

Friday 10th May



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Message from Miss Hurford

A huge congratulations and well done to the children who completed the Exmoor challenge. The resilience and determination of all the children was something to be proud of. A massive thanks to Mr Snow and Mr Curnow for giving their time to make this happen.

We have two new furry friends, which are currently nameless. These are our Guinea pigs. Children throughout the school will be able to spend time with these pigs (allergies allowing) this is to help calm, nurture and support children in school.

SATS week next week for the year 6's, good luck to them all they have put in a huge amount of hard work this year, I am sure this will be reflected in their results, however, they are all achievers in their own right.

Happy Friday

Miss Hurford

Our School Values



Term dates

27th May to 31st May half term.

3rd June non pupil day.

25th July end of summer term.

Dates for the diary

Monday 13th May is the start of Key stage 2 SATS week.

Thursday 23rd May Wilcombe Wobbler.

Friday 24th May parents open afternoon.

Tuesday 4th June Tempest Photography at school.

Thursday 6th June Year 3 residential.

Head lice

We have had a reported case of head lice within the school.

Please check and treat your children's hair as necessary.

Guinea pigs

On Monday 13th May and Tuesday 14th May there will be a competition running to choose names for the Guinea pigs. 50p a go to be in with a chance of having your guess picked!

Exmoor challenge

On Saturday 4th May 2019, 12 year six pupils took on the Exmoor Challenge. This challenge involved the children walking a course of 16 miles around Exmoor - starting at Dulverton School - navigating their way themselves with a basic set of instructions, OS map and compass. The teams of four did this completely unaided - a real achievement.

All 3 teams set off in high spirits and kept a fantastic pace. Unfortunately one child had to drop out of Team 2 as she felt unwell but the rest of her team were able to carry on as a three. The team did exactly what they should have done and made a decision at a checkpoint which meant that they remained safe and did not try to push on despite one of their team feeling unwell - a big well done to her as it was a very tough (and disappointing) decision for her to make.

As the day progressed, Teams 1 and 3 continued to pace their walks brilliantly and both managed to finish with only 33 time penalty points (for every one minute late/early you receive one penalty point) and finish in 13th and 14th place out of 58 - which meant they were the 6th and 7th primary school teams! A HUGE well done.

For Team 2, they continued on with their three members and finished with 130 time penalty point - 40 of which they picked up when they were reduced to three. This meant that they continued on with great resilience - one of our learning powers.

Mr Snow would like to say a HUGE thank you to Mr Curnow (a school TA) for putting so much of his own time and effort into helping the day (and training) run so smoothly and to all of the family members who came to cheer and encourage their team on.

House points

Powlett 1884

Aisthorpe 1911

Peverell 1830

Dinham 1890

Class News

Learning Powers - Golden Leaves

Darwin: Lev for being a curious cat, Jack a resilient tortoise.

Seacole: Dexter for being a resilient tortoise.

Lewis: George.P a web weaving spider, Tristan for being a changing chameleon.

Drake: Harry for being a web weaving spider.

Stars of the week

Darwin: Ruby

Seacole: James.F

Lewis: Harrison

Drake: Aaron

Writers of the week

Seacole: Oscar. G

Lewis: Bevin

Drake: Max.P

Mathematicians of the week

Seacole: Ernie

Lewis: Lawrence

Drake: Dylan