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Newsletter 7

Wednesday 6th April 2022

PTFA cake sale and Easter Raffle

Thank you to the PTFA for a successful cake sale and raffle both making additional money for school. Our PTFA is currently a very small team and they would be delighted to hear from you if you are able to offer help with an event such as the cake sales. Please email PTFA@twomoors.devon.sch.uk

Swimming

In mid-May we usually start swimming. We will let you know when conditions are ready. Children need to have trunks or a one-piece costume and a large towel, all of which are named ideally kept in a large bag for life that is easy to keep clothes in when swimming. They will also need footwear such as flipflops / jellies to walk to and from the pool. Swimming is part of the PE curriculum and as such is a requirement. If your child is unable to swim because of medical reasons e.g. ear or skin infections, colds, please let your child's class teacher know. All jewellery will need to be removed.

Swimming volunteers

We would welcome volunteers to go in the water and support the Reception children for swimming. The Reception children will be swimming on a Wednesday and Thursday afternoon. Volunteers will need to be DBS checked, and complete the volunteer form and attend a brief training session. If you are able to support Reception with swimming please let us know and collect a form from the office so we can start the DBS checking process which takes a few weeks.

Building News

We have been very fortunate to have a great deal of work carried out on the Exmoor building by Devon County Council over the last few years: new roof and skylights, wiring, windows, doors and facias. They have now arranged for the final piece of the Exmoor roof to be replaced, the section over the conservatory. As it cannot all be completed over the two-week Easter holidays some works are being carried out the week either side. The area is completely sealed off and health and safety arrangements been made by DCC. We look forward to having it all completed and back in use.

School Activities

It has been nice that some of our regular and activities have begun to resume. Year 5 had their bike ability session this term and there is going to be a new opportunity to include year 4 in some bike ability in July. Further details will follow.

It has been lovely to see Reception having lessons on the new balance bikes.



We have the year 6 residential planned for May and letters will be coming out shortly for an activity day each for years 4 & 5.

The Wilcombe Wobbler, Exmoor Challenge and sports days are planned in for next term and dates will follow at the beginning of the term.

School Uniform

Please remember that shoes should be black / dark and avoiding florescent colours when replacing children's shoes. Black trainers can also be used as school shoes. If buying summer sandals for the summer term please ensure they will protect the children's feet sufficiently for school use.

Our non-uniform day on Friday 8th April (the last day of term) is for Balloons, a charity that supports bereaved children.



Thank you for your support, Happy Easter, look forward to seeing everyone on Monday 25th April.

Child Safeguarding

We recognise our moral and statutory responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of all pupils. We endeavour to provide a safe and welcoming environment where children are respected and valued. We are alert to the signs of abuse and neglect and follow our procedures to ensure that children receive effective support, protection and justice. The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) for Child Protection within school is Mr. Boraston.