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Newsletter – Thursday 8th June 2017

Dear Parents

It's been great to welcome all the children back after what I hope was a fun and relaxing half term break for all. The second half of the summer term is always a very busy one and this year is no different! Please keep your eyes out for details regarding different events and activities over the coming weeks.

As we draw closer to the end of term, we will begin to prepare our children for their transition into their new class/year group. We are aiming to have a number of different transition activities as well as the opportunity for parents and carers to meet their child's new class teacher.

Best wishes
Mr Holding

Sports Day

We are now able to confirm the date for this year's Sports Day, which will be held in the afternoon on Wednesday 5th July. It would be great to see as many of you there as possible.

Pack Lunches

Please remember that we have a **no nut** policy in school for break time snacks and packed lunches, this includes peanut butter.

Wanted

- ♣ Any unwanted empty clear video cases for use in the Library as spacers.
- ♣ Also looking for out grown pairs of wellies for our Gardening Club.

St John's Fayre

Well done to Leevi and Isla H who have been picked out the hat as this year's prince and princess. The theme this year is 'Knights' so if Class 1, 2 and 3 could dress up that would be fantastic.

Celebration Assembly

The following children received congratulations this week:

Work

Class1 – Leo for challenging himself and finishing his Explorer Card.
 Class 1 – Acacia for challenging herself to write and write and write.
 Class2 – Owen for reading regularly and always working hard!
 Class3 – Melissa for her fantastic writing this half term.
 Class4 – Jack D and Ashley for their fantastic snake nets work.

Contribution

Jasmine and Grace for being extra helpful around school and in Class 3.

20 Merit Points Tiamii	120 Merit Points Emily Daniel
40 Merit Points Leo	140 Merit Points Ewan
60 Merit Points Jack P Alby	

Summer Term Clubs:

Day	Club	Time	Adult in charge
Monday			
Tuesday	Choir Club – KS2 and year 2	3:30 – 4:30pm	Miss Ratcliffe
Wednesday			
Thursday	Homework Club – KS2 Story Club Live – KS1 Art Club – KS2	Lunchtime 3:30 – 4:30pm 3:30 – 4:30pm	Mr Holding – Miss Ratcliffe Miss Partridge Miss Suchacki
Friday	Football Club – KS2	3:30 – 4:30pm	Mr Holding

Dates For Summer Term:

8th June – Class 3 and 4 Swimming.
 9th June – Class Photos.
 9th June - New Reception parent visit to Class 1.
 12th June – Year 6 Junior Life Skills.
 10th June – Pre-School and PTFA Bingo night at the Parish Hall.
 19th June – Class 1 Multi Skills.
 21st June - Visiting Theatre Group.
 28th June - Class 3 out to Mix on the Move.
 5th July – Sports Day.
 6th July - New Reception parent visit to Class 1.
 13th July - PTFA Summer Fayre.
 17/18th July - Year 6 Transition Days at Chulmleigh Community College.
 21st July - Last Day of Summer Term.

Community Notice

Withy Fest 2017

Two days of live music and children's entertainment.
 Including music workshops for children and a Witheridge Primary School concert.

Children under 11 go free

Adults £15 for both days

Teenagers/ students / Cons £7:50 for both days

Volunteers welcome!



Term Dates 2017/18

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
First Day – Wednesday 6 th September	First Day – Wednesday 3 rd January	First Day – Monday 16 th April
Half Term – Week Beginning 23 rd October	Half Term – Week Beginning 12 th February	Bank Holiday – Monday 7 th May
Last Day – Friday 15 th December	Last Day – Wednesday 28 th March	Half Term – Week Beginning 28 th May
		Last Day – Tuesday 24 th July

School Dinner Menu week commencing 12th June 2017

Week One	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Beef Lasagne	West country Burger in a Bap	Roast Chicken & Stuffing	Sausages with Mash or Pasta	Fish Fingers
Vegetarian	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian Mexican Burger Chilli & Rice	Quorn Fillet	Homemade Cheese Wheels with Corn on the Cob & Crusty Bread	Quorn Burger
Sides	Pasta or Crusty Bread, Green Leaf Salad, Coleslaw and Peas	Peas, Wedge Potatoes & Tomato Sauce	Roast or Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Carrots & Gravy	Baked Beans &/or Peas	Chips or Pasta, Seasonal Vegetables & Tomatoe Ketchup
Dessert	Melon & Grape Medley	Fruit Muffin	Banana Split served with a fruit Coulis	Lemon Mousse Slice	Jayne's Dairy Free Chocolate Orange Iced Cake