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NEWSLETTER

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PTFA Halloween Disco

The Halloween Disco is tomorrow: 3.20—4.15pm for Nursery & Reception

4.25—5.15pm for Years 1 & 2
5.25pm—6.15pm for Years 3 & 4

6.25pm—7.15pm for Years 5 & 6

Entry £2.50 per child to include sweets, drink & neon face painting. This time there is a DJ and the School Council have checked with their classes and gathered song requests. Permission forms are needed and are available from the school office.

Harvest Celebrations

Thank you for joining us for the Nursery, Year 1 and Year 2 Harvest celebrations – the children enjoyed the chance to share their songs and poems. Thank you also for the donations of food which we have taken to CHAT for which they were very grateful. Reception Harvest is tomorrow and we hope many families of the Reception children can join us in the Dartmoor school hall at 2.40pm.

Year 6 Assembly

Year 6 parents are welcome to join us for assembly on Monday 11th November at 9.15am when year 6 will lead an assembly for Remembrance day.

Staffing

Sadly for us two staff leave this half term; Mrs Sarah Barrow who has been supporting in Year 5 and Mrs Penny Drysdale, who is currently in year 3 but has worked from Reception to year 6 over her 22 years here. We thank them for the time they have given to the school and send best wishes for the future. We have recently recruited to the posts and Mrs Nikita Pengelley and Ms Debbie Hayball will be joining the team during the next half term.

Children in Need

On 15th November we will be raising money for Children in Need. This year we will be having a non-uniform day and your child can come to school dressed with a Spotty theme or in home clothes in exchange for a donation of 50p.

We hope to do face painting on the morning and will be charging £1.00. A consent form will be sent home nearer the time and needs to be shown on the day. There will also be Pudsey badges for sale for £1.00



Volunteers needed to read stories

We are aiming to build a team of volunteers who will read stories with some of our young readers on a regular basis. If this is something you might be interested in please leave your name at the office and we will contact you.



Parents' evenings

Parents evenings for years Reception to year 6 are the week of the 4th November. Letters will be sent out shortly by email with hard copies also available from the office. Please be on the look out for these and return by email or paper copy. These meetings give you a chance to hear in more detail what your child is learning at the moment and some of the targets which we hope you can support the children with at home.

CHILD SAFEGUARDING

We recognise our moral and statutory responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of all pupils. We endeavour to provide a safe and welcoming environment where children are respected and valued. We are alert to the signs of abuse and neglect and follow our procedures to ensure that children receive effective support, protection and justice. The Senior Designated Officer (SDO) for Child Protection within school is Mr. Boraston.

Advance notice:

18th October – non uniform Jeans for Genes Day



Forthcoming Seasonal events:

Families of these year groups are welcome to join us for the following events:

Reception Harvest - Thursday 17th October at 2.40pm in the Dartmoor hall

Year 6 Remembrance Assembly - November 11th 9.15am in the Exmoor hall.

The letter for parents' evenings, which are the week beginning the 4th November will be sent out nearer the time.

Christmas Concerts

3rd December—Year 3 & 4 afternoon & evening

4th December—Year 3 & 4 9.20am

9th December—Reception afternoon

10th December—Reception 9.20am

10th December—Year 1 & 2 afternoon & evening

11th December—Year 1 & 2 9.20am

12th December—Year 5 & 6 Carol Service 6.30pm

Afternoon times to be confirmed nearer the time.

EASYFUNDRAISING

Two Moors Primary School PTFA

We have great news, you can now raise much needed funds for Two Moors Primary School, to benefit your children, every time you shop online. There are over 2,700 companies out there (Amazon, Argos, Tesco, M&S, John Lewis, BookPeople, Groupon to name just a few!) that will donate a percentage of your purchase to your nominated good cause (Two Moors Primary School PTFA) and it doesn't cost you a penny extra, honestly! You don't give any of your money it's the lovely online companies that donate!

Thinking about Christmas shopping yet? Calling all Mums & Dads! Please raise free funds for Two Moors Primary School when you're shopping online in the run up to Christmas and afterwards! It doesn't cost anything extra and it's really quick and easy.

Just follow this link to our page: <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/twomoorsptfa>

They have a reminder toolbar so that you remember to use them each time too!

Happy shopping!