



FEDERATION NEWS - Welcome back! We hope you have all had a lovely Easter holiday enjoying the beautiful sunny weather.

Class Photos – please ensure all orders and payments are returned to the school offices by **Friday 26 April**. Thank you.

Message from the PTA – Tickets are now on sale at both offices for the disco for the grown-ups; £8 each. Please **do not** take the required bottle with you when purchasing the tickets, but to the event itself. Thanks!

Toddler Group – Please note our toddler group sessions will commence again on Monday 29 April after the Easter Holidays.

Breakfast & After School Clubs – we would remind parents/carers that 24 hours' notice of cancellation needs to be given for each of these clubs. Any cancellations made outside of this period will incur a charge for the session. Please note, cancellations can only be made by contacting the school office.

Parking Outside St Rumon's – despite constant notices about this problem in our newsletters, people are STILL parking outside the school at drop off and pick up at end of school day and after clubs. We have decided to get the children to work on a project on this important issue and any parental support for this would be welcome.

Parking at St Peters -

ST RUMON'S NEWS

Breakfast Club – As our Breakfast Club is now becoming really busy, can you please ensure you book your child's place in advance online, as we cannot guarantee a space will be available if you turn up on the morning. **Please note that breakfast is served between 7.45 am and 8.15 am.** **We will not be able to provide breakfast after this time. Thank you.**

Collection by other adults – could we please remind you that the school office needs to be informed if any child is being collected by anyone other than their usual adult.

Class Assemblies – these will be held over the course of the next term on the following dates:-

Plym Class – Friday 3 May

Lynher Class – Fri 7 June

Tavy Class – Fri 21 June

Meavy Class – Tue 25 June

Mobile Phones – as part of our Safeguarding policy use of mobile phones on school premises is not permitted. Can we please therefore remind all adults of this and ask that you ensure you end any phone conversations before you enter the premises. Thank you.

Fact of the Week Badge – The fact of the week next week will be “what can you tell me about road safety?” Please discuss this with your children so that they can come in with some interesting facts about this. We look forward to hearing them.

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ST PETER'S NEWS

Tri Golf – Good luck to our team of golfers participating in the local schools competition tomorrow.

Y6 Residential to Mountbatten – Please note that the final balance payments (full cost was £308; or reduced amount for Pupil Premium children) are due by **Friday 24th May**. Instalment payments are welcome. Full payment will be required to enable your child to attend.

Dinner Money – This has remained at £2.50/ day. Please note that payment for this half term is £57.50 and £147.50 for the full term. Please note that payment is expected **in advance** – we cannot provide a dinner if your child's balance is in arrears.

Chewing Gum - Please be reminded that sweets (including chewing gum) are not permitted at school. Thank you.

LETTERS HOME

- New Summer Dinner menus

CHURCH NEWS

Prayer for St Rumon's and St Peter's: A group meets once or twice a term to pray for our schools, the children and staff. If you would like to join us, please contact Hannah Waine on hcwaine@yahoo.co.uk

Key Dates:-

- Wed 5 Jun – 9 am Schools' Communion for Pentecost @ St Eustachius
- Tues 23 Jul – 2 pm Y6 Leavers' Service @ St Eustachius

SUMMER TERM: 23 April 2019 – 23 July 2019

Friday 26th April – Tri Golf @ Whitchurch – Years 3 and 4

Friday 3rd May – Quad Kids Event – All years

Wednesday 8th May – Tag Rugby – Years 3 and 4

Saturday 11th May - Town Hall Disco (for the grown-ups, for a change!) £8 a person, as well as 'bring a bottle' for the prize draw on the night - the bottle can be wine, cold drink, bubbly, etc. Advance ticket sales only

Tuesday 14th May – Tennis Tournament

Monday 20th May – Rounders Tournament

Monday, 24th June – Friday, 28th June – Y6 Mountbatten Residential

COMMUNITY

Violin Lessons – Mrs Lewis offers violin lessons at St Peter's. £9 per 20min individual lesson, £6.50 per half hour in a group of up to 2-4 children. Violins can be borrowed from school. For more information or to book a lesson please email Mrs Lewis at heidiclewis@gmail.com

All Star Cricket Course – 10 weeks from 5-6pm.(Friday 10 May – Friday 28 Jun) at Tavistock Cricket Club. £40/ course. All Stars Cricket provides boys and girls from 5-8 years old with 8 weeks of non-stop fun. The activity and game based programme is suitable for all skill levels, providing your child with the foundations to begin a lifelong love of physical activity and cricket, while making friends in a safe and enjoyable environment. Further details available at : <https://allstarscricket.co.uk/tavistock> .

Women & Girls Cricket Group - Buckland Monachorum are starting a fun and social women's and girls (14+) softball cricket group towards the end of April. No experience or equipment necessary. Weekly training sessions that you can drop into as and when your time allows. There are 5 softball tournaments throughout the County over the summer months:

- Sunday 2nd June @ Seaton Cricket Club

- Sunday 16th June @ Sidmouth Cricket Club
- Sunday 23rd June @ Budleigh Salterton
- Sunday 7th July @ Cullompton Cricket Club
- Sunday 28th July @ Paignton Cricket Club, 10am - 1pm

Would anyone interested please contact Lesley Thomson on 07795381912 or by email lesleyfthomson@me.com.

Tavistock Musical Theatre Company – The Sound of Music – Tavistock Town Hall from 22-26 October 2019. Pupils interested in being involved in the production can attend the launch night on **Friday 26th April** with auditions being held (audition charge= £5/ child) on Sunday 10th May (10-1pm) at Mary Tavy Coronation Hall. For further details- contact Karen Batson at tmtc@hotmail.co.uk

Devon FS's Safeguarding poster Competition -The competition is open for any children aged 13 or under (closing date of 30th April 2019) and is your chance to show us what you think safeguarding in football looks like.

Entries need to be completed on A4 size paper and posted to the address at the bottom of the page.

The subject is 'Safeguarding in football' so some things you may consider including are:

What does safeguarding in football mean or look like to you?

What could children/young people do if they have any worries?

Who could children/young people tell about any worries they may have?

Be as creative as you like and feel free to draw, colour, paint or use computer software if you prefer.

A shortlist of 3 entries will be selected following the closing date at the end of April 2019 with a public vote then deciding the final winner, to be announced on the 8th May 2019.

The winning entry will be used on Devon FA promotional material for Safeguarding which could include.... Devon FA Website, social media, handouts, posters promoting safeguarding.

A link to the website story as well as full terms & conditions, and the poster entry form is below:

<http://www.devonfa.com/news/2019/mar/25/safeguarding-poster-competition>

For further information regarding the competition, please contact safeguarding@devonfa.com or call 01626 325919.