



Thorner's Church of England VA Primary School
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Staff in Bredy: This morning we interviewed candidates to teach in Bredy when Mrs Biggins takes maternity leave from September. You will be pleased to know that we have appointed Ryan Gall, who is currently one of our teacher trainees.

Year 6 tests: The Year 6 children have been fantastic this week and have completed their tests. We will know the results in July.

Sailing: Eggardon went sailing on the afternoon of Thursday 16 May and had a great time. Several Bredy and Eggardon children will participate in the after school sailing club which starts after the half term break.

Swimming gala: Several Year 4 children participated in the West Dorset gala on Tuesday 14 May.

Swimming in school: After the half term break, the children will start swimming in the school pool. Please ensure that they bring a swimming kit to school every day - swimming costume (one piece for girls please), towel and swimming hat. Hats are a requirement and we do have some in school that you can buy.

Musicianship Programme: On Wednesday 1 May Bredy and Eggardon started 10 weeks of instrumental lessons delivered by a professional musician from the Dorset Music Service.

Fledglings and Litton visit: Today our preschool and Reception children are enjoying a day out at Abbotsbury Gardens.

Health and safety: With the warmer weather (hopefully!) please make sure your child has **suncream and a hat** in school. Litton and Chesil are best to have suncream on before they come to school; after half term they will need to bring suncream to put on after swimming.

A reminder that **mobile phones** should not be used inside school or in the playground when children are around.

TSA Splashathon: On Saturday 11 May several children participated to raise funds for our pool. So far we have raised a whopping £865.50 and there is still some sponsor money to come in. Please can you send this into the office asap. The children who raised money have come to school out of uniform today.

Yours sincerely
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