

Friday 2nd November 2018

FEDERATION NEWS

CPTT NEWS

The annual bonfire night is the biggest event in the CPTT calendar. This year our exciting event will take place on **Friday 9th November 2018**.

GATES OPEN AT 5.30pm

This hugely successful event returns for its 5th year and promises to be as good as previous years, if not better. As well as a huge fireworks display there's Pizza's, Hot Dogs & a Hog Roast, Sweet stall, Parklife Heavitree hot drink van, bouncy castle, flood lit "Last Man Standing", stalls selling glow items, mulled wine and the bar will open until 9pm.

A truly fabulous event for all the family!

Everyone welcome - this is an open community event - we look forward to seeing you there!!

Buy your tickets online: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/ladysmithfederationcptt/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=12685#.W744kKTTWaN>

Adult tickets £5.00 Child ticket £3.00



TICKETS are also on sale from the School Office

Pine Cones

We are already planning our Christmas activities and would like any pine cones that you might find when out walking. Please hand them in to the school office. Thank you to those who have already brought some in.

Year 2 Visit to Plymouth Marine Aquarium



Year 2 are looking forward to their trip on Friday 9th November to the National Marine Aquarium in Plymouth as part of their current topic. Please remember to complete and return your permission slip with payment without delay. Children will need to arrive promptly at 8.50am so that the coaches can leave on time.

Ambition

Welcome back after a sunny half term holiday. The children have returned this week full of enthusiasm and motivation to learn more about their curriculum topics.

Adventure

This week the children have been taking their learning outside for Outside Classroom Day. Year R have been exploring pumpkins. Year 1 have been cooking pumpkin soup on the Forest School fire pit and Year 2 have been taking a nature walk as part of their Science topic to investigate living and non-living creatures.



Achievement

Congratulations to Blake Cox in 1B who received a certificate for swimming 5m.

Well Done to the Stars of the Week and Team Player Penguins who received a certificate and some toast as a treat!



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Remembrance Day Poppies

We are inviting families to make their own poppies this year using any materials that you have at home. We are going to make a whole school display in the front entrance of the school for Remembrance Sunday that falls on the 11th November this year. We are looking forward to seeing your designs. Please hand them into your class teacher or at the school office.

Poppies are available in school to raise money for the **Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal**. There is no set contribution for the normal paper poppies. We also have special pencil sharpeners, erasers, rulers, pencils and reflectors to remember the fallen and the future of the living. **All donations will be appreciated.**

Volunteers Wanted

The Seahorse Class is going to sing Carols for Age UK at their coffee morning on **Monday 10th December**. Age UK are very excited to welcome the children and the class are very excited about singing for a captive audience. We will, however, need parent helpers to accompany us on our walk to the concert and help us to get back to school safely. If you think you can help, please speak to Mrs Heuer-Evans or Miss Lee. We will be back by lunchtime. Thank you for your support.



Children in Need (Non Uniform Day)

Friday 16th November 2018

If they wish, the children and teachers are invited to wear as many spots as possible on the day for a donation.

Wear spots for the day and raise lots



Clubs:

Craft and Choir Clubs on Tuesday after school are now both **FULL**.

There are, however, still spaces on the **Flim Flam Dance Club** with Lizzie Swinford on **Mondays 3.20-4.10pm** until 10th December. Sessions are £2 each.

For more information and to book a please contact Lizzie directly elizabethswinford@yahoo.co.uk



Unfortunately the new Thursday **Gym Club** with Mr Radford has had to be cancelled due to low numbers but it will be returning again in the New Year.

Dinner Menu

There is an error on the new dinner menu – **Week Two** the vegetarian option on Thursday is **Mexican Bean Spicy Rice** and **NOT** Mexican Bean Spicy Burger. Devon Norse apologise for the misprint.

Meals for Infants are **Free of Charge** so why not give them a try.

Meals for the Nursery children are £2 each.

Early Help 4 Mental Health

Letters have gone out today to everyone, inviting you to a Coffee Morning 12th November 2018, 'From Timid to Tiger' (9.10 am) in The Studio at the Junior School and A 'Normal Magic' Session on 20th November (9am) in The Studio at the Junior School. Please remember to return the reply slips if you would like to attend.

Flu Vaccination

The nasal flu vaccine will be given on **Thursday 15th November 2018** to those children who hand in their consent form before the deadline. www.nhs.uk/vaccinations



The children's flu vaccine is offered as a yearly nasal spray to young children to help protect them against [flu](#).

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How is the nasal spray flu vaccine given?

The vaccine is given as a single spray squirted up each nostril. Not only is it needle-free – a big advantage for children – the nasal spray is quick, painless, and works even better than the injected flu vaccine.

The vaccine is absorbed very quickly. It will still work even if, after the vaccination, your child develops a runny nose, sneezes or blows their nose.

Flu can be a very unpleasant illness for children, with potentially serious complications. Please remember to return your consent form to the school office.

Dates for your diary

- 05.11.18 - School Photographer (all day and after school)
- 07.11.18 – Tapestry Information Meeting 3.20-4pm Nursery
- 09.11.18 – Year 2 trip – Plymouth Aquarium
- 12.11.18 - EH4MH 'From Timid to Tiger' Coffee Morning (9.10 Junior School)
- 15.11.18 – Flu Vaccinations
- 16.11.18 - Children in Need
- 18.11.18 – Exeter Festive Day 11am Lights switch on at 5pm
- 20.11.18 – EH4MH 'Normal Magic' Session (9am Junior School)
- 21.11.18 - Theatre Alibi (7pm Junior School)
- 30.11.18 – Opal Parent Meeting for Reception
- 07.12.18 – Year 2 Visiting Exeter Nativity Festival
- 10.12.18 - Carols for Age UK - Seahorse Class
- 10, 11, 14.12.18 –Year 1 Christmas Performances
- 12.12.18 – Nursery Christmas Performance (pm)
- 17, 18, 20.12.18 – Reception Christmas Performances
- 19.12.18 – Children's Christmas Lunch
- 20.12.18 – Year 2 Carol Concert (5.30pm)
- 21.12.18 – Children break up for Christmas (3.20pm)

THEATRE ALIBI



Table Mates

A new play by Daniel Jamieson.

Wednesday 21st November 2018

7pm Junior School Hall

Join Starter, Main and Pudding as they whip up their tales one ingredient at a time using vivid storytelling, live music and a good old boogie to bring their funny and creative household to life.

The story in **Table Mates** is told through storytelling, dance and original live music.

Suitable for 5–11 year olds. The show is an hour long with no interval.

Tickets £4 child/£5 adult

Tickets on sale from the CPTT outside Ladysmith Infant School Office after school from Monday 12th November until show date



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