

Weekly

Parent Bulletin



Monday 16th May 2022

So proud!

We are incredibly proud of our Year 6 children during a hard week of SATs tests. They showed a true sense of grit, determination and Growth Mindset to tackle very demanding questions with so much missed school over the last few years. They ended the week full of smiles and cheer!

The SATs breakfast this week really got them ready for the hard brainwork required and many thanks to Kath and her kitchen team for supporting this. We also want to thank all the teaching assistants from across the school for keeping the children calm and happy! All the Year 6 team of teachers, support staff and Year 6 children deserve a well-earned rest this weekend to recharge their batteries!

Finally, thank you to all the parents/carers that also supported their children with practising and getting them ready. The results will be sent home to parents at the start of July. We now look forward to preparing for the final weeks of an exciting summer term in primary and the Year 6 children getting ready for their secondary step! How quick does time fly?

We wish everyone a safe and happy weekend.

Mr Blunt and Ms Warner

Growth Mindset Winners

Congrats to our Growth Mindset Winners this week:



Nursery – Clara Burrell	DSM – Emma Lincoln
MPA – Jessica Johnson	BPH – Maisey Hopkins
TRG – Lincoln Wheeldon	AWE – Jessica Williams
EFI – Charlotte Wright	HCA – Emily Smith
LLO – Cleo Eastman-Taylor	RPR – Elsie Oldfield
SAB – Rose Davies	JGO – Harry Burrows



Reception Trip to RHS Rosemoor

What an incredible day at Rosemoor! We were blessed with wonderful weather, the children were delightful and we were so proud of how they represented Sticklepath School.

Our morning started with an exploration of the gardens. We went through the water gardens on our way for a play at the brash. After a play we headed for the lake and then onto the fruit and vegetable garden.



After lunch, we had our workshop in the learning centre where we took part in an interactive workshop teaching the children more about plants and how they grow, building on the learning from our school enquiry. The children hooked back to their knowledge about how a seed grows and really impressed the staff at Rosemoor. The children loved learning new terminology and were quickly confident at using terms like 'germinating'. The children then went on a nature walk collecting items to create a collage flower. Finally, they were taught how to plant cornflowers, which we know are a great flower for our friends the bees. We have brought the pots back to class and we have our fingers crossed they will start to germinate soon!

This Week in Forest School

This week we read 'My Friend the Weather Monster' by Steve Smallman and Bruno Merz.

We investigated the weather's effect on our own emotions, we experimented to see what happens to water when we paint it on dry surfaces and we tried identifying cloud formations.

We also made weather sticks by using our knot skills to tie wool onto sticks.



Bake for Ukraine

On Thursday 26th May Year 1 and 2 are organising a cake sale to raise money for Ukraine, as part of our RE enquiry and learning about charities. We plan to invite each class to visit us during the course of the afternoon. Please send children in with money on the day if they wish to buy a cake.



Timetable – Summer 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

Friday 27th May – Royal Garden Party Lunch

Monday 6th June – Year 3 Trip to Lynmouth

Friday 10th June – Year 4 Trip to Lynmouth

Wednesday 22nd June – Year 6 Residential

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

Friday 1st July - PTFA Summer Fair

Wednesday 20th July - Year 6 Leavers BBQ

Menu from Monday 16th May 2022

	School Meal 1	Vegetarian	Pudding
Monday	Westcountry sausages served with crunchy jacket wedges and baked beans or sweetcorn	Vegetarian sausages served with crunchy jacket wedges and baked beans or sweetcorn	Homemade chocolate chip shortcake
Tuesday	Homemade mediterranean pasta served with homemade bread and crispy salad		Homemade vanilla sponge with icing and sprinkles
Wednesday	From the Grill: Bacon, sausage, sliced or cubed potatoes, baked beans served with bread and butter	Grilled halloumi, veggie sausage, sliced or cubed potatoes, baked beans served with bread and butter	American style pancakes and syrup
Thursday	Chicago town stuffed crust margherita pizza served with curly fries and sweetcorn or peas		Iced ring doughnuts
Friday	Fish fingers alongside golden fries and seasonal vegetables	Spicy beanburger alongside golden fries and seasonal vegetables	Homemade custard biscuits

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

After school sports clubs re-commence week starting 3rd May. Please note that **ALL** children that applied for a place have one. Some clubs have been split and you should have received a letter telling you what the dates will be.

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 27 th June 4 th July	4:15 Finish
	KS1 Gymnastics	See Below	
Tuesday	Yr 1 Multi Skills	LLO – 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th , 24 th May	4:00 Finish
		EFI – 7 th , 21 st , 28 th Jun, 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	TRG – 6 th , 13 th , 20 th , 27 th May	4:00 Finish
	Start to Move	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!



Elsa Mann – 16th May

Ruby Clark – 16th May

Alfie Parsley – 17th May

Marcie Wines – 17th May

Talia Derbyshire – 17th May

George Evely – 18th May

Harry Tanton – 18th May

Imogen Smale – 18th May

Presley Larson – 18th May

Bobby Watts – 20th May

Lucian Smith – 20th May

Billy Arkell – 22nd May

Freya Ellis – 22nd May

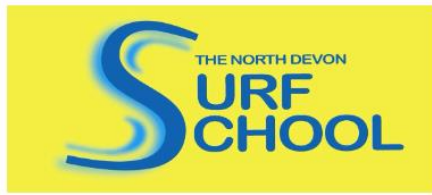
Indi Hynd – 22nd May

Teddy Sibley – 22nd May

A Big Well Done

Well Done to Rocco (LWA) who got Man of the Match at his U9's football match against Barnstaple on Sunday 8th May. He got it for getting stuck in and doing a cracking free kick.





The North Devon Surf School are running a Tuesday after school club for the summer term for children aged 8 years +, beginners and intermediate are all welcome!

This is a 6 x 2 hour lesson package priced at the discounted rate of £90pp and includes wetsuit, boots and surfboard for the duration, in small, fun groups.

Lesson times are 4pm – 6pm on the following dates:

3rd May
10th May
17th May
24th May
7th June
21st June

For more information or to book your child's place please call the office on 01237 474663 or email info@northdevonsurfschool.co.uk

The North Devon Surf School, Pebbleridge Road, Westward Ho! Devon EX39 1HN



TRY TENNIS INVITATION!



FOLLOWING OUR SCHOOLS TENNIS FESTIVAL, WE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE ALL YEAR 1, 2 & 3's TO COME AND TRY TENNIS FOR FREE IN ONE OF OUR FUN COACHED LESSONS!

WHEN? EITHER:

- **MONDAYS - 4pm**
- **TUESDAYS - 4pm**
- **SATURDAYS - 11am**

HOW DO WE SIGN UP?

Email: tarkatennis@gmail.com NOW for your child's FREE taster tennis lesson! Don't miss out!



CAROL ANNE NETBALL CLUB

COME AND JOIN US!

U9s (current Yr 2&3)

fortnightly on Tuesdays 6-7pm

U11s (current Yr 4&5)

weekly on Tuesdays 6-7pm

@ Park School, Barnstaple

We are always looking for new junior members to join our friendly, supportive and competitive club. We welcome players of all abilities and experience levels. Playing netball is a great way to make new friends and have fun playing sport!

Email: carolannejuniors@gmail.com

Website:
<https://carolannenetballclub.co.uk>

