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## Message from the Headteacher:

Tomorrow we are having a 'wear a hat' day for a donation. Alanna Hopkins (Y6) has been selected for a Judoka dream team and this is to help raise funds for Brain Cancer Research as their selected charity.

### Round 1 Dartmoor Cricket Cup

Yesterday our cricket team had a great day at Whitchurch Cricket Club they came 2nd out of 9 schools and have progressed onto the next round. Many congratulations.

### Water Bottles

Our school policy is for all water bottles to contain WATER and not juice or squash. This follows medical and dental advice. All children are encouraged to drink water at school. New re-usable bottles can be bought from the school office for £1.

### Keen Cyclists Required

Geoff Whitlow from British Cycling is keen for any boys from year 4 or 5 to try out for the Devon Youth Games. Trials will be held at Mary Tavy Recreation Ground at 9am on Saturday 16th June, further enquiries to geoffwhitlow@aol.com

### Talented and Keen Hockey

OCRA are also looking for hockey players girls and boys in years 5 or 6 for a chance to be part of Team West Devon at the Devon Youth Games. For more information contact OCRA 01837 318010.

### Bere Alston FC football trials

If your child is in Y5 and interested in joining a football team come along to a trial on Saturday 2nd June 2pm– 4pm at Bere Alston Recreational Park. More details from bauhc.youth@gmail.com

### Tavistock's Youth Theatre

This group will be performing Wind in the Willows at Tavistock Wharf on Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd June. Tickets available from the Wharf, 611166

### GDPR

As I am sure you are all aware tomorrow sees the introduction of the new Data Protection Regulations. The school has been working hard to ensure full compliance and that all data held is secure. New Privacy Notices will be published on the school website and any required consent forms issued after half-term. If you have any queries please see Mrs Gawman.

### Summer Uniform

Children are welcome to wear a summer uniform of trouser shorts or blue/white summer dresses. Shoes/sandals should be black and be suitable and safe for an active school life. However if the weather turns inclement we do expect your child to still come to school with a waterproof jacket. We have some very good second hand summer dresses available on the thrift rail for only £2.

### Porthpean Residential Payments

Reminder final payments for this residential need to be made by Friday 15th June. Payments can be made via Parentmail/cheque or cash at the office.

### Saints Southwest May Half term Soccer Schools and Multi-sports

Soccer Schools and Multi-sport camps during May half term with prices from £7.50 for a full course. 10am to 3pm in Plymouth and Okehampton. Ages 7-12 can attend 10am to 3pm, ages 4-6 1.30pm to 3pm. To book please visit: www.saintssouthwest.co.uk or call 01803 206350.

### Spring Events at Burrator 2018

Family activity drop in day 10am to 3pm Wednesday 30th May. The day will involve a themed nature trail, woodwork, environmental art and outdoor cooking around Burrator Discovery Centre. Wear outdoor clothing. £3 per child £2 per adult.

### Summer Fayre– Friday 22nd June Programme Competition

All children are invited to draw and submit a picture for the Summer Fayre. The theme is 'The Circus' and entries must be handed in by Wednesday 6th June. Also, raffle tickets will be sent home today to raise money for this event.

### Diary Dates

#### Events in May

Tomorrow 25th May—"Wear a Hat"

#### Events coming up in June

Monday 4th—school closed to pupils  
Tues 5th—Back to School  
Tues 5th—Full Governors' meeting  
Fri 8th—World Peace Day  
Tues & Wed 12th & 13th Reception visits  
Fri 15th—Triathlon  
Fri 15th—Yr2 Trip Morwellham  
Fri 15th—Reception trip to Aquarium  
Thur 21st—Chris Harding Assembly  
Fri 22nd—Summer Fayre  
Fri 22nd—Multi skills  
Mon 25th—Multi skills  
Mon 25th— 29th Y6 Porthpean Residential  
Fri 29th—Extra circular clubs end  
Fri 29th—Cllrs Sellis and McInnes visit

#### 9.10-9.45am Family Assemblies— followed by visiting the classes

Tomorrow—Year 1  
Fri 8th June—Year 4  
Fri 15th June—Year 5  
Fri 22nd June—Reception  
Fri 29th June—Year 2  
Tues 17th July—Year 6 leavers 1.45pm  
Wed 18th July—Year 6 leavers 6pm  
Mon 23rd July—End of term assembly  
Tavistock College main hall 9.30am

#### Term Dates

Half Term—28th May—1st June  
Non Pupil day— Monday 4th June  
End of Year—Tuesday 24th July



