



Monday 14th June 2021 - Good Morning Everyone

It is already reported today that the full relaxation of restrictions will not be happening on the 21st June. However, we will wait to hear the details later and then review and amend our arrangements for events. I will keep you informed as soon as I am able.

DATES FOR EVENTS

KS2 Sports' Day – Tuesday 22nd June

Reception and KS1 Sports' Day – Wednesday 23rd June

Summer Fair – Friday 25th June 5-7pm

Y6 taster days at Tavistock College – Tuesday 6th, Wednesday 7th, Thursday 8th July

Bag 2 School – Wednesday 7th July (collection from outdoor classroom)

Move On Up Day/Meet the Teacher - Wednesday 7th July

Annual reports home – Thursday 8th July

Parents' Evenings – Monday 12th July

'Party in the Park' (family fun day) in the Meadows – Sunday 18th July 1-5pm

Y6 Leavers' Shows – Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st July 6-7pm

End of Year Assembly – Thursday 22nd July, 9.30am (location tbc)

RAFFLE TICKETS for SUMMER FAIR

The raffle will be drawn on Friday 25th June (top prize £100)

RAFFLE TICKETS were sent home before the holiday and there are more books available from the school office if you can sell more.

DEFIBRILLATOR AT SCHOOL

As many of you saw at the weekend, there was an emergency casualty during a football match. For your information - at this school we have a defibrillator just inside the main entrance which is available for school and community use.

HOT WEATHER

Please ensure that your child has a hat and a water bottle that can be refilled. Sun cream can be brought to school in a labeled bottle. Nursery children will have their cream applied. Reception to Year 6 children will be supervised to apply sun cream to themselves.

GOVERNING BOARD

On Friday our Chair of Governors, Liam Cottrell, resigned from this post. We would like to thank him for five years of service as a governor and for taking the Chair for the last year. On Tuesday our governors are meeting to discuss a new appointment and a future strategic plan for our school.

TUSK CHARITY

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/miss-emily-warne>

Emily chose to complete this sponsored 5K independently. Currently, she is the youngest participant signed up and she wants to ride her bike on Dartmoor to complete it!

JOB VACANCIES

We are recruiting to the following posts:

- Teaching assistants – various hours and roles
- Meal Time Assistants
- Marketing and Communications Officer

All details and application forms are on the Devon jobs website:

<https://www.devonjobs.gov.uk/jobs?filters=%7B%22workLocation%22%3A%5B%22West%20Devon%22%5D%7D>

BOOK AMNESTY

Please can you check at home and return any excess school books to us. We are auditing our stock and know that there may be more books lurking in the houses of Tavistock! Thank you.

CURRICULUM OVERVIEWS

The planned curriculum for each year group for this half term are now on our website.

https://www.tavistock-pri.devon.sch.uk/website/curriculum_overviews/46359

PUPIL SURVEY

Just before half term all children from Y1 to Y6 completed an anonymous survey about their thoughts, feelings and ideas about our school. Please have a look at their views.

https://www.tavistock-pri.devon.sch.uk/website/pupil_survey/559488

SCAM PHONE CALL

A Devon primary school has reported an incident where a parent has received a scam phone call from an unrecognised number requesting payment for an Anti-Bullying book. If we phone you, it will be from our school number 01822 616044 and we will identify ourselves to you.

GARDEN DAYS

Thursday 17th June - Year 2 (postponed from last half term)

Friday 2nd July - Year 5

Thursday 8th July - Year 4

Friday 9th July - Reception

Thursday 15th July - Year 1

Friday 16th July - Year 3

Wednesday 21st July – Year 2

COVID SYMPTOMS

YOU MUST NOT COME TO SCHOOL if you or a member of your household has any symptoms of Covid 19. The rules for 10 day self isolation and testing continue to apply.

Best wishes, Lynnette Selbie