

Junior School News

Friday 23rd June 2017

FEDERATION NEWS

Mental Health and Well Being Week

Across the Federation, we will be working on developing a healthy approach to mental health and well being. This includes the “10 a day”. Classes will be exploring ways to stay healthy and well using a range of strategies which we will introduce across the Federation on Monday and celebrate in a Federation assembly on Friday.

Summer Fair



We desperately need donations for bric-a-brac, nail varnishes, make up, hair spray, hair grips, bottles of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks and don't forget TEDDIES...as many as possible please. Donation bins will be in the playgrounds from **Monday 3rd July** in which to place your items.

We have sent out a separate letter with details of our upcoming Federation Summer Fair on Friday 7th July – 3.30pm onwards.

THRIVE Ice-Pops

We sold over 400 ice-pops in 2 days raising over £100 for Thrive resources! Unfortunately, we ran out of ice-pops by the second day – apologies for any disappointment!

Well-being Coffee Afternoon

Come and share a coffee and cake with us and meet our Early Help Health and Well-being team who have been training the federation staff to support children with their social, emotional and mental health well-being. The coffee afternoon will be held at the Infant School from 2pm on 28th June.

The Book Fair

The Book Fair is still available after school on Monday and Tuesday.

Year 6 Show

A separate letter has been sent home with details of tickets and costumes for the year 6 show: **The Amazing Adventures of Superstan.**

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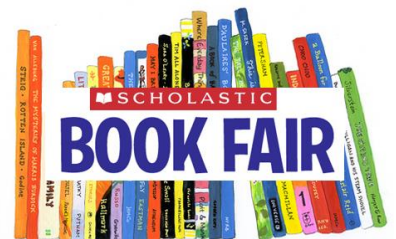
Lina and Zoi had more medals to show this week from their recent swimming gala –they showed true ambition and determination, training relentlessly to achieve their goals. Well done girls!

Adventure

Year 6 enjoyed their trip this week where they learnt essential life skills such as fire and water safety.

Achievement

Congratulations to Luca who has been accepted into the Royal Ballet School- what an amazing achievement! Well done also to Nathan for being awarded player's player and to Ned who has achieved his Chief Scout silver award



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Sports Days

The forecast is dry and cloudy for sports days next week – perfect conditions we hope! You are welcome to join your child for lunch on the field from 12pm for year 3/4 and from 12.30pm for year 5/6. Year 3/4 sports day starts at 1.15pm on Monday and year 5/6 starts at 1.30pm on Tuesday. Please remember to enter via the Samson's Lane gate.

Open Afternoons

Please join us on Tuesday 11th July for our half termly open afternoon when you can have a look at your child's work. You could also visit your child's new teacher for next year.

Year 3 Trip to Otterton

'On Friday 16th June, year 3 went to the river Otter to find out more information about our rivers topic. This trip was also really fun, because we got to do lots of activities. One of our favourites was sketching the river, filling in with water colours to show the meanders. It was great to then search for creatures, like fish and insects with Paul Martin from the Devon Wildlife Trust. We used nets and magnifying glasses to catch them and a key to work out what they were. We even caught a giant eel!! Excitingly, we learnt to skim stones as fast as lightning –some of us managed more than 5 skims! This trip was 10/10 – best trip ever!'

By Melody and Nicola



Dates for the diary:

23rd – 24th June – Big Wild Sleep Out
26th June – Well-Being week
26th June – Year 3/4 Sports Day PM
27th June – Year 5/6 Sports Day PM
27th June – 4RC trip to Dawlish Warren
28th June – 4RM trip to Dawlish Warren
30th June – 4KH trip to Dawlish Warren
30th June – 6MC family assembly – 9am in the hall
6th July – Transition day
7th July – 6NM family assembly
7th July – Summer Fair – 3.30pm – late!
11th July – Open afternoon – 3.30pm – 5.30pm
18th and 19th July – Year 6 Show – details to be sent out next week.

Football Tournament



Lots of children have asked about the annual Ladysmith World Cup football tournament.

We normally use leaders from St Peters to referee games but have not been able to do that this year. We would like to run the tournament and have got a provisional date for Thursday 20th July but would need parent volunteers to help out with refereeing etc. If you are able to help, please see Mr Broad.

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