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Dear Parents and Carers,

Class Two, 'Inspirational Nature' Workshop, RHS Garden Rosemoor

The children looked at some artwork by famous artists who have been inspired by nature. They created colour palettes using autumn leaves and collected a range of natural materials and using inspiration from nature, creating their own ephemeral natural pictures.



Class Three and Four, 'Authors Aloud' with Aisling Fowler

Class Three and Four enjoyed meeting Aisling Fowler on Zoom earlier this week alongside many other children in the South West. They learned about her inspirations, heard her read some of her story and engaged in creative writing activities, which are being followed up in class.



Harvest Festival

The children joyfully sang their harvest festival songs: 'Cauliflowers Fluffy', 'Thank Your Lucky Stars', 'Harvest Tango' and 'Harvest for the World'. Thank you all for your generous donations for the Freedom Centre.







Tuesday 12th October Tempest Photography

Tempest Photography will be taking individual photos and in-school sibling photos on Tuesday. Due to current restrictions, it is not possible to take family photographs with siblings that do not attend Goodleigh C of E Primary School.

Early Years Foundation Stage, 'First Class' Supplement, North Devon Journal

Our Reception children had their photograph taken to appear in the 'First Class' supplement in the North Devon Journal on Thursday 14th October.

Year Six, Secondary School Admissions Deadline

The deadline for applications is 31st October, parents and carers can apply online: www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline. If you cannot apply online, please contact the education helpline on 0345 155 1019 and ask for a paper copy of the form to be sent to you. Please note that it is not possible to make an application by email.

Parental Consent Forms (SOE3a)

Please complete and return any outstanding forms as soon as possible. If you require another form please email the office on <u>admingoodleigh@goodilf.org.uk</u>.

Parent Governor Vacancies

Please return any nomination forms to the school office.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant Executive Headteacher

Diary Dates

Tuesday 12 th October	Individual School Photographs
Tuesday 19 th October	Year Three, Multisport Festival, Pilton Community College
Friday 22 nd October	Non-pupil Day
Monday 25 th - Friday 30 th October	Half Term

Young Musicians Support Award Auditions 2021

Back in January, we launched the 2021 search to find the most talented young classical musicians in North Devon. The auditions scheduled for March had to be postponed so we tried again in June but once again had to postpone. Now we have set November 13th as the new date for the auditions. Fingers crossed that we will be THIRD TIME LUCKY.

Applications are invited from students age 8 to 18 who have been learning an instrument for a year or more. Visit the YMS website <u>www.new.dartington-yms.org</u> and go to the CANDIDATES page to read more about the awards scheme. Click on the link to access the online application form. Tell us a bit about yourself and your family circumstances.

IF YOU APPLIED BEFORE THERE IS NO NEED TO COMPLETE THE FORM AGAIN, BUT PLEASE E-MAIL YMS SECRETARY <u>karen@hopperfamily.co.uk</u> TO CONFIRM YOU WISH TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE AUDITIONS AND TO LET US KNOW OF ANY CHANGES TO YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES.

The closing date for applications is November 1st

References from teachers should be submitted by November 7th

The auditions will be held on November 13th at West Buckland School

Awards will be made to candidates who combine natural talent with commitment and enthusiasm, with priority given to those in financial need.

All qualifying candidates will be invited to join the YMS scheme which offers mentoring, advice, performance opportunities, tickets for concerts and access to a whole community of like-minded young people.

The Public Health Team have asked us to share the following information:

