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Dear Parents and Carers,

Harvest Assembly

Thank you for your generous donations of food for the Freedom Centre. The children in each class performed their wonderful Harvest songs to each other and we all reflected on the positive impact of helping others.



Whole School, Getting to Know Chickens with Karen Austin, Feathered Friends

Karen Austin introduced the children to her therapy chickens and answered their many questions. Afterwards they were able to handle the chickens and loved meeting Crum and Chica. Karen said that the children were impeccably behaved.



Class One, Scarecrow Trail, Arlington Court

Class One had a wonderful time visiting the Scarecrow Trail at Arlington Court. They loved seeing the scarecrow they made as well as lots of other brilliant scarecrows on their walk. The children also collected leaves to make collages with at school and looked at the fruit and vegetables growing in the walled garden.



Year Six Science

In Year Six Science this week, the pupils have been continuing to set up fair tests. This time they tried to prove whether or not the sense of smell is important when we are tasting things. They ate chunks of onion and apple, with or without holding their noses. They also compared different flavours of crisps - again testing their partners when they were holding their noses and when they weren't. By the end of the lesson, I think that most of the pupils agreed that the sense of smell is vital when tasting things, which is why things taste different when you have a blocked nose!



Erb's Palsy

Thank you to one of our families for raising our awareness on Erb's Palsy this week. We were provided with a personal photographic journey of living with the condition, which gave us a really good insight into Erb's Palsy. To find out more visit:

<https://www.erbspalsygroup.org.uk/>

Whole School, Nasal Flu Vaccination

Letters have been sent home with details of the nasal flu vaccination. If you want your child to receive the nasal flu vaccination please complete the online consent form by midday Friday 17th November 2023 <https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu> . **Please ensure you enter the full unique school reference code.** The code for your child's school is: DV113376

Your child will only be vaccinated if you submit a consent form.

Topics

Reception, Years One and Two - Fire and Light

Years Three and Four - Fairy Tales

Years Five and Six - Dynamic Dynasties

After School Clubs

Please note that after school clubs will commence on Monday 30th 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.

Please make sure that all items of uniform are clearly labelled.

Gymnastics and Trampolining

Reception, Year One and Year Two will have weekly trampolining sessions at Air Extreme on Mondays commencing on Monday 30th October.

Years Three, Four, Five and Six will have weekly gymnastics sessions with Falcons on Mondays commencing on Monday 30th October.

Dinner Menu

Please find the updated menu attached. It will be week two when we return on Monday 30th October.

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.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant

Executive Headteacher

Diary Dates

Monday 23 rd - Friday 27 th October	Half Term
Monday 30 th October	Back to School
Wednesday 1 st November	Year Six, Sports Leaders
Thursday 2 nd November	Reception, Years One, Two, Three and Four, Plants Based Workshop RHS Garden Rosemoor, Torrington Years Five and Six, Shang Dynasty Online Workshop
Tuesday 7 th November	Years Five and Six, The Plough Arts Workshop on the Shang Dynasty in school Years Three and Four, The Plough Arts Workshop on Fairy Tales in school
Wednesday 8 th November	Individual Photographs, Tempest Photography
Thursday 9 th November	Year Two and Five, Fire Service Talks
Friday 10 th November	Year Six, Croyde Deck Chair Cinema present The Railway Children Whole School Diwali
Wednesday 15 th November	Years Five and Six, The House with Chicken Legs, The Queens Theatre Reception Vision Screening
Thursday 16 th November	Year Five, Into Film, Scott Cinema - Matilda the Musical Sing Along, Barnstaple
Friday 17 th November	Children in Need - non-school uniform day
Tuesday 21 st November	Nasal Flu Vaccination
Thursday 23 rd November	Years Three and Four, Into Film, Scott Cinema - Trolls, Barnstaple
Friday 8 th December	Years Five and Six, Christmas Crafts, RHS Rosemoor, Torrington
Wednesday 13 th December	Christmas lunch for the children - non-school uniform day
Friday 15 th December	Last day of term

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	Craft	EYFS, Years 1-3
	Monday 3.30-4.30	Craft	Years 4-6
	Tuesday 3.30-4.30	Secret Garden Activities	EYFS, Years 1-6
	Tuesday 3.30-4.30	Football	Years 4-6
	Wednesday 3.30-4.30	Playground Play / Film	EYFS, Years 1-2
	Wednesday 3.30-4.30	Lego	Years 3-6
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Paper Craft	EYFS, Years 1-6
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Netball	Years 3-6

Parent/Carer signature

Week One	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Macaroni Cheese	Battered Fillet of Fish	Roast Gammon or Quorn Roast	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Battered Fillet of Fish
Option 2	Quorn Burger	Cheese Wheel	Quorn Sausages with Mashed or Roast Potatoes	Quorn Korma with Rice, Naan Bread	Quorn Dippers
Sides	Garlic Bread Broccoli and Peas or Beans	Potato Wedges or Pasta Peas or Beans	Roast and Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli and Gravy	Pasta, Peas	Chips, Pasta Peas or Beans
Jacket Potato	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna
Wholemeal Sandwich with Side Salad	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice
Pudding	Chocolate Cake and Custard Cheese and Biscuits	Jelly and Ice Cream Cheese and Biscuits	Fresh Fruit Platter Cheese and Biscuits	Iced Sponge Cheese and Biscuits	Flapjack Cheese and Biscuits
06/11/2023, 20/11/2023, 04/12/2023					

Week Two	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Battered Fillet of Fish	Macaroni Cheese	Roast Chicken and Stuffing or Quorn Roast	Crispy Chicken	Battered Fillet of Fish
Option 2	Quorn Swedish Meatballs	Quorn Hot Dogs	Quorn Sausages with Mashed or Roast Potatoes	Quorn Burger	Quorn Dippers
Sides	Pasta, Green Beans and Broccoli	Garlic Bread Roasted Vegetables or Peas	Roast and Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli and Gravy	Hash Browns, Pasta Peas or Beans	Chips, Pasta, Peas or Beans
Jacket Potato	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Cheese, Beans or Tuna
Wholemeal Sandwich with Side Salad	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice	Cheese, Tuna or Quorn Slice
Pudding	Pancakes, Toffee Sauce and Sliced Banana Cheese and Biscuits	Cookie Cheese and Biscuits	Pips Organic Ice Lolly Cheese and Biscuits	Lemon Drizzle Cake Cheese and Biscuits	Chocolate Cracknel Cheese and Biscuits
30/10/2023, 13/11/2023, 27/11/2023, 11/12/2023					

Available each day: Freshly prepared salad, coleslaw, milk, water, fresh fruit and organic yogurt

Struggling to top up your prepayment meter?

You might be able to claim fuel vouchers

If you have prepayment meters and can't afford to top them up, we can help. We may be able to give you fuel vouchers, and our specialist energy team can help you find ways to save money on your household bills

Call 01237 879233, email fuelvouchers@ruraldevoncab.org.uk or scan the QR code to request a call back



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