



WEEK COMMENCING

Monday 1st April 2019

YELLOW DINNER MENU

WEEKLY NEWS



THURSDAY 21ST MARCH 2019

Dear Parents

We are very much looking forward to the Internet Safety Play, 'Only a Game!' which will be performed by Emily and Erin and the rest of the Digital Champion group next Wednesday 3rd April. The junior class will travel to High Bickington, in the school minibus, to watch the play during the morning and will be back at school for a normal lunchtime. We hope that Erin and Emily will really enjoy the day as part of 'TEAM on Tour' when they will perform the play to all the junior children in our Trust. The team will perform at Pilton, then at High Bickington and do their last performance at Witheridge.

A thank you, in advance, to Mrs Pat Shallcross for judging the children's Easter Egg decorating competition. Mrs Shallcross will come into school tomorrow to judge the eggs and the winners from each age group will receive a prize, kindly donated by the PTFA. We are really looking forward to seeing some creative and imaginative Easter eggs tomorrow.



The Friends of Umberleigh School, staff and children would like to invite you to an **Easter picnic on Friday 5th April at 2.30pm.**

The children will be cooking in class during the week to provide some treats for the picnic and during the afternoon will share some of their work from the term. We would really like to have the picnic outside so if the weather is fine please can you bring a picnic rug, if you

TOPIC – Inventors & Inventions

MONDAY

Brumble Bees –Remember Pack Lunches!

Infant & Junior Trip to The South Devon Railway Museum, leaving at 9am.

Tiny Tots Play & Stay from 2pm

ASC – Spelldrome with Miss Smith

TUESDAY

Brumble Bees

Private music lessons, pm

ASC – Choir with Mrs Brayley

WEDNESDAY

Brumble Bees

Digital Champs on Tour – all day

Junior class to High Bick to watch

Internet Safety Play – 'Only a Game!' am

KS2 Forest School – Group 2

ASC – Children's Easter BINGO

THURSDAY

Brumble Bees

ASC – Sports with Mr King

ASC – SATS Club for Year 6

FRIDAY – LAST DAY OF

Brumble Bees

Private drum lessons, am

Easter Picnic, 2.30pm

NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS



have one. **If you would like to join us to celebrate the children's hard work and this special time of year then please complete the slip at the end of the newsletter by this Friday 29th March.**

On Monday, both classes be going to The South Devon Railway Museum. This trip will support and enhance the children's topic learning this term. During the day we will have the opportunity to explore the museum and learn more about the development of the train. We will also take a ride on the train to Totnes and take part in workshops based around the invention of the steam engine and travel. The children will need to **wear their school uniform for the day and bring a packed lunch from home, unless you have requested a school pack lunch.** We will leave for the trip at 9.00am and return for the end of the day at 3.30pm



Best wishes

Corrinne Smith

NEW After School Clubs for Summer Term – Please complete and return, permission form on the back page of the newsletter, to book your child/ren's place at the below clubs. Clubs will commence week beginning Monday 29th April

Monday **Yoga Club** with Ms Cornish. Maximum of 12

Tuesday **Glockenspiel Music Club** with Mrs Brayley

Wednesday **Bead Club** with Miss Smith/Miss Short

Thursday **Cycling Club** with Mrs Langdon **for Reception & Year 1**- the children will need to bring in their own bike and helmet which can be stored safely in the infant's outdoor classroom during the day.

Sports Club with Mr King

Friday **Gardening Club** with Mr Godfrey & Kirsty

Bridge Club with Sally

TEAM Academy Show Jumping

Well done to Rosie and Emily Jones for competing in the TEAM Academy Show jumping competition on Sunday at Coxleigh Barton. The girls were part of a team made up of six children from Pilton Bluecoat, High Bickington and UMBERLEIGH Academies. The Academy team came fourth on Sunday in the competition and will compete every month until July.



“Voice in a Million” Choir Concert

A huge well done to Erin, Ethan, Izabel, Maddie, Max & Theo who went to **Wembley Arena** in **London** last **Wednesday** to sing at the **Voice in a Million**



concert. We left at 8:15am to travel up to the Arena. We spent the afternoon rehearsing, followed by a meet and greet with the three boy bands who also performed in the concert -the children all collected their autographs! We then performed with a choir of 6,000 school children to an audience of about 5,000. The atmosphere was amazing – the children sang and danced brilliantly, waved their glow sticks and were very excited when the boy bands performed! Thank you to the parents and family members who came to watch and a big thank you to the children for all their hard work, and for their fantastic behaviour.

Mrs Brayley

As featured in the North Devon Gazette

A new tree-planting scheme will see mini orchards pop up in North Devon primary schools.

The Our School Orchard project launched on Monday 18th April and will see different varieties of apple trees planted by pupils.

School trusts already on board with Our School Orchard include Tarka Learning Partnership and **TEAM Multi-Academy Trust**.

Pupils and teachers received training in how best to plant a young apple tree and how to make it grow and produce fruit. Each school has taken three trees away, with pupils returning to school to teach fellow students what they've learned.

The project is a collaboration between Orchards Live, an organisation looking to reverse the decline of apple orchards, and Barnstaple's Atlas Packaging.

Orchards Live's Jeff Adams hoped schools would be able to allocate time each season to learning more about the trees and looking after them.



Together **Each Achieves More**



Brumble Bees Notice to Parents – Remember packed lunches on **Monday 1st April**. The rest of the school are out on a school trip for the day so no cooked lunches will be available.



Congratulations on Achieving

20 Merits

Brandon

40 Merits

Emilia, Ollie, Daniel, Lily, Poppy, Vhari & Ethan B

60 Merits

Ruby & Hattie

Well Done for receiving a certificate of achievement to:-

Juniors

Tilly - For a lovely piece of artwork

Rosie - For being really engaged in our maths lessons

Infants

Archie - For working hard on your letters and colouring in carefully

Chloe - For working incredibly hard in your maths and writing

Star of the Week (Ted Bear)

Ethan W - For listening carefully during learning activities

Brumble Bees

Jack - for forming good friendships with lots of children

Dylan - For using lovely manner



Diary Dates 2018 – 2019

APRIL

Monday 8th – Tuesday 23rd April – Easter Holidays

Wednesday 10th – FUS Easter Bingo at Umb Village Hall, Eyes Down 7.30pm

Wednesday 24th April – FIRST DAY OF SUMMER TERM

Monday 29th – Years 5&6 Tag Rugby Tournament at SMCC, 10am – 12pm

- First Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

MAY

Tuesday 2nd – Friday 3rd – Year 3 Residential Trip

Monday 6th – Bank Holiday, NO SCHOOL

Monday 13th – Thursday 16th – SATS WEEK

- Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Tuesday 14th – Infant & Brumble Bees visit to The Queens Theatre to watch 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea', pm

Thursday 16th – Year 6, Taster Day at SMCC, 10.30am – 3.25pm (parents to collect)

Monday 20th – Friday 24th – Year 6 Residential Trip

Monday 20th - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Monday 27th – Monday 3rd June – Half Term

JUNE

Tuesday 4th – BACK TO SCHOOL

Wednesday 5th – Friday 7th – Year 4 Residential Trip

Monday 10th - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Thursday 13th – Reception Multi-Skills Festival at SMCC, pm

Monday 17th – Year 6 HATS DAY at SMCC, am

- Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Thursday 20th – Sports Day 9 (change of date)

Friday 21st – Year 6 Trip to Oceanfest19, Croyde. Along with Brayford

Monday 24th - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Friday 28th – Infant Lifeguard Day at Putsbrough Beach

JULY

Monday 1st - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Wednesday 3rd – Junior Lifeguard day at Putsbrough Beach

Thursday 4th – Year 6 Intake Day at SMCC – All day

Monday 8th - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Thursday 11th – Reserve Sports Day

Monday 15th - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Monday 22nd - Swimming Lesson at South Molton Swimming Pool, pm

Wednesday 24th July – LAST DAY OF SUMMER TERM



COMMUNITY NEWS



Easter Egg Hunt and Coffee Morning With Car Boot Sale

Saturday 6th April 10.00am

@ Atherington Children's Playing Field, EX37 9HY
Stalls, Raffle, Children's games and Refreshments

Egg hunt in the Playing Field! £2 entry
To reserve an egg hunt prize please ring Sarah 560537



Sellers 9am, £5 per car
Buyers 10am
Stalls available, £10 per table

All Proceeds Atherington Church and Children's Playing Field
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BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 4-11

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BIDEFORD
MONDAY 8TH AND MONDAY 15TH APRIL
POLLYFIELD, EAST-THE WATER, EX39 4BL



BARNSTAPLE
THURSDAY 11TH AND THURSDAY 18TH APRIL
MARLAND DAY SCHOOL, BARNSTAPLE, EX31 3TD,

ALL COURSES WILL RUN 9:30AM-2:30PM
PLAYERS WILL NEED TO BRING PLENTY TO DRINK AND A PACKED LUNCH

COSTS
£13 PER DAY
£10 PER DAY FOR:
Just Play Sports, Barnstaple Youth, Fremington and Sharnwickshire players



TO BOOK
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Complete & Return Slips

Booking for Breakfast Club

I wish to book my child/ren _____ into Breakfast Club from 8am for the week commencing – Monday 1st April 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday

Enclose £3 per day per child, total £_____ Please make cheques payable to TEAM Multi Academy Trust.

Signed : _____ (**Please return by Friday 29th March 2019**)



School Meal Tickets

Name of child.....

I wish to buy _____ book(s) of tickets at £11.50 each and have enclosed the sum of £_____ in full payment. Please make your cheques payable to TEAM Multi Academy Trust.



Easter Picnic - The children of UMBERLEIGH ACADEMY would like to invite you to share with them an Easter picnic on the last day of term **Friday 5th April, 2.30pm**

Yes, I / we would like to attend this afternoon, please bookplaces.

Name:-..... Return to school office by:- Friday 29th March



Summer Term After School Clubs Commencing Monday 29th April 2019

Please return slip by Wednesday 24th April for your child/ren to attend

I give permission for my child/ren..... to attend the following (tick as required)

- Monday - Yoga Club
- Tuesday - Glockenspiel Music Club
- Wednesday – Bead Club
- Thursday – Cycling Club (Reception & Year 1 Only)
- Thursday – Sports Club
- Friday - Gardening Club
- Friday - Bridge Club

I will ensure he/she is collected at 4.30 pm from after school clubs.

Signed Name

(Parent/Guardian)

