversary of FCDCA

We are excited to invite the local community to help us celebrate a remarkable milestone: 50 years of Frampton Cotterell and District Community Association at Crossbow House! This celebration is not just about looking back at our achievements but also about acknowledging the incredible support and participation of our community members over the years.

On Saturday 5th July we will host a special event at Crossbow House from 1pm-5pm. You can enjoy a free tea or coffee with a slice of cake, purchase drinks at the bar and have some free nibbles while mingling with the neighbours. We want to honour the spirit of togetherness that has defined our association and our community. Whether you've been involved for years or are new to the area, your presence will make this event even more special.

We will also have a photo exhibition showcasing the history of the association and many memories created within our community over the past five decades.

Additionally, you will have the chance to meet and engage with various local groups who will be setting up stalls to showcase their work/services. This is a fantastic opportunity to learn more about the clubs and organisations that enrich our community.

Our popular monthly Friday quiz on the 4th July will be themed around 1975. One of our founder member Groups, the Crossbow Singers will be holding their 50th anniversary Summer concert on Monday 7th and Tuesday 8th July and you can obtain tickets by contacting Dave Buman at dabuman53@gmail.com

If anyone has any memorabilia that we can display, please let us know! We would love to showcase items that reflect our community's history and experiences over the past 50 years. Whether it's photographs, documents, or any memorabilia, your contributions would help make our celebration even more special.

Feel free to reach out if you have anything you wish to share by contacting our office on 01454 772947 or email crossbowhouse@gmail.com