



FEDERATION NEWS - I hope you all had a wonderful half term enjoying the nicer weather. As you may be aware, we are currently undergoing our Ofsted Inspection at St Peter's (yesterday and today) and I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to all the children, parents and staff for their hard work and ongoing support of both our schools.

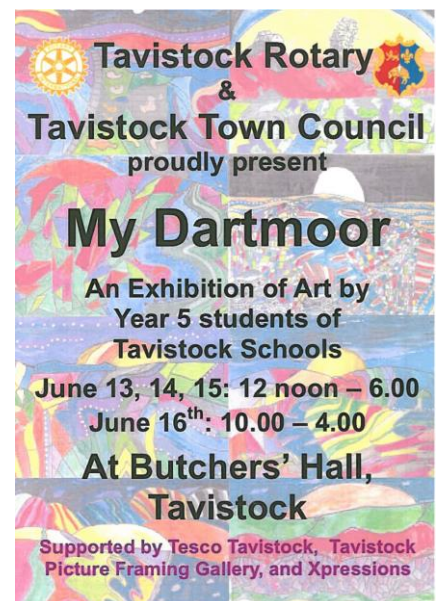
Sports Day – This will be held at St Peter's CE Junior School on Friday 22nd June – (St Peter's children will have theirs in the morning – 9.30am start; and St Rumon's children will come up in the afternoon for 12.30 start.) It will be lovely to see as many parents there as can make it. Unfortunately, the British weather is not always predictable and so, please could you ensure that children have hats, sunscreen and plenty to drink on that day. Additionally, if it is slightly damp then a waterproof coat would be useful. We will send a text if we need to cancel. The decision to cancel a sports day will be made on the quality of ground underfoot.

The PTA will be serving refreshments at the Sports Day, so please let us know or leave your names at either school office, if you are able to help out for an hour or two between 9am and 3pm

Art Exhibition – Artwork produced by our Year 5 pupils will join other primary school children's work at the exhibition in Butchers Hall (see poster right)– Please do go along and take a look and support our children who have created some fantastic pieces.

PTA Summer Fair – All welcome to the final Summer Fair planning PTA meeting, **Tuesday the 12th of June at 8pm** at the Bedford Hotel.

The Summer Fair is taking place on Friday the 22nd of June, from 15h30 - 18h00, at St Peter's, after Sports Day. Everyone is welcome! We will once again have a Chocolate Tombola at the Fair, so will be having a Mufti Day on Friday the 15th of June, where pupils may wear normal clothes to school in return for bringing in a chocolate donation for the Tombola. We also need wine bottles (both full and empty bottles) for the Water or Wine Game, so please could donations be left at either school office. If anyone has a gazebo that we could borrow for the day, please could these be brought to either office, as soon as possible after Half Term, so we have them ready for both events. Many thanks in advance!



We need to borrow gazebos to keep the sun (or rain) off the children at Sports Day and the stalls at the Summer Fair, so please let us know if you have one we could use, or leave it at either school office if you have one.

As the Summer Fair is at St Peter's, we are requesting St Peter's pupils to bring in eats for the refreshments stall - please bring in cakes, biscuits, cupcakes, scones, or other eats suitable for the Refreshments Stall to school on Friday the 22nd of June. (We will ask St Rumon's pupils to do the same for the Christmas Fair at St Rumon's in December).

School Gateway – Our online booking system has gone live for After School Club – thank you for all your patience as we ensure that the initial set up is working- Please do come and see us if you have any queries or difficulties in using the new system so that we can help you

Schoolgateway

You will eventually be able to make payments via credit and debit card, view balances and give online consent for activities . It will become the booking system for Breakfast Club and School Dinners. We hope that you will find School Gateway a valuable way to keep up to date.

PLEASE CAN ALL PARENTS DOWNLOAD THE APP/ SET UP A SCHOOL GATEWAY ACCOUNT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO ENABLE US TO INTRODUCE THE ONLINE PAYMENT / MESSAGING SYSTEMS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THANK YOU.

What you need to do now

- **Download the app:** If you have a smartphone, please download School Gateway from your app store (Android and iPhone).
- **Visit the website:** www.schoolgateway.com and click on 'New User'. You'll receive a text message with a PIN number. Use this PIN to login to School Gateway.

Can't activate your account?

If you're having trouble activating your School Gateway account, it may be because school doesn't have your current email and mobile phone number on record. Please call the school and we'll update the details on our system.

No Dogs – Please do NOT bring any dogs into the school playground or tie them up to the school gates where they can potentially frighten the children. Many thanks.

Toddler Group – Please note our toddler group is held at St Rumon's on Mondays and has a new starting time of 1.30pm and will run until 2.45pm. All families are welcome and refreshments are available. Please come along for music, singing, crafts and to meet new friends.

Nut Allergies – as we have children and staff with nut allergies, could we please remind you that nuts should not be brought into school by anyone.

CHURCH NEWS

The Vestry Group - This is a group for children that meets during the family service each Sunday at 9.45 in the school newsletter. It is run by a team of 3 and provides craft activities linking to the theme of the main service. Informal and fun. Please come along!

Child Focused Family Services - Please see dates for **additional** child focused family services at St Eustachius. These services will be a Family Worship service and held once a month for the next few months, with refreshments available from 11:15 am and the actual service beginning at 11:30 am in church. **The service will aim to last for no longer than 40 minutes.** The dates are as followed:

- June 10
- July

Messy Church @ St. Eustachius' Church Tavistock

Drop in from 3.30pm to 5.30pm in the church. Come along for –Hospitality (hot meal); Crafts, activities and games (lots of messy fun); Friendship (for all the family); Fellowship (short Bible based celebration). All the family welcome (children accompanied by an adult please). There is no charge for Messy Church, but donations are welcome. Contact Sarah on 07929911892 or sarah.pendle0@gmail.com

Messy Church @ Tavistock Methodist Church Tavistock – 4.30-6.30pm . A fun time for families with crafts, songs, story, prayer and a meal. (Dates: June 14th, July 12th)

ST PETER'S NEWS

Elite Commandos visit – Our junior classes had a wonderful day on the last Friday of term with the Elite Commandos, taking part in a range of activities, including an assault course, bush craft and team building activities.



Pew Tor Class Assembly – Held tomorrow - on Friday 8 June – All parents welcome.

Peace Posters. Alan Roath popped into school today to talk with the children about this year's peace poster completion. The theme of this year's poster is 'Kindness Matters'. As always, teachers will speak with their children about the poster before anything is sent home.

ST RUMON'S NEWS

Breakfast Club – 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.

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.

Wellie Boots – we are looking to redesign our garden area and would be grateful for donations of any old wellie boots you have at home that you no longer need. Thanks in advance.

Fact of the Week Badge – The fact of the week next week will be synonyms for the word said, ie, whispered or shouted. Please discuss this with your children so that they can come in with examples of other synonyms. We look forward to hearing their ideas as they come into school each morning.

LETTERS SENT HOME THIS WEEK

- Triathlon
- Quad Kids

Spring Term 2018 Dates:

Friday 8th June – Pew for Class assembly

11th-15th June: Y6 Residential to Beam House

Friday 15th June – Mufti day for chocolate tombola

Tuesday 19th June – Tavistock College attending St Peters to speak with Y4 & Y5 parents.

Wednesday 20th June – Quad Kids – West Devon Final

Friday 22nd June – Sports Day at St Peters CE Junior School (KS2 in the morning; KS1 will come up in the afternoon)

Thursday 28 June – Devonport High School Familiarisation Day: 9am-3pm – Y6

Monday 9th & Wednesday 11th July - Tavistock College Taster Days – Y6

Monday 16 July – KS1 Optional Parents Evening – this is not a formal parents evening but a 'drop in' evening for parents to pop in to see the class teacher if they have any concerns - @St Rumons

Tuesday 17 July – KS2 Optional Parents Evening – this is not a formal parents evening but a 'drop in' evening for parents to pop in to see the class teacher if they have any concerns @ St Peters

Tues 24 July– End of Term Leavers Service @ St Eustachius Church– 2 pm

COMMUNITY

South West Games – This multi-sport event will be held at Dawlish Leisure Centre on Saturday 7th July 2018. If you would like to be part of Team West Devon – there are trials for the different sports detailed in the table below. Please note that this is not a School run event - if you are interested – you just need to turn up to the trials or contact Stuart Lord at OCRA.

LOOKING TO JOIN A FOOTBALL TEAM?



TAVISTOCK CITY U11s
RECRUITING NOW

COME ALONG TO ONE (OR BOTH)
OF OUR OPEN TRAINING SESSIONS
12 JUNE AND 19 JUNE 2018
7PM

TAVISTOCK PRIMARY SCHOOL FIELD

Girls and boys welcome. For more information: beckyconnors1@gmail.com

CRICKET CAMPS - Brenden Worth Cricket Academy

Lots of fun, games, challenges and cricket

Wednesday 25 July - Years 4, 5 and 6

Wednesday 1 August - Years 3 and below

Both camps run from 1.00 - 5.00 p.m.

Yelverton Bohemians Cricket Club, Langton Park, Plymouth Road, Yelverton. PL20 6HY

£15 per child

Qualified and experienced coaches. To book please email

brendenworth@me.com or call 07889518433

Tavistock Musical Theatre Company Workshops - The

King & I: Saturday 9th June – Mary Tavy Coronation Hall -

Children's Workshop (7-16yrs old ; 10-12pm) and Adults

Workshop (1-3pm) For more information, please e-mail

tmtc@hotmail.co.uk

SPORT	SCHOOL YEAR	WHEN & WHERE
Cyclo X	4,5 and 6 Girls & Boys	Saturday June 16 th Mary Tavy Recreation Ground- 9.00 am Bring a Bike of any sort
Girls Football	5 & 6	Thursday 24 th May & Thursday 21 st June - OCRA Pavilion @ 18.00 Tavistock area – TBC
Gymnastics	3 & 4 Girls & Boys	Saturday 12 th & 19 th April Okehampton College Gymnasium @16.15-17.15
High 5 Netball	5 & 6 Girls & Boys	Wednesday 16 th & 23 rd May 18.30 .19.30 Okehampton College Playground- OCRA Pavilion
Tennis	3 & 4 Girls and Boys	TBC
Quicksticks Hockey	5 & 6 Boys and Girls	Tuesday June 5 th & 19 th 18.00-19.30 Okehampton All Weather Pitch Tuesday June 12 th & 26 th 18.00-19.30 Mount Kelly All Weather Pitch
Dance	3 – 6 Boys and Girls	Saturday 19 th May ,Parklands Sports Centre Studio @ 14.00 WHATEVER YOUR STYLE -Bring your own choreography 30-45seconds – music to be on an ipod or mp3



ALL WELCOME – COME ALONG or FOR MORE DETAILS
W www.ocrasport.org.uk E stuart@ocrasport.org.uk T 01837 318010

Tavistock College

Dog Show!

Saturday 23rd June 10am - 2pm
At Tavistock College

£1 per dog to enter a class

Stalls
Raffle
Agility course
Refreshments



Ice Cream

12 Classes
Including:
• Best paw shaker
• Musical sits
• Golden oldie
• Dog and owner look alike

Best In Show

Food: Blue Skies Catering and Ellis Bakery.
Ice Cream: Ben's Ice Cream

Tombola



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**SUMMER READING CHALLENGE
STARTS 14TH JULY @ TAVISTOCK LIBRARY**