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The Newsletter for Whimble Primary School

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Happy Easter!

Well another term has flown by and what a busy one it has been. Our Year 6 children made us all very proud with their production of Snow White - they did an absolutely fantastic job. Have a great Easter holiday - try not to eat too many chocolates!



Musical Instruments

Please ensure your child has taken home any musical instruments belonging to them so they can practise over the holidays. We do not have the space to store them. Thank you.

HappyMaps - New website for parents on children's mental health problems now launched

Funded by Health Education England, HappyMaps is designed to help parents find useful resources on behaviour and mental health for their children - from babies to young adults.

It is hoped that this will be really useful for parents whose children don't meet the specialist referral thresholds or are perhaps on the waiting list. There is good general information (national) and also local information on counselling, charities, local CAMHS and parenting groups for the South West. Take a look at the website at www.happymaps.co.uk

Information on various categories including:

- ADHD
- Anger
- Autism
- Sleep
- Coping with Divorce and Separation
- Problems with Food
- Problems with Toileting

After School Sports Clubs by Sporty Stars

Please find below details of the after school clubs that are happening next term. You can click on the links to take you straight to the booking.

Day of the Week	Activity	Time	Age Group	Book Here
Monday	Multi sports	3.45pm-4.45pm	R – Year 3	Click here
Tuesday	Invitation Only - Multi sports	3.45pm-4.45pm	Various Years	Letters to come from school
Wednesday	Speedball	3.45pm-4.45pm	Year 3-6	Click here
Wednesday	Tennis	5.15pm-6.15pm	Year 3-6	Click here
Thursday	Dodgeball	3.45pm-4.45pm	Year 3-6	Click here
Friday	Football	3.45pm- 4.45pm	All Years	Click here

School Dinners

The new menu for next term along with an order form is available on the school website, link below:

<https://whimble-primary.eschools.co.uk/website/parents/266488>



Next FOWS meeting is Tuesday 30th April in the Thirsty Farmer at 7.30pm.

Other activities:



Killerton BioBlitz in Ashclyst Forest



Bat Walk

Saturday 27 April, 8.15 - 10.15pm

Join Sarah Butcher from Devon Bat Group and borrow a bat detector to meet all the different species as they emerge in Ashclyst Forest at night.

£3.00 per adult, £1 per child. Booking essential.

Dawn Chorus

Sunday 28 April, 6 - 7.30am

Take a morning jaunt around the forest guided by National Trust Wildlife Adviser Nigel, who will teach you to recognize some key players in the dawn chorus.

Free event. Booking essential.

BioBlitz Day

Sunday 28 April, 8am - 5pm

Join the ranger team at Caddishoe Scout Camp for Killerton's BioBlitz. Help collect information and join in activities to get to know the inhabitants of Killerton's woodland.

Free event.

Unfortunately dogs are not welcome at these events.

Call 01392 881345 for details
nationaltrust.org.uk/killertonbioblitz



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Broadclyst Community Farm, Station Road EX5 3AR

Apple Blossom Picnic



Sat 27th April 2019

12-3pm

Come and see the spectacle and the scent of fruit trees in bloom. Apple blossom time signals the end of another winter, and offers the promise of a new growing season



Don't Forget

- To have a lovely Easter with your family and friends - we will see you all on Tuesday 23rd April.
- You can recycle plastic milk bottle tops and old candles/wax here at school - containers in the school entrance.
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Dates for your diary

Friday 5th April	End of term - school finishes at 1.30pm
Tuesday 23rd April	Summer term starts
Monday 13th May	KS2 SATS week
Monday 27th May	Half-term holiday
Monday 3rd June	Non-pupil day
Friday 7th June	Sports day - morning only
Thursday 4th July	Civic Award Awards Presentation Ceremony at Uffculme School (evening)
Monday 8th July	Year 6 Residential Week

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