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Newsletter 8

Thursday 5th May 2022

Summer Term

We look forward to what we hope will be a return to many of the more normal parts of a summer term. Year 6 SAT's and the Year 6 residential are this half term and we have arranged a special trip for Year 4 & 5. Year 2 & 3 will hear details of a trip for them shortly.

There are dates for sports days and we hope you will be able to join us for those. They are subject to dry weather and may need to be postponed depending on the forecast on the day.

We are also hoping to have a special celebration of the Queen's platinum jubilee with the children & parents / carers are invited to the second part to enjoy hearing the children singing some of their songs. Further details will follow.

The term has started with many year 6 pupils being involved in the Exmoor Challenge this Saturday & completing the 16 mile walk across Exmoor, navigating their way from one checkpoint to another.

Swimming

In mid-May we usually start swimming. We will let you know when conditions are ready, with the water and air temperature being right. A reminder that children need to have trunks or a one-piece costume and a large towel, all of which are named. They will also need footwear such as flipflops / jellies to walk to and from the pool and a large 'bag for life' type bag that their clothes can be in whilst swimming. Swimming is part of the PE curriculum and as such is a requirement. If your child is unable to swim because of medical reasons e.g. ear or skin infections, colds, please let your child's class teacher know.

All jewellery will need to be removed. Further details will follow.

Swimming volunteers

We would welcome volunteers to go in the water and support the Reception children for swimming. Volunteers will need to be DBS checked, and complete the volunteer form and attend a brief training session. If you are able to support Reception with swimming please let us know and collect a form from the office so we can start the DBS checking process which takes a few weeks.

PTFA Yummy Friday

The next Yummy Friday is this Friday 6th May on the playground near the railway track with Year 2 & 3 supplying the cakes. We thank the PTFA committee for their hard work in organising events to raise money for the school so we can buy additional items.

Non-Uniform Day

There will be a non-uniform day on Friday 27th May for our local charity CHAT support people experiencing housing difficulties in Mid-Devon.

HOW CAN WE HELP?

FOODBANK
If you need food we can help.
Please ring us between 10:00-12:00 Monday - Friday and we will assess how we can best help

SUPPORT AND ADVICE
We have a team waiting to help.
Ring during our opening hours and we will do our best to answer your questions.

HOUSING AND FINANCE CONCERNS
Are you concerned about your housing?
Need help negotiating with your landlord?
Rent arrears?
Need debt and money advice?

Free impartial advice, available across Mid Devon
Call 9:30am - 4:30pm, Monday - Friday
Thank you for your support - if you would like to give financially please scan here to donate or see <https://chatmid.org/donating/>

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T: 01884 255606 E: theoffice@chatmid.co.uk www.chatmid.org @CHATMidDevon

The Golden Mile

At the end of the spring term the children had completed 6,405 miles, with an average of 17.45 miles per child.

School Uniform

Please remember that shoes should be black / dark and avoiding florescent colours when replacing children's shoes. Black trainers can also be used as school shoes. If buying summer sandals for the summer term please ensure they will protect the children's feet sufficiently for school use.

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| Monday 9 th May | SATS week for Year 6 |
| Friday 13 th May | Year 4 Beam House |
| Friday 20 th May | Year 5 Beam House & Year 5 sleepover |
| Monday 23 rd May | Year 6 Residential week |
| Friday 27 th May | non-uniform day for CHAT |
| HALF TERM 30 th May – 3 rd June | |
| Wednesday 8 th June | Jubilee celebration 2.40pm – 3.10pm time to be confirmed |
| Wednesday 29 th June | sports afternoon Reception 2pm time to be confirmed |
| Thursday 30 th June | sports afternoon Year 1 & 2 1.45pm time to be confirmed |
| Friday 1 st July | sports afternoon Year 3,4,5 & 6 1.45pm time to be confirmed |
| Monday 4 th July | Jubilee Bank Holiday school closed |



From Saturday May 7th ..
MINI - POLO
At Exe Valley Leisure Centre

Saturdays 2-2:25
or 2:30 – 2:55
£3 per session
For children
approx. 5-9years

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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 Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) for Child Protection within school is Mr. Boraston.