



# The Northam Newsletter

The Northam Schools' Federation - St George's C of E Infant and Nursery & St Margaret's C of E Junior School



FRIDAY 29TH JUNE 2018

Wow what a lovely warm week it has been! I wanted to start by saying how well the children have coped in the extreme heat which we have been experiencing. Please remember that children need to have a water bottle in school and sun cream applied before they come in. Just a reminder that the staff are not allowed to apply sun cream to the children and children are not allowed to share sun cream with their friends.

It fills me with great sadness to announce that we have a number staff leaving at the end of this academic year; Miss Hewitt, who has been teaching in Year 6, has successfully been appointed as a class teacher at Newport in Barnstaple. I would like to thank her for the commitment and enthusiasm that she has shown during her time at St Margaret's.

Mrs Lawrence has decided that it is time to begin a new challenge in her career. I would like to thank her for her dedication to the teaching of music at St George's and for leading singing worships with such passion.

Mrs Bazley has decided to leave St George's at the end of the year. I would like to thank Mrs Bazley for her contribution to outdoor learning in reception through her work with Forest School.

Mr Bewes has decided to seek a job in teaching and will leave at the end of the year. I would like to thank him for the support he has shown the children that he has supported throughout his time at St Margaret's.

Miss Wyborn has decided to relocate and will leave within the coming weeks. I would like to thank her for her patience and empathy with the children she has supported. Have a great weekend  
Mr Lewis - Acting Headteacher

## FEDERATION SUMMER FAYRE

Don't forget that the Federation Summer Fayre will be taking place today straight after school on the school field and St. George's playground. The fayre will be opened by the Maypole dancers and there will be attractions such as bouncy castle, face painting, glitter tattoos, vortex throwing and penalty shoot out. We are hoping for visits from the Fire Brigade and Burrows Warden. There will be also be a Street Dance display during the event. Come along and enjoy hot dogs, chips, refreshments and cakes. Help at any stage would be very much appreciated.

## ST. MARGARET'S 50TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION PICNIC

Both schools will be serving the following menu on Monday 9th July to celebrate St. Margaret's School 50th birthday:  
Sausage Roll/Cheese Bap/Egg Bap/Ham Bap.  
Salad Sticks/Tortilla Chips/Fruit.  
Juice Carton/Flapjack.  
There will be a separate letter to follow with details of the celebrations planned.

## SUMMER EVENTS - NORTHAM LIBRARY

Northam Library will be running a 'Mischief Makers' Summer Reading Challenge during July and August. They also have other events running over the holidays including Lego Marble Maze, Victorian Schoolroom, Family Printing Workshop and many more. For more details look out for the library posters or contact the library on 01237 475111.

## P.E. KIT

We have noticed lately that a large number of children in both schools are not bringing in a P.E. kit. Can we ask that a P.E. kit is in school daily. The kit consists of a white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. The kit can

be kept in school during the week and taken home for washing at the weekend. Thank you.

## CERTIFICATES

Well done to the following children who all received certificates in Celebration Worship or Golden Book Worship this week:

**Class Teacher Award:** Daisy F, Boyd S, Bethany L, Emily S, Caitlin S, Zartensia W, Amelija O  
**Healthy Eating:** Alfie F  
**Seahorses:** Alfie T.  
**Puffins:** Kamran.  
**Starfish:** Jack & Rowan.  
**Sandpipers:** Zoe & Lexie.  
**Skylarks:** Maya & Rose

## The Week Ahead:

### COLLECTIVE WORSHIP THEME:

#### **SUNDAY: BUDE TRIP DEPARTS**

**MONDAY:** Mrs Davis out all day. AM - Mr Lewis with Mr Williams. PM - Reception Forest School. PM - Year 2 Library Visit.

**TUESDAY:** Mrs Davis out all day. AM - Mr Lewis in a meeting. PM - Year 2 ARC Tennis Competition. PM - Rising 5's meeting.

**WEDNESDAY:** Reception Trip to Arlington Court. AM - Nursery Forest School. PM - Zoe in a meeting. 1.45pm - Stay & Play.

**THURSDAY:** Mrs Fulford & Miss Taylor in a meeting all day. AM - Mrs Davis & Miss Lobett in meetings.

**FRIDAY:** Miss Taylor out all day. PM - Nursery Trip to Atlantis. **BUDE TRIP RETURN**

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