

July 2023

End of an Era!

After 21 years as Headteacher, Mrs King is leaving us and her last school day is 21st July 2023. We would like to thank her for her devotion and dedication to St Peter's children and their families and wish her every future happiness!



Alvescot Village Fete

The Alvescot Village Fete was a huge success! The weather was truly British, with sunshine and showers. Thank you to everyone for their support whether it was staying to take part in all the games, activities and competitions or running one of the stalls!

Well done to all the winners who hoola hooped, threw bean bags at cans and even milked a cow! The grand total raised came to around £3,500.



School Wish List Thank you so much for all the wonderful books that the school has received over the last academic year. If you are thinking of a gift for the end of the year then we have updated the list and added more titles. *Thankyou*

Dates for your Diary

Monday 10th July

4.00pm Concert for parents by children learning to play musical instruments

Tuesday 11th July

Rec/KS1 Beach Trip to Weston Super Mare

Friday 14th July

Year 6 Leaver's Camp

Thursday 20th July 11.00am

Leaver's Service at Shilton Church

Thursday 20th July

Pegasus Class Disco 5.00pm-7.00pm

Friday 21st July

End of the School Year
Early Finish ~ 1:15pm/1:30pm

Term Dates for 2023-2024

Autumn Term 2023

Term 1: 5th September - 19th October

Autumn Half Term:

20th October - 29th October

Term 2: 30th October - 20th December

Christmas Holiday:

21st December - 8th January

Spring Term 2023

Term 3: 9th January - 9th February

Spring Half Term:

10th February - 18th February

Term 4: 19th February - 28th March

Spring Holiday:

29th March - 14th April

Summer Term 2023

Term 5: 15th April - 24th May

Summer Half Term:

26th May - 3rd June

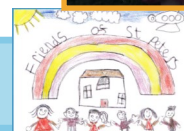
Term 6: 4th June - 24th July

Court Hill Residential Memories

"We arrived excitedly at school ready for our first residential. We travelled to White Horse Hill and walked along the Ridgeway to Wayland's Smithy, played on the path, explored the woods, found some amazing dens and climbed the trees. At Court Hill we looked at the stunning view and ate our lunch – you could see for miles and miles! We played building dens and a game between Celtic tribes and the Romans. It was so much fun! Later, we found out who we would be sharing a bedroom with, had delicious spaghetti bolognese and went for an evening walk. We ended the day by watching the sunset with a hot chocolate. What a wonderful time we had!"



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Quad Kids Final



After success in the Burford Partnership event, our U9's team got through to the West Oxfordshire final hosted at Carterton Community College. The team were supported by parents who cheered them on to achieve a very respectful 3rd place! Con-



U11's Dynamos Cricket

On the day that The Ashes started, a group of Pegasus pupils made the trip to Shipton Under Wychwood. The cricket ground is in a beautiful setting and one pupil commented that "It didn't feel like a school day!" The team pulled together and morale was high. There was some great bowling and evaluation of each match. We came an honourable third place.



U9's Tri Golf Tournament



A group of children took part in a Tri Golf tournament. There were seven challenges to complete each involving putting and chipping skills. Each activity was against the clock so speed, accuracy and teamwork were required. St Peter's won by an incredible 77 points. What an amazing achievement golfers!

Sports Day 2023

What a fabulous day with so many children demonstrating their skills as well as great sportsmanship and team spirit!



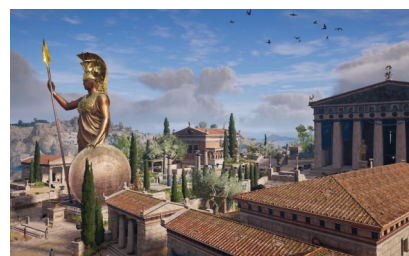
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Pegasus Visit The Ashmolean Museum

Pegasus class visited The Ashmolean Museum linking in with their 'Groundbreaking Greek s' topic. They held real Greek artefacts and looked at some interesting sculptures. The children learnt a great deal and enjoyed a day at the museum.



Transition Day

As our Year 6s children experienced two days at Burford, School it was time to welcome our new Reception children to St Peter's for the morning.

The current Reception children and the Year 2s and 4s moved to Tucana, Phoenix and Pegasus Classes and enjoyed a day getting to know their new teachers and teaching assistants and making new friends.

PCSO Alex Griffiths visited to talk to children in Phoenix and Pegasus Classes about how they can keep themselves safe on our busy roads.



Celebrating St Peter's Day

It was lovely to see so many St Peter's families at the Service which was led by Reverend Margot. Everyone sang joyously, accompanied by Catrin Russ, and thank you to Evie and Adri who read so beautifully.

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