



Colston's Primary School A Co-operative Academy

Celebrating Diversity, Learning Together

1948–2018

It's our 70th Anniversary Festival!

Monday 4th May to
Saturday 30th June 2018



**70th
Anniversary
Birthday
Party**

Saturday
30th June
2pm-6pm
**SAVE THE
DATE!**

The Festival

Cake Competition

Well it wouldn't be a birthday without cake!

Come and help blow out the candles on the winning design at the birthday party on Saturday 30th June.

Bake Off Event

There will also be an anniversary bake off on 22nd June – look out for details in the school newsletter.

COMPETITION

Design your school a 70th Birthday cake!



THE PRIZE:

The **WINNING** design will be made into a **REAL CAKE** by professional cake maker, Leanne of Pearly King Cakes. The winner will also have the opportunity to help Leanne decorate their cake in her shop.



www.pearlykingcake.co.uk

How to enter;

- Draw your cake design on an A4 piece of paper.
- Label the cake design with flavours, decorations and any other details (no nuts please!).
- Remember to write your name and class on your entry.
- Hand your design and voluntary 50p entry fee in to either the Elmgrove or Cotham Grove office by **Friday 8th June**.

The birthday cake will be cut up and sold at the school's birthday party on **Saturday June 30th**

All proceeds to go towards the cost of making the cake / the school playground appeal.

Anniversary Heritage Project

Go on an eclectic, vibrant journey through the decades from the 40s to the noughties as expressed by the children – display in the Elmgrove main hall.



Year 6: 1940s, Year 5: 1950s, Year 4: 1960s, Year 3: 1970s, Year 2: 1980s, Year 1: 1990s

As part of the 70th anniversary celebrations, Year 4 students would like to learn more about the history of Colston's Primary School and the surrounding area.

**Do you still have an old school exercise book?
Maybe you have a story to tell about Lovers Walk?**

We would love you to bring your memories, photos and pictures from the past to share with us at

Colston's Primary School, 18, Cotham Grove, Bristol, BS6 6AL

on Tuesday 20th March from 1:30pm – 3:30pm

If you would like to come along then do please contact the school on office@colstonsprimary.co.uk or phone 0117 377 2510.

Memories Project and Digital Timeline

Children interviewed alumni (ex-pupils) for research. Memories are also being collected on our digital timeline which you can find on the school website in the 'About Us' drop down menu.



Edward Colston Statue Plaque Project

As part of their heritage project Year 6 pupils discussed plaque ideas with a panel made up of key figures involved in the Bristol wide discussions about how Bristol should best remember its past today.



Myers-Insole Local Learning CIC
www.locallearning.org.uk



1990s, Reception: 2000

Mural Project

An anniversary mural project is underway for a wall down at Elmgrove.

Anniversary Arts Week

A taster of projects so far includes decoration and costume making, Colston's Got Talent, Birthday Cake Poster, and some bench building for the playground.

Photo project

70th anniversary calendar and aerial photo of children in the formation of the number 70.

Anniversary Playground Fundraising Appeal and Developments

Fundraising continues apace. Team Colston's ran the 10K in May and their page is still open for support on BTMyDonate.

Thank you to everybody who has supported the appeal so far this year.



TouchWood Play are due to give assemblies about the playground development plans. They will workshop current ideas with staff and children to finalise the masterplan, and will also make benches with Year 6 pupils for their legacy project.



A new name for Colston's Primary School at 70

We've chosen to be Cotham Gardens Primary School from September. The children are working on a new logo that reflects our new name, school values and ethos. We will work on a new school sign together with TouchWood.

The Birthday Party: 2-6pm 30th June 2018 – save the date!

This will take the format of our usual lovely spring/summer fair ... with anniversary bells on! Extra features so far include a drumming circle, classic car rides, anniversary film screenings, and a glittering stage line-up starring performances by the winners of Colston's Got Talent (subject to availability!), teacher's band, international choir, 70th anniversary song ... And there'll be lots more besides. Finalised programme to be published nearer the time.



Enjoy the half term break and we look forward to seeing you for festival fun in term 6 ...

The Anniversary Festival Planning Team

Got any questions? Want to get involved, help, support? Get in touch via the school office or Kate on colstons70thanniversary@gmail.com

