

Rockwell Green Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 10th October 2025



“Sharing life in all its fullness.” John 10:10

Values : The value we are focussing on this half term is Respect

Dear Parent/Carers,

It has been a really busy and positive week in school with so many different learning experiences occurring. The Reception and KS1 Harvest service was a joyful celebration and the children were a credit to both themselves and the school in the way in which they performed and sung. They should be very proud of themselves. It was also wonderful to have Reverend Andy join us in school and everybody there enjoyed what he had to share.

Harvesting our Apples

I am delighted to share that this week, all the children that wanted to, were able to try some apple juice that had been harvested from our own apples. The general consensus from the children was that the apple juice was fabulous and thoroughly enjoyed.

For this to happen, I would like to say a huge thank to Nick Guttman who came into school and did some apple pressing with our Year 5 children so they could understand what is involved. Nick then very kindly also pasteurised and bottled some of the apple juice so the children can savour it.

Parents' Evening

Parents' Evening slips have been sent home with the children today for those that have requested a time. If you have not yet returned your parent evening slip then please do at the beginning of next week so we can ensure everybody has a time for this important meeting with your child's class teacher.

Primary School Applications

Primary school application deadline Thursday 15th January 2026

<https://www.somerset.gov.uk/children-families-and-education/applying-for-school/apply-to-start-school-for-the-first-time/>

Secondary School Applications

The secondary school application deadline is Friday 31st October. A guide of how to apply is below.

<https://www.somerset.gov.uk/children-families-and-education/applying-for-school/secondary-admissions-guide/#:~:text=You%20can%20apply%20on%20our,sent%20by%20second%20class%20post.>

Poetry Competition Winners

Wow! I was blown away by the quality and care that went into the poetry competition entries, this year. 28 of you entered in KS2 and 21 in EYFS/KS1. The theme of 'play' came through strongly and I had to enlist some independent adjudicators to help me judge the entries.

Thank you to everyone who entered, our winners this year are...

EYFS/KS1 winner: Joel from Kingfishers

KS2 winner: Prrisha from Tawny Owls



Miss Whelan

Year 6 Sports Leaders

A huge congratulations to our new Sports Leaders of 2025-2026! Your applications were outstanding and I cannot wait to work with you all on the PE leader programme!

Our leaders will be supporting play on both KS1 and KS2 playgrounds, supporting the organisation of sports day and leading on some upcoming, exciting sports opportunities across the academic year.



Miss Whelan

KS1 Playground Equipment

This lunchtime, we introduced the new equipment which has been purchased to support positive play with our youngest learners. We explored the balance beams, stilts and hurdle cones! We set up a course on the playground which everyone enjoyed.



Miss Whelan

Wellington Garden of Light

Fuse Fire and Light

Saturday October 25th
Wellington Park
6.30pm to 9pm

Celebrating art and nature

Fuse Fire and Light performances,
Aerial Dance, Music, Digital Arts,
Film Projections, Light Sculpture Trail
Take part in Lantern Workshops.



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You're invited

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WEDNESDAY
15
OCTOBER
6.30PM
SCHOOL HALL

Connect with Other Parents and Learn How we Support Your Child's Growth! Discover what we do, and how you can support the PTFA to support your children.

- ✓ Meet other parents
- ✓ Get your questions answered
- ✓ Discuss important information



You are invited to a

Community Lunch

Come for a free lunch and share what matters to you about life in your community. A chance to meet one another over a meal and hear a range of views about the joys and challenges of rural life locally

11.45am Saturday 18th October 2025
Appley Pavilion, Appley Cross,
Stawley, Wellington, TA21 0HH

RSVP by 11th October if possible
Revd Andy Barton, West Tone Benefice
welcme@westtone.org.uk
01823 924007

All are welcome

Hedgehogs: Eliza, Theodore, Ezra,



Kingfishers: Sky, Michelle



Otters: Maddie, Hamdi, Daniel,



Squirrels: Oliver, Joshua, Skyler



Tawny Owls: Joel, Lincoln, Ori



Woodpeckers: Lucas, Ava-Lily, Scarlett,



Star Learner: Darcy



House Points:

Blackdown: 285

Brendon: 271

Mendip: 220

Quantock: 244