### **WEEK COMMENCING**

Monday 26th April

**PINK DINNER MENU** 

# WEEKLY NEWS



THURSDAY 22ND APRIL 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to school! I trust that everyone had a restful and enjoyable Easter holiday. It has been lovely to have some sunny weather this week and the children have enjoyed playing outside. As the sunny weather hopefully continues you will, no doubt, be thinking about the Summer uniform. Please make sure your child has the correct uniform of white polo shirt, blue sweatshirt with school logo and flat black shoes - closed toed sandals for the summer if you choose. Boys can wear shorts and girls blue gingham dresses during the summer term.

This term we have some new topics to cover in each class. **The Juniors** will be learning about the Tudors through the topic 'Off with her head!' They will find out what sort of man would order the



beheading of his wife? Was she really that bad? They will travel back in time to the 1500s and meet the terrifying Tudors, a domineering dynasty that changed our history.

The infants will be learning about the UK's bustling capital city. This project develops children's knowledge of key locations, transport, the Royal Family, contrasting places and

events that have shaped London's past. They will also learn about the physical and human characteristics of the United Kingdom.

The Brumble Bees will be learning about different buildings, structures, properties of materials,



## MONDAY

Brumble Bees
The Honeypot, pm
Private music lessons, am
Private drumming lessons, pm
ASC – Jrn Sports
Inf Drawing

### **TUESDAY**

Brumble Bees
The Honeypot, pm
Private music lessons, pm
PE – Juniors, pm
ASC – Jrn Goal Getters
Inf Music

### **WEDNESDAY**

Brumble Bees The Honeypot, pm Forest School – Juniors Group 2 PE – Infants, pm ASC – Inf Pilates

### **THURSDAY**

Brumble Bees
The Honeypot, pm
PE – Infants, pm
ASC – Inf & Jrn Running Club

### **FRIDAY**

Brumble Bees
The Honeypot, pm
PE – Juniors, pm
Forest School – Infants Group 1



houses and homes and exploring questions such as 'How does that building stay up?' and 'How many windows does it have?'

We will also be able to start to organise trips and events for the children this term so please keep up to date with the newsletter for further details.



Welcome to Betsy who has joined our infant class and Miss Manley who is assisting our Brumble Bees in the afternoons. We hope that they will be very happy at Umberleigh Academy.

Best wishes

Corrinne Smith

## **Brumble Bees and The Honeypot**

Reminder to Brumble Bee parents that there are additional hours now available in Brumble Bees and our Honeypot during the afternoons.



Sessions available: -Mon - Fri - 12pm - 3pm

Please get in touch if you would like to book any extra hours!

## Year 6 Residential – Monday, 24th to Friday 28th, May

Letters with details of this residential were sent home at the end of last term.

If you would like your child to attend, then please complete the reply slip attached to letter and pay their deposit via ParentPay by **Friday**, **23**<sup>rd</sup> **April**.





# New Summer Term After School Clubs 3.30pm - 4.30pm



Monday Juniors - Sports on the playing field (rounders etc) M

Infants - Sketch / Drawing

Miss Short Miss Smith

**Tuesday** Juniors - Goal Getters Football (please sign up direct - £10) Ross

Infants - Music

Mrs Brayley

Wednesday Infants Pilates

**Thursday** Juniors & Infants Running

Sandie Brown

Mrs Langdon & Mrs Janisch

Please inform Sharon in the school office if you would like your child/ren to attend any clubs.



# We would like to wish a Happy **April** Birthday to:

2<sup>nd</sup> - Dylan S

17th - Alfie G & Bastion

23<sup>rd</sup> - Rosie

26th - Daniel



## **Parent Reminder - Water Bottles**

Please, please make sure your child/ren have a water bottle with them at school each day!

If you forget it, then please arrange to drop one off at the school office by morning break.

Thank You

## **Friends of Umberleigh School (FUS)**

If anyone would like to purchase a Bag for Life (£6) or Tea Towel (3.50) with the children's portraits on, that we created just before Christmas, then we still have a few available.

All the children from Brumble Bees, Infants and Junior class were included on the designs!

Please let Sharon know in the school office if you would like to purchase an item.





### Get Tested to Help Keep Devon Safe

As we move to the next stage of Covid-19 restrictions easing, every adult in Devon is now being encouraged to take a quick, lateral flow test for coronavirus at least twice a week to help stop the virus spreading.

Around 1 in 3 people with COVID-19 don't have any symptoms but can pass it on. Regular testing helps identify those who are likely to have the virus, unknowingly and is essential to help stop the virus spreading and to protect one another.

Getting a rapid test is fast and convenient providing a result within the hour. Anyone over 18 can now access these tests in Devon, including:

- being tested at one of our many mobile rapid testing sites
- collecting home test kits from any of our mobile rapid testing sites
- collecting home test kits from <u>NHS testing locations and pharmacies that are part of the</u> Pharmacy Collect Scheme
- having home test kits from the NHS delivered to your home

People with symptoms -new and continuous cough, high temperature, or change to their usual sense of taste or smell- should still immediately self-isolate and arrange a PCR test via the NHS.

#### **Test and Trace Support Payments**

If you or a child needs to self-isolate, you might be able to get a Test and Trace Support payments of £500 if either:

- You have been told to self-isolate because of coronavirus (COVID-19) and you cannot work from home
- You're the parent or guardian of a child who has been told to self-isolate and you need to take time off to look after them

You must be employed or self-employed to get the payment. Further details and eligibility can be found <u>Test and Trace support payment (northdevon.gov.uk)</u>



# Breakfast Club must be

booked in advance by 12pm every Friday.

Time 7.45am - 8.30am

£4.00 per child per session

Email: - admin aumberleigh-primary.devon.sch.uk or

Tel: 01769 540362 to book

Please pay your accounts weekly

Children in receipt of pupil premium are offered this club with a 50% discount.

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Life, Love & Learning to the Full







Summer Term
<del>First day - 20<sup>th</sup> April</del>
Half-term
31st May - 4th June
Last day - 22 <sup>nd</sup> July

# Dates for your diary.....

Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 28 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 Residential
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Whole school & Year 6 leavers photos
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Infants lifeguard day at Putsborough
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Junior lifeguard day at Putsborough

