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No 3 Newsletter

Dear Parents & Carers

Punctuality

I am very pleased to report that punctuality has improved greatly. Thank you to all parents for your support with this. This means that children are starting their very important work in phonics on time.

Inter-house Football

This was a very successful event and I was pleased that we managed to go ahead with the weather. It was great to see many parents supporting the children. Y5/6 & Y3/4 was won by Langdon! Well done to all those children who took part.

Chard Area Girls Football

On Monday 21st the girls are taking part in the Chard Area Football at Holyrood. The children selected for the team are: Chloe Pring, Amy Walton, Freya Hibbard, Daisy Russell, Darcie Potter, Tierney Freer, Amelia Smith and Catherine Webb. Permission letters have been sent home to the team and thank you to those parents who have offered to help with transport.

Hockey V Kings Hall

On Wednesday the girls hockey A & B teams have a fixture away against Kings Hall, Taunton. Permission letters have been sent out to the teams. School is providing transport to this fixture. The selected children are: Amy Walton, Lydia Russell, Amy Bristow, Amelia Smith, Stacey Fear, Eve Stanbury, Tierney Freer, Hannah Wells, Molly Bolton, Freya Hibbard, Chloe Pring, Phoebe Pittwood, Freya Rex, Lauren Wheaton, Emma Thatcher & Daisy Kallaway. The teams will need shin pads and gum shields.

Dance Club

We have decided to open up the Dance Club to the whole school, if anyone would like to join Ms Kelly Leigh's After School Dance Club on a Tuesday, please complete and return a permission slip to the office.

Sunflower Competition

Don't forget to bring in any Sunflower heads that you have grown over the summer. Judging takes place on Wednesday by Mr Frank Long. Please make sure that you label your sunflower.

Reminder: Secondary Transition Information

Holyrood Roadshow: Tuesday 22nd at Tatworth 6.45-7.45pm

The Woodroffe School: Thursday 24th September, Open Morning is 9am-1pm.

PAFOTS

Please find attached a letter from PAFOTS about their AGM on Tuesday 22nd at 6pm.

Company number: 7700773

Volunteers in School

Please could all names be handed into the office by Friday 25th September of anyone who would like to volunteer in school this year. Ms Hart will be in touch to make the necessary arrangements with volunteers and then we can start having this vital help in school.

Curriculum Evening

On Wednesday 7th October I will be holding a Curriculum Evening for Reception parents. This will be held in the Reception Classroom at 6.30pm. During this meeting we will talk about how we teach the class phonics and how you can support your child in this. I do hope that all Reception Class parents might be able to attend.

Cake Days

As last year we will be holding cake days on the last Friday of each month. If parents would like to bake cakes for the children to buy for 10p each, please do send cakes one a month, starting next Friday. Money raised from cake sales goes towards supporting school trips.

Hot School Meals

On Thursday 1st October we are holding another hot meal taster day. Parents are very welcome to come into school between 1.15 – 1.45pm to see our meal provision in action. All children in Reception, Y1 & Y2 can have the hot meal that day if they so wish. The meal will be Minion Madness! -which is a Pizza Baguette.

South Chard Church Parenting Classes

South Chard Church are offering parenting support to local parents. Please find attached a poster about 'Parentalk' Parenting Classes. The first session will be on Wednesday 7th October at 8pm in the Family Centre at South Chard Church and will then run for six weeks at the same time (with a break in half term week).

Kilve Court Enrichment Courses

We have flyers for enrichment courses held at Kilve Court, please call into the office if you would be interested in any of the following: Let's Make it Maths, Rocket Scientists, Write around the World, Good Fairies & Bad Fairies & Dragons and Saints.

Yours sincerely



Steve Clarke
Principal

*****Dates for the Diary*****

Monday 21 st <u>September</u>	2.00 Chard Area Girl's Football Holyrood PT
Tuesday 22 nd	Holyrood Roadshow @ Tatworth 6.45-7.45pm
Wednesday 23 th	3.00-4.30 Y5/6 Girls Hockey A & B teams V Kings Hall, Taunton (A) (inc tea) ST
	Sunflower Judging by Mr Frank Long
Thursday 24 th	The Woodroffe School Open Morning is 9am-1pm.
	Sports Practise
Wednesday 30 th	4-5.30 Y5/6 Girl's Hockey V Stockland
	Y3/4 Girl's Hockey V Stockland at Holyrood on Astro ST
Thursday 1 st <u>October</u>	8.00 Finance and Personnel Governors Meeting
	2.00 Y3/4 Girl's Hockey V St Johns Sidmouth
	Y3/4 Football V St Johns (both games Away) ST
Tuesday 6 th	2.00 Chard Area Football U9 at Holyrood PT
Wednesday 7 th	3.00-4.30:
	Y5/6 Girl's Hockey Vs Chard School A Team (A)
	Y5/6 Football Vs Chard School A Team (A) ST
	6.30 Curriculum Evening
Thursday 8 th	Y3/4 Sports Practise/Forest School
Wednesday 14 th	3.45 Start Stockland Cross Country Y3-6
	Sports Practise/Forest School PT
Thursday 15 th	Sports Practise/Forest School
	6.30 Full Governors Meeting
Monday 19 th	2.00 U9 Chard Area Gymnastics at Holyrood PT
Wednesday 21 st	2-3.30 Y5/6 Football V Avishayes A Team (H)
Thursday 22 nd	2-3.30 Y3/4 Football V Avishayes A Team (H)
	Sharing Assembly KS2
Friday 23 rd	Sharing Assembly KS1
Monday 26 th – Friday 30 th	Half Term

*****PAFOTS Events*****

Tuesday 22 nd	6.00 PAFOTS AGM Meeting
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*****Cake Days*****

Friday 25th September, Friday 23rd October, Friday 27th November & Friday 18th December