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Skill for Success this half term— Understanding Yourself



Message from Mrs Selbie:

This week we have been looking at the progress and attainment of all the children in the school. This regular check means that we know if additional support is needed to ensure all children are achieving as well as they can.

Cross Country

At Yelverton on Wednesday the third race of this series was held with the following results: Y5/6 Girls—1st Y5/6 Boys –4th Y5/6 School Team—2nd Silver medal winners!

Jenna achieved 3rd place individually out of the Y5 and 6 girls in the series.

Y3/4 Girls—11th Y3/4 Boys—8th

Year 3 and 4 Writing Workshops

Y3/4 School Team—8th

8 pupils were selected for 2 workshops at Marjons last week. We received another very complimentary letter from the lecturer who organised the event, "The children conducted themselves admirably ... I was impressed with both their behaviour and their passion for writing and drama."

Girls' Football Fun Day

Monday 15th April 10-3.30pm, £15 8-14 years andymeeds@hotmail.com 07784518645
Games to include chicken or hero, fox and hounds, crossy road speed radar, king of the ring and many more.

Easter Holiday Sports' Camps

Monday 8th and 15th April Football and Goalkeeping 5-9yrs Tuesday 9th and 16th April Just Play Football 8-11yrs Wednesday 10th April Cricket, Tennis, Hockey & Frisbee 5-9yrs 10am to 4pm @ Tavistock College Mark Wickett 615995/07975 832249

markwickettsoccerschool.co.uk

Meal Time Assistants

We are recruiting to this excellent team within our school. The role involves ensuring the safety and well being of all children. Please contact the school office if you are interested in joining this valued team. Safeguarding checks will be carried out on all applicants.

School Photographs

Children will have brought home their class and team photographs this week. Please make your orders online or return them to school by Friday 5th April. Year 4 photos can be collected from the school office or will come home on Monday.

World Book Day Competition

Winners of the family photo competition from across the school were:
Aston, Rose, Lawson, Ted, Sophie, Yingrui, Morgan and Tommy.
They each chose a book to enjoy and keep at home.

Swimmers

We are pleased to report that this year 95% of children can swim 25m in Y6. Our swimming takes place in Y4 in the Autumn and Summer terms but we also run booster sessions for Years 5 and 6 during this term. Well done to those children who have overcome their fears and mastered this vital skill.

Tavistock Musical Theatre Company

A 'Launch Night' will be held at Kingdon House, Tavistock on Friday 26th April at 7.30pm for the October production of 'The Sound of Music.'

Auditions for children will be held on Sunday 12th May 10am-1pm at Mary Tavy Coronation Hall. £5 audition fee per child.

More details from tmtc@hotmail.co.uk

Art Gallery—Tomorrow 2.45pm

All parents are invited to share our work in the school hall tomorrow afternoon. The theme of puppetry was our focus for art enrichment activities last week.

Come and see our creations!

Year 4 Residential

The children and staff members are having an excellent time on Dartmoor in the sunshine. It has been quiet without them and we are looking forward to hearing their news tomorrow.

Easter Eggs—Duck Race

At the end of this term, on Thursday 4th April, the HSA will hold their annual duck race in the Meadows.
Any donations of chocolate Easter eggs can be left at the school office.

Easter S:CAPE Fun Day

At Tavistock Methodist Church
Saturday 6th April, 10.00am-12.30pm
For children in years Reception to 6.
(under 5s must be with an adult)
£5.00 per child, register on the day.
Contact chris@tmc.me.uk or
deborah@tmc.me.uk

Diary Dates

Events in March

TOMORROW

9.00am Reception Family Assembly 2.45pm —Art Gallery for parents

Term Dates

Fri 5th April Last day of term
Tues 23rd April First day of term
Mon 27th to Mon 3rd June Half term
Fri 19th July Last day of term
Mon 22nd July —training for teachers
Tues 23rd July —training for teachers

Mon 2nd Sept—training for teachers Tues 3rd Sept—First day of term Mon 21st to Fri 25th Oct Half term