

# Spotlight on Spaxton School

# **Hello Baby Edward!**



# **Message from The Head of School**

Dear Parents/Carers,

I have thoroughly enjoyed my first few weeks at your lovely school and been very grateful for your kind words and support in getting used to my new role here at Spaxton School.

Your children have been so helpful and welcoming to me and it is great to see how curious, confident and caring the children are here.

Let's hope that we continue to be able to tentatively open things up and return to normal as much as is safe over the next half-term.

I hope everyone has a safe and well-earned break over halfterm and that we all look forward to a great summer of (hopefully!) sunshine, learning, fun and games.

Have a great break!

Yours faithfully

Mrs K Atkins

# **Great News!**

We are delighted to announce that Mrs. Rood gave birth to Edward James, weighing 11lbs 4oz on Sunday.

Both mum and baby are doing well!

Congratulations Mrs. Rood - we can't wait to meet him!

# **Message from The CEO**

Hello everyone

I was delighted to hear the lovely news about Mrs Rood's baby! I understand that Mrs Rood and Baby Edward are both doing well.

I would like to thank Mr Atkins for his part in ensuring such a smooth handover and for settling in so well. I can see that the

staff are working very closely with him to ensure that the children continue to benefit from a rich learning experience and that normal school routines and expectations are re-established, as we start to plan once again a range of exciting opportunities for our children and school communities.

My regular visits to the school remind me each time of my own recent experience of the lovely children, highly committed staff and governors and the beautiful location.

Best wishes to you all

Kind regards Karen Canham CEO/Executive Headteacher

Inspired by: I Corinthians Ch 13 Vs 4-7

Those who belong to our school: protect, trust, have hope, persevere, show courage and respect.

### Congratulations to Aemilia Tilley

Aemilia and her pony Prince have had a great time show jumping, coming Team 1st, Individual 2nd and best Quantock Pony Club member in the 40cm assisted.



Aemilia and Prince have qualified for the Pony Club Mini Championship to be held in August 2021

We wish them both all the best—Well done Aemilia





Our Film Night was a huge success £280 was raised for the new library!!

The children really enjoyed watching the different films & eating the popcorn and hotdogs.

Thank you everyone that was involved.

### **Somerset Day**

On Tuesday the 11th of May 2021, Kingfisher Class celebrated Somerset Day. We went for a walk in the village to see the Somerset Flag flying.



The children explored landmarks in the county, creating information posters.

We then went on to design our own flags for Somerset, using some of the information we found out and important things to us they included apples, tractors, sunsets and animals.







What a fun day was had by all!

# **Dates for the Diary**

Monday 31st May—Friday 4th June	Half term
Monday 28th June	Sports Day (fingers crossed)
Monday 5th July	Reserve Sports Day
Wednesday 7th July	Transition Day
Friday 9th July	Summer Fair
Thursday 22nd July	Leavers' Service
Friday 23rd July	Last day of term
Wednesday 6th September	INSET DAY
Thursday 7th September	New school year begins

# **Sports Day**

Miss Sellick is taking on the important job of organizing this year's Sports Day. She is putting together a programme which will hopefully allow for both traditional races and some sporting activities to ensure that the day is inclusive for all pupils.

At the moment, we are unsure about whether parents will be able to attend. We truly hope you are, and are hoping that the further easing of restrictions planned for 21st June will enable you all to attend.

I ask you to kindly bear with use on this as it is possible that we may not have the full picture until very close to the day. The PTFA are also hoping to sell cakes on the day.