

Weekly

Parent Bulletin



Monday 13th June 2022

Don't forget Sports Day next week. The timings for the different years are below:

Monday 13th June

9.30am -11.45pm - Year 1 and Year 2

1.30pm – 3pm - Reception

Tuesday 14th June

9.30am - 12 noon Year 3 and Year 4

Wednesday 15th June

9.30am – 12 noon - Year 5 and Year 6



To ensure that the children are able to enjoy their lunchbreak we would ask that all parents leave the school promptly at the allotted time. Thank you for your support.

Year 6 Trip to Exeter Quay

On Monday, Year 6 travelled to Exeter Quay via train to learn about how the River Exe is used for leisure and tourism. We interviewed members of the public to find out about why they chose to travel to the River Exe and also completed some tally charts to understand the most popular activities along the Exe. We also got to take part in a climbing wall activity at Havens Bank Outdoor Education Centre which is just along the quay. The children showed their growth mindsets when challenging themselves to climb higher and especially when they got stuck coming down the wall! The children were very well behaved and really grew in confidence over the day as they interviewed a wide range of people. One member of the public commented on how polite and clear the children were when speaking so well done Year 6!



Year 6 parents please note- a letter containing residential information and kit list is due out this Friday 10th June so please check your emails for this key information.

For the River Dart trip on Monday 20th June, please arrive at school at 8:35am ready to set off at 8:45am.

Children need packed lunches, water bottles, swimming costumes and towels along with shoes you are happy to wear in the water- i.e water shoes, old trainers etc. The pirate ship lake has a stony floor so shoes are advised! If you don't have any, don't worry, but you will have to swim instead of stand! Based on the Year 5 trip, we should arrive back at school at 5:30pm.

Thanks

Year 3 Lynmouth Trip

This week year 3 and 4 had a fantastic trip to Lynmouth as part of our geography learning. The children got to follow the river Lyn seeing where tributaries meet and follow the river to the mouth of the river as it joins the sea. The children's faces lit up as they were fascinated by the power of water, from water powering the Cliff Railway to it being able to provide electricity for the whole of Lynmouth! This experience of being geographers out in the real world was fantastic and the children enjoyed their fieldwork experience. They will then bring this experience back to the classroom and compare the River Lyn to the River Nile. The children had a brilliant time and were a real credit to Sticklepath school!



Year 5 Trip to River Dart Country Park



On Tuesday, Year 5 had the absolute pleasure of visiting River Dart Country Park. Our geography enquiry is focused on learning about how rivers are used around the world, and this trip enabled us to experience how rivers are used for leisure and tourism! We all had a fantastic time playing on zip wires, giant forts, low ropes courses, huge spider webs, towers and the pirate ship lake. This trip should inspire some designs for what we think the River Taw should be used for in the future, which is our overall geography outcome. We foresee lots of activity based plans!

Olympic Legacy Relay

On Thursday, Miss Priest and Emma took 21 children to Park School to compete in the Olympic Legacy Relays. It was a fabulous day of competitive sport and 2 boys and girls from each year group were chosen to compete. The first event was the Mini Marathon where children had to run approximately 1200m as quickly as possible. In the girls event, Amelia Manning managed to come in 5th place overall and Lana Toms came in at 15th place. Next it was the boy's turn. Josh Harley came in 1st position, closely followed by Ted Hill in 2nd! A fantastic result for Sticklepath overall! Our next events were the year group relays, where 2 boys and girls from each year group each completed a lap of the 200m track in a relay position. For all of our year groups, we either came 1st or 2nd which was terrific! Overall, Sticklepath scored a whopping 39 points and came 2nd, earning silver medals. They were beaten by only 2 points by Newport! It was a fantastic day and all the children kept saying "We're doing this for Mrs Gaunt!"



Growth Mindset Winners

Congrats to our Growth Mindset Winners this week!

Nursery – Xander Jolley

BPH – Betsy Smalldon

MPA – Hallie Bealey

AWE – Freddy Hummerston

TRG –

LWA –

EFI – Aaron Goodair

HCA – Lily De’athe

LLO – Amelia Mclean

RPR – Chloe Redmore

DSM – Mia McManus

JGO – Netty Forrest

SAB – Maisie Mills

RSO – Harry Hull

DMO – Jack Widmer



This Week in Forest School

This week's theme has been Ladybirds. We have read 'The Bad Tempered Ladybird' by Eric Carle and shared 'Fly Away Home' by Shoo Rayner.

We have looked at the life cycle of a lady bird, and used magnifying glasses in our search for signs of aphids (their favourite food). We have also made flower seed bombs to encourage more insect life and worked on fine motor skills and team work.



Reminder – Appropriate clothing and shoes still need to be brought in for Forest school during the nice weather – even a coat! Thank you.

Summer 2 Drama Club Schedule:

Thursday 16 th June until 5:00	All Cast
Friday 17 th June until 5:00	All Cast
Thursday 23 rd June	NO DRAMA CLUB
Friday 24 th June	NO DRAMA CLUB
Thursday 30 th June	NO DRAMA CLUB
Friday 1 st July	NO DRAMA CLUB
Wednesday 6 th July (Be in school by 6:00pm)	PERFORMANCE 1 @ 7:00
Thursday 7 th July (Be in school by 6:00pm)	PERFORMANCE 2 @ 7:00

Timetable – Spring Term

PE

Monday: LLO, EFI, JGO, BPH

Tuesday: LLO, DSM, SAB, HCA, DMO, EFI, RPR, RSO

Wednesday: LWA, DMO, JGO, SAB

Thursday: DSM, BPH, AWE, HCA, LWA, MPA, TRG

Friday: AWE, RSO, RPR



Children will be requested to wear their PE kits to school on PE days. This can include joggers and sweatshirts in the cooler weather.



Forest School

Monday: MPA

Tuesday: LLO, TRG

Wednesday: EFI

Thursday: DSM, SAB

Friday: BPH

Please come to school in uniform and bring waterproofs and wellies in a named bag. They need to be taken home afterwards. Thank you.

Dates for the Diary

Monday 20th June – Year 6 Trip to River Dart Country Park

Wednesday 22nd June – Year 6 Residential

Friday 24th June – Year 1 & 2 Trip to Woolacombe

Friday 1st July - PTFA Summer Fair

Tuesday 12th July – Year 2 Trip to Exmoor Zoo

Friday 15th July – Year 1 Trip to Exmoor Zoo

Wednesday 20th July - Year 6 Leavers BBQ

Menu from Monday 13TH June 2022

	School Meal	Vegetarian	Pudding
Monday	Freshly baked sausage roll served with crunchy fries, carrot and cucumber sticks	Freshly baked cheese and onion lattice served with crunchy fries, carrot and cucumber sticks	Homemade wholemeal shortcake
Tuesday	American style hot dog with fried onions and tomato ketchup served with oven baked jacket wedges and baked beans	Veggie hot dog with fried onions and tomato ketchup served with oven baked jacket wedges and baked beans	Homemade lemon drizzle cake
Wednesday	Fresh roast chicken served with stuffing, crispy herby potatoes, sliced carrots and green beans	Homemade mediterranean vegetable tart served with crispy herby potatoes, sliced carrots and green beans	Vanilla ice cream and sprinkles
Thursday	Chicago Town stuffed crust Margerita Pizza served with potato twisters and sweetcorn or sweet garden peas	Chicago Town stuffed crust Margerita Pizza served with potato twisters and sweetcorn or sweet garden peas	Strawberry jelly and cream
Friday	Battered small fry alongside golden fries and seasonal vegetables	Spicy beanburger alongside golden fries and seasonal vegetables	Homemade chocolate drop cookies

Payments for dinners (£2.30) are to be made online at 'www.mychildatschool.com' or via MCAS app.

Jacket potato with beans is available most days.

Fresh salad available every day

Fruit and yoghurt available every day as an alternative to pudding.

Some of our food contains allergens (which are closely monitored). If you have any concerns please speak to a member of staff.

Clubs Timetable – Summer Term

Lunchtime cross-country club will be replaced with Athletics club on the following days Mondays Yr 1, Tuesdays Yr 2, Wednesdays Yr 5/6, Thursdays Yr 4, Fridays Yr 3. No need to pre-register, the children just need to turn up in their PE kits.

After School Clubs

Monday	Yr 5/6 Dodgeball	9 th , 16 th , 23 rd May 6 th , 13 th , 20 th , 27 th June 4 th July	4:15 Finish
	KS1 Gymnastics	See Below	
Tuesday	Yr 1 Multiskils	LLO – 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th , 24 th May	4:00 Finish
		EFI – 7 th , 21 st , 28 th June, 5 th July	
Wednesday	Yr 5/6 Cricket/Rounders	4 th , 11 th , 25 th May 8 th , 22 nd , 29 th June	4:15 Finish
	KS2 Gymnastics	See Below	
Thursday	Yr 3 Dodgeball	5 th , 12 th , 19 th , 26 th May	4:15 Finish
	Yr 4 Dodgeball	9 th , 23 rd , 30 th June, 7 th July	
Friday	Reception Start To Move	TRG – 6 th , 13 th , 20 th , 27 th May	4:00 Finish
		MPA -10 th , 24 th June, 1 st , 8 th July	

Gymnastics

Mondays	LLO	16 th May, 20 th June
	EFI	23 rd May, 27 th June
	DSM	6 th June, 4 th July
	SAB	9 th May, 13 th June, 18 th July
Wednesday	BPH & AWE	4 th May, 25 th May, 22 nd June
	LWA & HCA	11 th May, 8 th June, 29 th June
	JGO, RPR, DMO & RSO	18 th May, 15 th June, 6 th July

Birthdays

Happy Birthday from everyone at Sticklepath!



Charlotte Howells-Iliffe – 15th June

Henry Brend – 18th June

Jaxon De'Ath – 17th June

Laelani Slocombe-Bale – 18th June

Louie Knuckey – 14th June

Zoe Williams – 13th June

A Big Well Done!

Huge congratulations to Josh (JGO) who, at his football team's presentation (Eastside AFC), was awarded the trophy for player of the season!!



Harry's team recently won the end of season rugby tournament in Barnstaple. He was very proud to show the winning shield and medal, congrats Harry!



Well done to Bluebelle (MPA) for her achievement of winning a silver medal in her first gymnastics competition with placing second place on her vault! She was super happy and she wanted to show all of her school friends.



Summer, Amelia, Ella and Marcie were part of the Fremington U11 Girls team that won the North Devon Youth League Plate against Northam Lionesses. They played their hearts out to win 2-0. All their hard work this season paid off!

A Reminder from Park School

Dear Parent/Carer

If your child is transferring to The Park Community School in September 2022, you should have received an email from Park School last Wednesday, 1st June, asking you to complete an online Admission Form. The deadline for completion of these forms is **Friday 10th June**.

If you have not received this email, please contact the Park School School Office (tel: 01271 373131) and they can resend the information to you. The House allocation letters will be sent home via email early next week.