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Champion Fundraiser in the making!



One of our year 6 pupils has recently swam 65 lengths of the pool at Polkyth Leisure centre. By doing this, in just 50 minutes, she has raised the massive total of over £500 in sponsorship to support the Force Cancer Charity in Exeter. What an achievement, many congratulations!

YEAR 6 SATs

<u>Every</u> child has approached their tests with determination and persevered throughout, showing great resilience when faced with the toughest of questions.

We are so proud of them all and look forward to enjoying our final couple of months with them.

Call: 01726 812949

FAO Year 6 Parents

Leavers' hoodies are kindly being organised by one of our year 6 parents who would like to inform you of the following

<u>LEAVERS' HOODIES</u> - Sample sizes and order book in the school office **BUT PLEASE ONLY VISIT THE OFFICE ON A MONDAY, WEDNESDAY OR FRIDAY!**

SIZES Age 9-11 (32") and Age 12-13 PRICE £13

ADULT SIZES SMALL (34") MEDIUM (36") LARGE (40") £16.00 (PRICE INCLUDES YOUR CHILD'S NAME)

Cash payment preferred with order – orders to be placed by Friday 27th May

Year 6 – Residential camp 2022

at Great Wood centre 13th to 17th June

-The Great Wood Centre (sseoutdoors.co.uk)

Please note, a camp meeting will be held soon

If you child is booked to attend this residential camp we encourage parents to make regular payments (via ParentPay) over the next few weeks as we require full payment to be made before the camp commences.

Thank you

ORDERING NEW UNIFORM IN READINESS FOR SEPTEMBER

PLEASE NOTE THAT FOLLOWING CONSULTATIONS WITH PMG SCHOOLWEAR, WE WILL CONTINUE TO USE THEM AS OUR SUPPLIER OF UNIFORM FOR THE TIMEBEING BUT WE WILL CHANGE TO A LOCAL COMPANY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE NEXT YEAR

LOST/MISSING UNIFORM

WE FULLY UNDERSTAND THAT UNIFORM IS EXPENSIVE AND WORK HARD TO GET LOST ITEMS BACK TO CHILDREN. YOUR SUPPORT CLEARLY NAMING/LABELING UNIFORM ALONG WITH CHECKING AND RETURNING ITEMS THAT MAY HAVE COME HOME WITH YOUR CHILD BY MISTAKE IS ALWAYS APPRECIATED. THANK YOU.



BISCOVEY ACADEMY UNIFORM

THANK YOU! THE IMPROVEMENT IN CHILDREN ATTENDING SCHOOL WEARING APPROPRIATE UNIFORM IS VERY NOTICIBLE! UNIFORM NURTURES A SENSE OF BELONGING TO OUR BISCOVEY COMMUNITY! THANK YOU AGAIN.

Our uniform consists of navy blue jumpers with school logo, white school shirts to wear with clip on school tie, black/grey skirts or trousers.

Black school shoes are also to be worn.

PE kit is as follows; sky blue PE t-shirts with school logo and black PE shorts. For added warmth a navy hooded top with school logo along with PLAIN black or navy jogging bottoms may be worn. Plain black/white trainers.

PLEASE NOTE .. P.E. KIT NOW NEEDS TO REMAIN IN SCHOOL EACH WEEK TO ALLOW CHILDREN TO CHANGE INTO IT FOR INDIVIDUAL LESSONS

Our stockist of school uniform is the online shop of PMG schoolwear – please use this link https://pmgschoolwear.co.uk/index.php

We do have some stock of NEW size 28"/30"/36"/38" jumpers available so please check with the office. Additionally, we have some 'pre-loved' items available for a small donation.



CONGRATULATIONS EVERYONE

MARVELLOUS MATHS AWARD

Year 3 – Jack and Isla Year 4 – Kai (Cedar) Year 5 – , May Lee and Tommy



REMARKABLE READER AWARD

Year 3 – Siennah and Charlie Year 4 – Kaitlyn (Cedar) Year 5 – Lyra and Harrison



WONDERFUL WRITER AWARD

Year 3 – Flinn and Robert Year 4 – Isabella (Cedar) Year 5 – Charlie A and Jake



STAR OF THE WEEK AWARD

Year 3 – Finley and Lola Year 4 –Noah (Cedar) Year 5 – Chloe and Maddison



SUPER SCIENTIST AWARD

Sofia and Hayden(Yr 3), Harriet (Yr 4) Alex and Lillie-Rose(Yr 5)



YEAR 6

We have been so impressed with all of year six this week that it is impossible to pick out anyone for an individual award. Well done to you all for your calm approach to this week's SATs.

(we hope you all enjoyed sharing breakfast together-the staff did!)



Attendance/Punctuality

We remind parents and children that our pedestrian gates currently open at 8:40 with registration at 8:50 meaning that by this time ALL children should be in the classroom, calm and ready to learn.

THE SCHOOL BELL WILL SOUND DAILY AT 8:50 TO INDICATE THE START OF THE SCHOOL DAY. ADDITIONALLY, THE VEHICULAR GATES AT THE FRONT OF THE SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED AT 8.50.

If your child is unable to attend school for any reason, please contact the school office via email or telephone, stating the reason for absence, by 9am. Thank you.



Treetops is open for children of both Biscovey Schools.

Please email to make a booking or for details of prices etc.



IMPORTANT – WE ARE PLANNING TO CHANGE THE WAY SCHOOL LUNCHES ARE ORDERED AND PARENTPAY ACCOUNTS WILL BE REQUIRED

We are very excited to now be able to plan and offer activities for the children this year, some of which, require parent contributions to help us cover the costs. We therefore require parents to sign up to ParentPay, a secure online method of making payments for your child's trips, swimming, clubs and lunches etc. The majority of parents have activated their accounts but if you are aware that you are yet to do this and require the details to be reissued to you, please contact the school office. Thank you.



Parents and Carers Virtual Coffee Morning Sessions

The HeadStart Community Facilitators are hosting Free Virtual Coffee Morning sessions on Zoom for parents and carers to find out more about a wide range of services and organisations.

Friday 25th March 10am - 12 with guest professionals from CLEAR

Friday 29th April 10am - 12
with guest professionals from Hunrosa and the Autism
Spectrum Assessment Team (ASDAT)

Friday 27th May 10am - 12
with guest professionals from the Primary Mental Health Team
and the HeadStart Kernow Online Resilience Tool

Friday 24th June 10am - 12 with guests from Dreadnought and Coastline Housing

For more information and how to join, please email: Rachel.Coverson@ypc.org.uk









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| Dates for your diary | |
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| | SUMMER TERM |
| 19 TH MAY | YEAR 3 TO WHEAL MARTYN MUSEUM |
| 19 TH MAY | ASPENS CHANGE TO SCHOOL MENU "BUILD A BURGER" |
| 23RD MAY | YEAR 5 VISIT TO PLYMOUTH AQUARIUM |
| 26 TH MAY | YEAR 5 VISIT TO THE CINEMA |
| 30 TH MAY TO 3 RD JUNE | HALF TERM |
| 7 TH JUNE | SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHER IN FOR CLASS PHOTOS |
| 13 TH TO 17 TH JUNE | YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL CAMP TO GREAT WOOD CENTRE |





SPACE

Supporting parents and children emotionally

SPACE is a new **free** programme for **any parent or carer** who wants to better understand and support their children's emotions, as well as their own.

This 6 session, face-to-face programme will cover:

- Understanding what is meant by a Trauma Informed approach
- Understanding toxic stress and the flight/fight response
- Practical approaches to support children to regulate their emotions
- Healthy coping strategies for dealing with stress
- Managing different emotions
- Understanding behaviour
- Building resilience in ourselves and our children
- Adopting appropriate expectations of children
- Enhancing your ability to provide nurturing care

Mrs Wilson and Mrs Davis will be running the programme. To secure a place please complete the short form in the link below https://forms.office.com/r/EjqZih41yY Where: Biscovey Nursery and Infants' Academy When: Every Wednesday 9-11am

Dates: Starts 27th April for meet and greet session (this first introduction session will be 9-9.45am)



To register your interest or find out more, please email Mrs Davis/Mrs Wilson space@biscovey.org.uk









