



Weekly Parent Bulletin

Week commencing Monday 9th March 2020

Gymnastics

Congratulations to all our gymnasts who competed last Saturday. There were a lot of nerves out there performing in front of such a large audience. We were so proud of you all, you all put in an amazing amount of effort. Well done to the U9 boys who won silver and bronze and the U7 boys who also won silver. A special mention, to Georgia who took the individual title in the U7 girls. Thank you Tara and Neve for the sterling work that you do with our gymnasts and thank you to all the parents for their support. It was a very long day!



The Sun Book Tokens

We want to thank everyone who bought in tokens from The Sun newspaper. Although we didn't raise the needed amount, The Sun has very kindly sent us some books anyway.

Damage to Car

A navy blue mini was hit on Tuesday 3rd March which was parked outside the school. The corner wing and bumper was damaged with deep scratches and the owner is appealing for witnesses, or perhaps the person who did it could message as there was no note or anything left but it is very noticeable. If you have any information please phone 07748296587, or call into the Children's Centre. Thank you.

Bromcom

The office has been experiencing some technical issues with the new IT system. We would like to thank you for your patience whilst we work on solutions.

Forest School Timetable 2020



Monday - LLO am EFI pm
Tuesday - BPH am JMU pm
Wednesday - HAE am DSM pm
Thursday - RPR am
Friday - ABA am Nursery pm



Please remember that wellies or old shoes and spare socks are needed every week.

Does anyone have any wellies that have been outgrown? We are looking for donations please.

Sport Relief

Next Friday there will be 'DRESS AS A SPORTS STAR' or come in sports kit. We are asking for a **small donation** that will be split between Sport Relief and two London Marathon runners.



Mrs Paull's son Will, will be running in aid of 'Children with Cancer UK'

Marilyn (Crossing Patrol) son Adam will be running in aid of 'Whizz Kids'



Weekly Diary from Monday 9th March, 2020

	School Day events	Lunchtime Clubs	After School Clubs	Evenings & Weekends
Mon	Year 6 Mock SATS Week Additional Piano Lessons 1:40-2:40pm HAE to Hakeford Wood	Yr 3/4 Cross Country	Gym Club Yr 2 3:30-4:15pm Italian Club (2) 3:30-4:15pm	
Tues	Guitar Group 2-3pm Bikeability Group 2 (Day 2)	KS2 Choir Advanced Recorder Club Intermediate Recorder Club Yr 3/4 Activities Club	KS2 Girls Football with PETROC 3:30-4:15pm	
Weds	DSM to Hakeford Wood Yr 1 Book and a biscuit	Yr 5/6 Cross Country	Gym Club- Yr 5/6 Yr 5/6 Golf 3:30-4:15 pm	
Thurs	Year 3 Swimming (8)	Yr 1/2 Cross Country	Drama club 3:30-4:30 Yea 3 Multi Skills with PETROC 3:30-4:15 pm	
Fri	Sports Relief Piano Lessons 1:40-2:40pm Arts Council Meeting 1:30-2:30pm	Yr 5/6 Activity Club	Drama Club 3:30-4:30 Yr 4/5 Football with Andy Hill 3:30-4.15 pm	Bingo
Sat				Slimming World
Sun				Coastal Community Church (am)

Menu from Monday 9th March, 2020

	Main	Vegetarian	Pudding
Mon	Freshly baked cheese & bacon turnover served with hash brown and baked beans	Cheese and onion lattice served with hash brown and baked beans	Homemade golden flapjack
Tues	Homemade cowboy pie with potato waffles, sweetcorn or peas	Homemade vegetable pie served with potato waffles, sweetcorn or peas	Homemade wholemeal shortcake
Weds	Roast pork or turkey with crispy roast potatoes, carrots or sprouts and gravy	Homity pie with crispy roast potatoes, carrots or sprouts with gravy	Strawberry iced fruit smoothie
Thurs	Homemade chicken korma served with fluffy Tilda rice and a choice of sides	Homemade sweet potato spinach and chick pea madras served with fluffy Tilda rice and a choice of sides	Homemade sponge topped with chocolate sprinkles
Fri	Oven baked fish fingers alongside golden fries and seasonal vegetables	Spicy beanburger alongside golden fries and seasonal vegetables	Homemade custard biscuits

Payments for dinners can be made online at schoolgateway.com or cash in advance/on the day

Jacket potato with beans & cheese is available most days.

Please place your order each morning

Some of our food contains allergens (which are closely monitored). If you have any concerns please speak to a member of staff.

Important Dates

Monday 9th March Year 6 Mock Sats Week

Friday 14th March- Sport Relief – **NON UNIFORM** (donations for Sport Relief and London Marathon)

Monday 16th March week - Life education van

Tuesday 17th March- Year 6 Parents Evening (late)

Wednesday 18th March- Year 6 Parents Evening (early)

Thursday 19th – Yr 2 Trip to the Honey Farm

Monday 23rd March- Non-Pupil Day

Wednesday 23rd March – Yr 3 Trip to Rosemoor

Thursday 26th March-Reception- Year 5 reports out to parents, Easter Disco

Friday 27th March-Last Day of Term

Easter Holidays (Monday 30th March- Monday 13th April)

Tuesday 14th April- Term Starts

Tuesday 21st April – TSU Lundy Trip 8 am to 7 pm

Wednesday 22nd April – Yr 2 Tennis Festival at Tarka Tennis

Thursday 23rd April – Yr 4 swimming starts

Thursday 23rd April – RGA Lundy Trip 8 am to 7 pm

Wednesday 29th April – Meet the teacher 3.30 – 6.00 pm

Thursday 30th April – Meet the teacher 5.30 – 8 pm

Friday 1st May – Tempest Class Photos

Tuesday 5th May – HAE Lundy Trip 8 am – 7 pm

Friday 8th May – Early May Bank Holiday

Monday 11th May – Yr 6 SATS week

Thursday 21st May – Yr 1 Multi Skills Festival 9.30 am – 1 pm

Monday 25th – 29th May (inclusive) – Half Term

Letters Home:- Hakeford Wood TSU, Year 3 Rosemoor Trip

Happy Birthday

Amelia Wyszomirska, George Holmes, Claudia Large, Jacob Sines, Olivia Bedford,
Alaya Moule, Charles Mansell, Blake Barrell, Matilda Rhodes, Travis Woollacott,
Brooke Hawkings, Theo Harvey, Miss Phillips, Miss Stallworthy



Star Class - Attendance

BPH

99%



Gymnastics and Gym Club

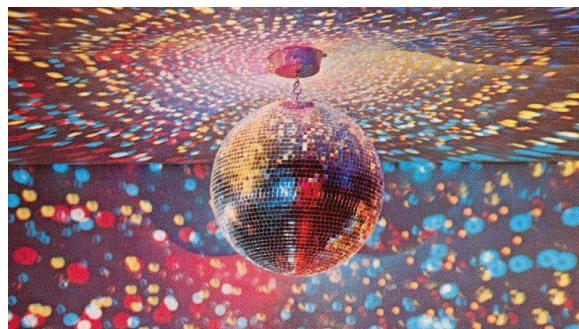
March 2020	April 2020
<p>Mon 9th – JMU & HPE</p> <p>Wed 11th – HAE, DSM, RGA & ABA</p> <p>Mon 16th – LLO & EFI</p> <p>Wed 18th – MTO, BPH, DMO, RPR & TSU</p> <p>Wed 25th – HAE, DSM RGA & ABA</p>	<p>Mon 20th – JMU & HPE</p> <p>Wed 22nd – HAE, DSM, RGA & ABA</p> <p>Mon 27th – LLO & EFI</p> <p>Wed 29th – MTO, BPH, DMO, RPR & TSU</p> <p>3.30 to 4.15 pm</p>

PTFA

Dates:

Thursday 26th March: Easter Disco

Friday 27th March: Chocolate Easter Hampers



World Book Day Token

Please find attached your £1 book token.

Redeem your token when ordering from the Scholastic Book Club or visit a book store to swap it for a free World Book Day book valued at £1. To celebrate World Book Day 2020, the Scholastic catalogue is filled with a range of new and exciting books to help you make the most of your **£1 token**. And by ordering from Scholastic remember 25p in every £1 spent comes back to the school for **FREE** library books. Order online at <http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/sticklepath-primary> by **Monday 9th March** or return your order to school by the same date making cheques payable to **Scholastic Ltd**.

Coronavirus(COVID19) Parent update

Dear Parent,

As you will be aware Coronavirus (COVID19) has continued to spread across the world, including here in the UK. The Tarka Learning Partnership and the Head Teachers of each school have been working closely together to ensure a sensible, proportionate response to the advice given to schools by the Government and Public Health England.

As a group of Head Teachers, we **do not** wish to make students/pupils anxious and that they continue to enjoy learning and being with their friends. Nevertheless, as teachers we take seriously our responsibility to care for students/pupils. At this stage we are putting an emphasis on pupil personal hygiene; washing hands regularly and properly, disposing of tissues and seeking advice from teachers/support staff and parents/carers should they feel unwell. Your support in these matters will be welcome.

I can confirm there has been no outbreak at any of the Trust's schools.

The Trust with the schools have created a detailed risk assessment/action plan to support and manage each school. We have collectively considered the advice from government and health with plans covering:-

- Pupil/staff well being
- Educating pupils on personal hygiene
- Measures to improve each school's provision for personal hygiene
- Plans to support pupils with individual health conditions
- Changes to cleaning regimes and increased protection for our staff
- Hygiene expectations for visitors and contractors onsite.
- Plans for the closure of the school if required by Public Health England and the resulting cleaning required by public health
- Plans to support education if the school closes, especially in the Park Community School

We are aware that the Easter holidays are only 3 weeks away and some families may be travelling overseas. To ensure that the school is aware of your family's travel outside the UK and in particular to category 1 and 2 countries or areas within a country, please could you fill in the form below. Please return by Friday 20th March 2020. This will ensure that if 'category 1 and 2' countries increase over the coming weeks the school is aware of your travel arrangements.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-specified-countries-and-areas>

I ask that you inform your child's school of your holiday plans. even if, at a later stage, they are altered. If you are travelling overseas I would ask that you read the guidance below: -

What to do if pupils, students in your educational setting have travelled from any Category 1 specified country/area in the past 14 days

If an individual falls into this category, contact NHS 111 for further advice:

- if they are currently well, they should self-isolate for 14 days and you should follow the advice as above for contacts of confirmed cases in the educational setting. Pupils

will not be allowed into school if they have travelled to a category 1 area until 14 days have passed in order to protect other children, families and staff within school

- if they become unwell please call NHS 111 immediately for them to be assessed by an appropriate specialist. You should follow the advice as above for contacts of confirmed cases in the educational establishment. If they require emergency medical attention, call 999 and tell the call handler or ambulance control that the person has a history of recent travel to risk areas for COVID-19
- What to do if a pupil or student has travelled from a Category 2 specified country/area in the last 14 days**

If they are currently well:

- they are advised to self-isolate only if they develop symptoms
- they can continue to attend work or education
- they do not need to avoid contact with other people
- their family do not need to take any precautions or make any changes to their own activities
- testing people with no symptoms for COVID-19 is currently not recommended
- it is useful to always take a mobile phone with them when they go out so that they can contact others if they do become unwell

If they become unwell:

- they should stay indoors and avoid contact with other people as they would with other flu viruses (see this [home isolation advice sheet](#)).
- they (or a family member, colleague or member of staff) should call NHS 111 immediately for them to be assessed by an appropriate specialist, as quickly as possible
- they should stay at home and should not attend work or education
- they should not go directly to their GP or other healthcare environment
- if they require emergency medical attention, call 999 and tell the call handler or ambulance control that the person has a history of recent travel to risk areas for COVID-19

All information school is aware of will be confidential and only used for the purpose of managing and understanding the situation by School Leaders. The information collected may be used to help decision making to ensure the wellbeing of all.

I hope you understand that we have the best interests of students/pupils at heart and we will ensure that we update in the coming weeks, ensuring we take our responsibilities seriously without unduly alarming young people and their families.

Your sincerely,



Andy Cotton
CEO
Tarka Learning Partnership



Holiday Activities at Simonsbath House Outdoor Centre

How to keep busy in the School Holidays

10am – 4pm

During the school holidays we offer activity days, residential camps and a family fun weekend so why not come for a fun packed day or stay on Exmoor

Challenge yourselves on the Assault Course * Solve the puzzles in our crystal maze style Team Challenges * Developing Archery Skills * Scale the Tree Climb and Climbing Wall or Gladiator Challenge * Don your Waders for a Stream Scramble * Use the Natural Environment for creating stunning Artwork * Mountain Bike along rugged Exmoor Trails * Build Shelters and test your camp craft skills with flint and Steels, make candles or cook bread on the open fire * Best the Traverse/Boulder & Great Wall * Join a Bear Hunt with Survival Games, Woodland Art and Camouflage Games * Develop map skills with Orienteering or Brilliant Bearings activities * Clown about with our Circus Skills kit * Test your balancing skills on the mountain board or hold your nerve on a grass sledge

Activity Days running during the Easter Holidays, May ½ Term,
Summer Holidays and October ½ term

Family Fun Weekend Friday 14th – Monday 17th August

Residential Summer Camps 9 – 12yrs Monday 24th – Friday 28th August
12 – 15yrs Friday 31st July – Monday 3rd August

For more information, to be added to our mailing list or receive a brochure

Email: tutor@shoc.info

Activity Days £18 per person per day

If you live within 20miles of the Centre we are pleased to offer our

Locals discount on Activity Days

Morning Session 10am —12.30pm £7 per person

Afternoon Session 1pm—4pm £8 per person

All day 10am —4 pm £12per person



What to Bring

Change of Clothes, Waterproofs, Wellington Boots, Towel, Packed Lunch, Water Bottle, Camera



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Multi-Sport Camps

Easter & Summer Holidays 2020



Book them onto our action-packed Activity Camps this Easter & Summer and your child will discover new passions, make new friends & build their confidence while enjoying a variety of different sports, activities and outdoor pursuits.

Activities:

Football, Cricket, Netball, Hockey, Rounders, Dodgeball, Crafty Arty Party, Nature Trail, Athletics, Capture the Flag, Tennis, Garden Games, and more...

Times: 9am - 3pm Weekdays

Ages: 5 - 14 year olds

Price: £30 per day per child*



**For every full day purchased bring a friend or sibling for free.*

Easter

Monday 30th March - Friday 3rd April

Half-Term

Tuesday 26th - Friday 29th May

Summer

Monday 27th - Friday 31st July

Monday 3rd - Friday 7th August

Location

Kingsacre Primary School, Greenacre, Braunton EX33 1BQ

To book email: bookings@devonshiretennisacademy.com

www.devonshiretennisacademy.com



Roundswell Parent & Toddler Group



Come and make new friends
With others, watching and playing with your children in a safe
and fun environment

Wednesdays 10:00- 11:30am

(Term time only)

At Roundswell community hall

Drop in session for under 5's

(No booking needed)

Weekly session is only £2.00 per child

(Under 6 months free)

Additional children 50p per child

Areas to play, story and singing time, baby and craft corner
Drinks and snacks for all included

Annual registration is

£2.00 per child

