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Dear Parents and Carers,

Years Two, Three, Four, Five and Six, Stephen's Shield, Torrington

Fantastic performances all round at the cross country. It was wonderful to see the great support that the children gave to one another.



Whole School, The Guide Dogs for the Blind Association

The children enjoyed meeting Zag, a guide dog in training.



Years Two, Three, Four, Five and Six, Theatre Alibi "The Parcel"

The children enjoyed meeting Kit and Tobin who travel the world inside a parcel by posting themselves to places all over the world!



Topics

Class One - Open the Toy Box

Class Two and Three - I Am Warrior!

Class Four - Hola Mexico!

Wednesday 2nd November, Years Two, Three and Four, Roman Baths, Bath

Your child will need to wear their school uniform and bring a warm waterproof coat, a packed lunch, packed tea and plenty to drink. Your child will need to be dropped off at the Village Hall at 7.15 am where your child's class teacher will be waiting. Please collect your child from the Village Hall at 5.30 pm. School packed lunches can be ordered, please return completed forms to school on Monday 31st October.

If your child requires a travel sickness tablet for the return journey please hand it to your child's class teacher.

After School Clubs

Please note that after school clubs will commence on Monday 31st October. If you would like your child/children to attend an after school club please complete the after school club permission form, copies have been sent home.

Forest School

Please make sure that your child has warm clothing including, tracksuit bottoms, jumper, two pairs of socks, hat and gloves in school. Please name these items. Forest School clothing will be sent home each week for washing.

PE

Please make sure that your child has their PE kit in school every day.

Menu

Please find the menu attached.

Gymnastics and Trampolining

Classes One and Two will have weekly trampolining sessions with Air Extreme on Monday afternoons commencing on Monday 31st October.

Classes Three and Four will have gymnastics with Falcons Gymnastics on Wednesday afternoons commencing on Wednesday 9th November.

Classes Three and Four will also have four weeks of basketball and three weeks of hockey coaching on Tuesdays commencing on 1st November.

Christmas Cakes

Please send a deep cake tin in with your child so that they can store their family Christmas cake safely. Please note chocolate tubs such as 'Celebrations' are too shallow.

School Dinner Payments

If your child has a school meal we ask that their meal is paid for in advance. A school meal is £2.05 per day. Please make cheques payable to Devon County Council, or send cash in a sealed, marked envelope. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

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 school office for a paper form.

Tempest Photography

To receive free postage to the school please place any orders by Wednesday 26th October.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant
Executive Headteacher

Diary Dates

Friday 21 st October	Non Pupil Day
Monday 24 th - Friday 28 th October	Half Term
Monday 31 st October	Back to School
Wednesday 2 nd November	Years Two, Three and Four, Roman Baths, Bath
Wednesday 2 nd and Thursday 3 rd November	Year Six, Bikeability Group 1, Pilton Community College, letter to follow
Monday 7 th November	Years Five and Six, 'Chocology' Workshop and Exploration at The Eden Project, Bodelva, Cornwall
Tuesday 8 th November	Years Two, Three and Four, Neil Layton, Children's Bookshow, Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple
Wednesday 9 th and Thursday 10 th November	Year Six, Bikeability Group 2, Pilton Community College, letter to follow
Tuesday 15 th November	Whole School, Virtual Interfaith Day: EYFS - A Jewish Story Years One and Two - A Muslim Story Years Three and Four - A Hindu Story Years Five and Six - A Humanist Story
Tuesday 15 th November	Years Two, Three, Four, Five and Six, Lush Science and Sustainability Workshops in School
Thursday 17 th November	Year Three, Into Film Festival 'Sonic 2', Barnstaple Cinema
Friday 18 th November	Children in Need Big Breakfast for the Children
Friday 18 th November	Reception, Years One and Two, Pottery with Taz Pollard, Potter
Monday 21 st November	Whole School, Nasal Flu Vaccination
Thursday 1 st December	Whole School, Christingle
Monday 5 th December	Years Two and Three, Afternoon Christmas Performance at 2pm
Wednesday 7 th December	Year Four, Evening Christmas Performance at 6pm
Friday 9 th December	Reception and Year One, Afternoon Christmas Performance at 2pm
Monday 12 th December	Years Three, Four, Five and Six, Tree Planting at Yeo Valley Community Woodland
Tuesday 13 th December	Christmas Meal for the children - non-school uniform day
Thursday 15th December	Years Five and Six, Evening Christmas Performance at 6pm (please note change of date)
Friday 16 th December	Whole School, 'The Snow Queen' performance, The Plough@St Anne's , Barnstaple Last Day of Term

Please note that Bikeability for children in Years Three, Four and Six is scheduled for early November, full details to follow.

After School Clubs Permission Slip

Please complete and return to the office if you would like your child to attend an after school club(s)

Name of child / children	When	Activity	For
	Monday 3.30-4.30	Board Games	EYFS, Years 1-6
	Tuesday 3.30-4.30	Multiskills	EYFS, Years 1-2
	Tuesday 3.30-4.30	Dance	Years 3-6
	Wednesday 3.30-4.30	Film	EYFS, Years 1-6
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Dance	EYFS, Years 1-2
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Netball	Years 2-6

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