



### **Milborne Message - 13.05.22**

Dear Families,

I was really pleased to welcome so many of you to Clare Williams Trauma Informed Talk yesterday. I know that you found it really useful and many of you have asked me if we can invite her again. I've already heard about some differences in your language when talking to your child. What an excellent start!

Sometimes, just looking at something from another angle changes your whole perspective (so aligned to our new logo) I am also delighted that parents present could see that this is the ethos we have at school and can now fully embrace that and celebrate and enhance it.

I have started to put together a leaflet to try to capture the key messages of Trauma Informed and how it looks in school and hope to send this out very soon.

We will be having a Logo Launch event. I say Logo, but actually we want to share how it links to our Relationships and Behaviour policy and how we work at school too. We also want you to get involved and do some art work with your child. As soon as external visitors have confirmed we will let you know the date and details.

Our **Raccoons** class will be attending the Poole Lighthouse on **Wednesday 18th May**. Children will be leaving school just after 12pm so they will be having an early lunch. **Please send your child in with a packed lunch.** Hot school meals have been cancelled and refunded via the online ordering system. There will be other schools from the Dorset area attending, therefore please could children wear their logo school uniform (if possible). This will help the adults to quickly spot any of our group.

This weeks **Skills Challenge**:-



**Consider this challenge: a charity wishes to organise a 'fun run' in your local area.**

The course must be accessible to people of all ages and abilities. Draw different routes your 'fun run' could take.

Which one would be best so that everyone could be involved?

## Reflection Questions

**Getting Started:** What are the instructions?

**Intermediate:** How can you come up with lots of possible solutions?

**Advanced:** Why is it important to consider a range of solutions for problems?

**Mastery:** How might you choose between different solutions to a complex problem?

## Problem Solving

### Do you know if your child qualifies for free school meals?

If you're feeling the financial squeeze, check if your child could receive a free daily lunch at school. This could save you up to £450 per year per child.

<https://dorsetcouncil.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=c39535cf4f9d1ca66af8d2b44&id=d18adede39&e=5ad5011868>

**OE afternoon** - Thank you to the Raccoons parents who came and joined us for our OE lesson. We hope you had fun and now have a small insight into what the children learn during their lessons.

The ECO warriors will be sharing their new Eco Code with the rest of the school in assembly. I have added this for our parents to see.

**Pyjamarama** - Thank you for all the support for The Book Trust. We raised a total of £42.00. This will be paid in at the end of next week, so there is still time to make a donation into the school office before Wednesday.



The children have been enjoying the newly painted playground, thankfully we are now going into some nice sunny days for them to be able to make the most of it.



It can be difficult to find good clubs and activities for children but the website below helps direct you some:

The website 'All4KidsUK' is a great search engine for clubs and activities.

The link below takes you to CYP Holiday Activities in Dorset.

<https://all4kidsuk.com/holiday-clubs-and-courses-childrens/dorset>

Hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Sharon Staddon

### **Dates For Your Diary:-**

**18th May - Raccoons** - Poole Lighthouse trip (Packed lunches required and logo School uniform)

**27th May - RACCOONS** class assembly (2pm in school Hall)

**30th May - 3rd June - May Half Term Break**

**6th June** - Children Back in school

**17th June - ROBINS OE** - Parents and Children OE session

**18th June - Raccoons** Songlines performance @ Maumbury Rings with DASP schools (2pm)

**18th - 25th June** - Drowning Prevention week

**24th June - RABBITS** class assembly

**1st July** - Sports Day (1pm onwards) (**Reserve 8th July**)

**7th July - TRANSFER** Day (*Year 4 parents to take children to Middle School and pick up from Middle School*)

**14th July** - Summer Play (1:30pm)

**15th July** - Summer Play (9:30am)

**21st July** - Leavers & Awards Assembly (9am)

**21st July - Last Day of Term** (pick-up 1:15pm)

**21st July - Year 4 Leavers Party @ 2pm**

**22nd July - School closed** = no children in school (Day in lieu of Queen's Jubilee in May Half Term)

**25th July - 31st August = SUMMER HOLIDAYS**

## **EXTERNAL INFORMATION:-**

- TOTAL SPORTS - Half term activities - Please see the attached flyer.
- Here is the **link** to the next issue of [Families Dorset Magazine](#) This issue is full of useful information and advice for parents including starting school resources, times tables resources, Father's Day gift ideas, family adventures at home and much more.
- **Dorset Magazine** -  
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- **Dorset SEND** -  
<https://mailchi.mp/dorsetcouncil/notification-of-dorset-area-send-pilot-inspection?e=5ad5011868>
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<https://mailchi.mp/dorsetcouncil/feb-fis-newsletter-3126344?e=5ad5011868>
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