

# Junior School News

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2015

## **Federation Assembly**

Last Friday the children from both schools gathered in the Junior School hall to celebrate being part of the Ladysmith Federation. We unveiled our new school logo, and explained the significance of the three wavy lines – they represent the Nursery, Infant and Junior Schools, and also show how we are proud to be an Exeter school by symbolising the River Exe.

We also introduced our new Federation motto by explaining the meaning of the three words and how they will be central to the learning experience we want for the children of Ladysmith. The teachers and children will use **ambition** and **adventure** to ensure that **achievement** is as good as it can possibly be for every child.

#### **Thank You**

For the last 8 weeks Mrs Brown has taken sports teams to a variety of different competitions every week after school. Over 60 children have had the opportunity to represent the school, and Mrs Brown has given her own time to organise the events and to go along and support the teams. We all really appreciate it.

### **Thank You**

Thank you to all the Y6 staff who made the residential visit and activity week so enjoyable for the children. All the children took part in activities that have extended their learning and pushed them to do things they may not have done before, and it was really good to see how much they seemed to get out of the week. I know the staff all worked really hard to make the week a success, and we really appreciate it! You can hear more about the Beam House visit at our special Family Assembly on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April at 9.00am

I hope you all have an enjoyable Easter holiday, and look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April.

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# PTFA UPDATE



Summer Fair – Help Needed Friday 10th July, after school.

As this is such a huge event we need help from people/teams to take on the following main functions:

- 1) BBQ enlist volunteers to help, organise rota for the day, set up, source food, pack away
- **2) Bar** enlist volunteers, organise rota for the day, source and pick up drinks, set up and pack away. Paula Rovira has kindly offered to take this on.
- 3) Gazebos and electricity setting up
- 4) Packing away organise a team of volunteers
- **5) Tombola** setting up, collecting donations, enlist volunteers to help, organise rota for the day
- **6) Food & drink** (other than bar/bbq) purchasing food/drinks, enlist volunteers to help, organise rota for the day, set up
- **7) Raffle** prizes, raffle booklets, Saleboards sponsorship and signs Emma Morrison has kindly taken on this role.

All volunteers will get a free drink and burger voucher. Please email ladysmithPTFA@gmail.com if you can help with any of the above.

#### **Treasurer Role**

We are sorry to say that Jo Evans our highly organised and valued Treasurer will no longer be able to carry out this PTFA role after the end of the Summer Term. We are therefore looking for a replacement. If you would like to find out more please get in touch.



**Attention Year 6!** Remember when you made these tea towels!?



A box of them have been found at the Infants School so we're offering you the chance to buy a souvenir of your early days at Ladysmith before you leave for pastures new! If you would like to buy one or more, please complete the form below with a payment of £1.50 per tea towel and hand in to the office by 24th April. If paying

by cheque please make it out to Ladysmith Schools PTFA. Stocks are limited so first come, first served basis or depending on the response, limited to 1 each.

YEAR 6 TEA TOWEL ORDER

Name: Class:

No. of tea towels required: Paid amount:

<u>Ambition</u> ■ <u>Adventure</u> ■ Achievement



