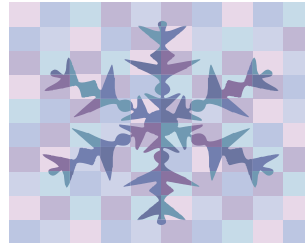




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### **Scholastic Book Fair**



The book fair will start on 5<sup>th</sup> December and run through to 12th December 2016. Great for Christmas. Book prices starting from £2.99. More details to follow.

### **New Digital Register**

We are moving to a new digital register which will speed up our registration times. It is vital that children are in school on time. The school gate will close at 8.55am after which point your child will need to come in via the office and will require signing in by the parent/carer stating the reason for lateness. If a pattern of lateness emerges, we have a duty of care to investigate and if appropriate report it to the School Attendance Officer at Dorset County Council. Please help us and work with us to get your child to school on time.

### **Evaluation Forms**

Thank you to all of you who took the time to fill and return these forms so quickly, and a big thank you to those who made suggestions for areas of development and commented on success. We are in the process of analysing them and appreciate all the positive comments. If you have any concerns that you do not feel have been resolved, please come in and let us know.

### **After School Clubs**

Wednesday: Basketball with Go Active - Full

Thursday: French and Spanish with Madame Sturtridge and Drama for Year 6 only with Sue Wiscombe

### **Swimming Classes**

Swimming classes have started for Belemnites class. Please remember to bring swimming costumes and towels on the day.

### **Parent Meetings**

Thank you to those parents who have supported their children by attending parents evenings. If you couldn't attend for any reason, please ask to see your child's class teacher at school pick up or drop off.

### **Schools Admission Policy**

Our School Admission Policy for 2018-19 is now available for Consultation. If you would like to see a copy please let the office know.

### Local Food Links – School Meals

As you are aware Local Food Links are now only accepting orders on-line. Parents/Carers have responsibility to order their child's preferred meals.

You will need to obtain your child's unique authorisation code from the school office, first, if you have not already done so. Then just log on at [www.myschoolmeals.co.uk](http://www.myschoolmeals.co.uk). **Please note that it takes 7 working days for the order to go through, so your child will need a packed lunch in the meantime or if there is doubt as to whether the order has gone through. If you need any help please ring Foodlinks on Tel: 01308-428912 who will be happy to help you. Please note even if your child is entitled to Free School Meals or Infant Universal Free School Meals, you still need to go on-line and order their meals otherwise your child will not have a meal ordered.**

### Christmas Lunches Reminder

As the whole school will be going to see the Christmas Production of Peter Pan on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December, we will be having our School Christmas lunch on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December**. The on-line menus at Foodlinks have been updated so you can view the menu and order on-line as normal. Paper copies of the menus are available from the office but are not being distributed to avoid any confusion.

### School Trips/Visits

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Whole School** Peter Pan Christmas Production to at the Northcott Theatre, Exeter. The deadline to receive consent forms and payment for this trip is Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November.

**Please could you ensure that any payments to the school office are delivered in a sealed envelope with your child's name, class and description of payment. Thank you.**

### Notices

We have a vacancy for a Parent Governor. This is a vital voluntary role. Please contact the school office if you are interested in applying.

A huge thank you to all the Pyrites class children who will be performing at the Poole Lighthouse with B Sharp's Singing Project. We hope it will be a fantastic performance and the children make us very proud. Big thanks to Mr Rich who was heavily involved in all the planning and preparation of this huge event.

**Please note that if your child has been sick or has had diarrhoea (regardless whether it is a bug or not), your child must be kept at home for 48 hours from the last episode. We are heading towards Winter, when bugs can be particularly prevalent, so would appreciate your support with this.**

Please note we do not allow dogs on school grounds.

The Lyme Regis Hub Youth Club is now open every Wednesday for children from 8-13 years. Please contact The Hub Youth Club directly if you are interested. [www.hublyme.co.uk](http://www.hublyme.co.uk)

**Important Dates for your Diary**

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November: Children In Need Day. Dress in Spots and bring a £1 donation

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November: Woodmead Church Bazaar 10am-12 noon

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November: PFA Christmas Crackle 2-4pm

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November: Christingle Service at Church at 9.30-10.30am. Parents welcome.

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November: Year 6 Height and Weight checks. Please return the opt-out slips if you do not want your child to participate.

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November: Wear Something Festive Day For Chocolate. More info to follow from PFA.

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November: School Disco 6-7.30pm

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December: Scholastic Book Fair

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Carol Concert and Nativity at 6pm.

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 10am and Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December at 2pm: Carole Service for parents at School at 10am

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Fayre at School from 3.30pm

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December: School Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December: School Trip to see Christmas Production Peter Pan in Exeter.

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December: Last day of term

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2017: First day of term

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February: Half Term

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February: Staff Training day SCHOOL CLOSED.

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2017: School opens

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March: Term Ends

**NEWSLETTER**

We are hoping to switch to an electronic newsletter in the near future, in order to do our bit for the environment and save paper. If you are happy to receive Newsletters/Letters electronically please fill in the form below including an up to date email address. Please also note that a copy of the Newsletter can be viewed on the school website. Thank you to parents that have already completed and return their slip.

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**I/We would like to receive Newsletters/Letters via email please**

**Name of child:**.....**Class:**.....

**Name of Parent/Carer:**.....

**Parent/Carer Signature:**.....**Date:**.....

**Updated Email address:**.....