

Dear Parents

What a lovely day we have had in school today celebrating Michaelmas with you all. Kindergarten children met Mother Earth and ate their home made bread and Jam whilst main school children celebrated with a play, singing and the appearance of the dragon. Main school children also spent the day preparing a meal to be shared with all. It has truly been an exciting day.



Co-creating our school vision 2021

The trustees would like to invite you all to an event at the school on Saturday 6th October, 10am-12pm to consult and include your views in our school vision for the coming 3 years.

Sarah's Marathon Run

Last Sunday, Sarah Horan ran the half marathon as a fundraiser for the school. "Although it was really hard, I thoroughly enjoyed the 13.1 miles (20km) of the Bristol half marathon. I'm extremely grateful for all of the support from friends, family and affiliates of the Bristol Steiner school. We have exceeded the target set, but if you still wish to donate, any contributions are very much appreciated. "

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/sarah-horan1>

A request for help from class 2

Class 2 are attempting to learn to play the violin. Currently we have enough instruments in school for one between two and it would be great if we had a few more. Is it possible that anyone in our community has a redundant half or quarter size violin that we might be able to borrow? If you think you could help us with this please could you let Lizzie (Class 2) know?

Dates for your Diary

October

Fri 5th	Class 4/5 Wynstones Trip
Thu 11th	Classroom Tour 9am
	Class 3 Parents' Evening 7pm
Sat 13th	KG Autumn Fair
Mon 15th	Flu Immunisation Clinic
Thu 18th	KG Parents' Evening (JD & KN)
Mon 22nd—	School closed for half term holiday
Fri 2nd Nov	

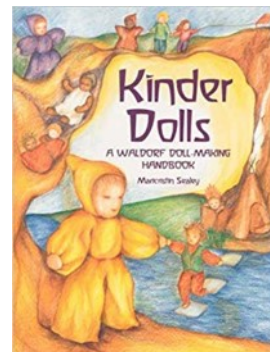
November

Mon 5th	First Day of Term
Tues 6th	Class 1 Parents' Evening
Thurs 8th	Class 2 Parents' Evening
Fri 9th	KG Martinmas Lantern Walk 4:45pm



Doll Making Course (limbed dolls)

Parents will have the opportunity to join a doll-making course which will be offered over 4 Saturday mornings at the Bristol Steiner School. The course will be led by Maricristin Sealy and will commence on the 27th of October. Places will be limited so look out for further details in the coming weeks



After School Clubs

Drama Club— Enjoy Drama? Love to play games? Then this is the club for you! Contact:: Ryan McKenzie mckenzie86@outlook.com

Capoeira—Contact: Bob Blunden 07734038837 boblimbic@hotmail.com

Evening Classes

Bristol City Yoga has teamed up with Bristol Steiner School to bring their popular Yoga classes and Workshops to the Redland area of Bristol.

Bristol City Yoga is one of the most reputable and long-standing yoga studios and with it comes experienced yoga teachers who are passionate and highly qualified. The timetable has a broad range of yoga styles; Hatha, Yin, Ashtanga, Restorative plus many more so that you can find what you need to suit you. Laura Gilmore, studio director and senior teacher has over 20 years of yoga experience and brings with her not only a wealth of experience but also her witty humour and open approach.

Laura Gilmore says: 'We're looking forward to bringing yoga to the Steiner School, it's such a great space. The demand for yoga classes in Bristol has grown massively over the past 2 years alone, we're looking forward to expanding out to Redland.'

And finally here are some more images from our Michaelmas festival



Best wishes

Ruth Glover

Headteacher

Bristol Steiner School



CO-CREATING OUR SCHOOL VISION 2021

Sat 6th Oct. 10am-12pm



WHAT

Collectively we wish to set the vision of our school to 2021. A vision that is inspiring, bold and galvanises our combined wisdom to grow our school and offer Bristol an oasis of whole child education that prepares young people for a changing world.

WHY

We have now arrived at a point of stability for our school. Based on our present pupil numbers we are financially stable for the next three years. This is the perfect time to focus on the future.

WHO

We are asking every parent and staff member to come. This is a critical step in moving from stability to thriving, to set out our future and confidently co-create it. Please be there, your voice, energy and love for our school is vital to its future prosperity.



"Our task is to educate their (our students) whole being so they can face the future. We may not see the future, but they will and our job is to help them make something of it." **Sir Ken Robinson**