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4th November 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the second half of the autumn term. The excitement of Christmas is already in full swing!

We hope you all had a lovely half term break and feel rested for the start of this half term. Your children have all been in full learning mode, today they have been writing about Fireworks Night and during the week we have had a science workshop and Forest School sessions going on.

If you have phoned school this week, or popped in, you will have met Mrs Tracy Webley who is our new administrator. We are very pleased to welcome Tracy to our team and hope you will all get to know her over the coming months.

Please keep an eye on the dates for the diary below. We are doing our best to keep you informed with as much notice as possible.

It is very important children are in the correct uniform for school, including the correct PE kit. PE kit is only to be worn for in-class lessons and after school clubs (no football kit). In addition, please make sure your child is wearing a warm, waterproof coat every day and also has a drinks bottle. Thank you.

We look forward to working together this half term and wish you a lovely weekend.

Mrs French

Headteacher



Year 4 was fortunate to have had a workshop hosted by Scientists from Plymouth University this week. Our topic of "Electricity" began with an exciting exploration of electrons and an understanding of our vocabulary. Next, we learned about circuits, made predictions and tested our theories about conductors and insulators, before exploring the magic of static.



On the **7th December** Ermington School are having their Christmas Lunch so Ugborough's options will only be jacket potatoes with cheese, beans or tuna or a packed lunch option which will be a cheese or tuna roll with carrot sticks, cucumber sticks and peppers. The desert option will be an ice-lolly or smoothie, yogurt or fruit. Please only order the options mentioned above.

Christmas Lunch Wednesday 14th December 2022.

Please see at the bottom of this newsletter, our Christmas Lunch menu. We will be sending out information after half-term for you to choose your child's option for the day so the kitchen can order in plenty of time. Booking, as always will be through School Gateway **only**

Congratulations to all our worthy winners this week

• **Star of the Week:**

- Hillhead: William D
- Ennaton: Solian
- Dunwell: Henry
- Ladywell: Nancy
- Venn: Lola
- Earlscombe: Xenia



Diary Dates:

Date	Event
w/c 7 Nov	Teacher Led After School Clubs 6/8
w/c 14 Nov	Teacher Led After School Clubs 7/8
Frid 18 Nov	Children In Need – more details to follow
w/c 21 Nov	Teacher Led After School Clubs 8/8
Thur 1 Dec	PTA Disco after school (full details to follow)
w/c 5 Dec	Plymouth Argyle After School Clubs FINISH
Thur 8 Dec	Save the Children – Christmas Jumper Day – more details to follow
Tues 13 Dec	Christmas Celebration in the Church 1.30pm
Wed 14 Dec	Christmas Lunch
Mon 19 Dec – Tue 3 Jan	Christmas Break
Wed 4 Jan	First Day Back
Mon 13 – Mon 20 Feb	Half Term
Tue 21 Feb	First Day Back
Mon 3 Apr – Mon 17 Apr	Easter Break
Tue 18 Apr	First Day Back
Mon 1 May	Bank Holiday – School Closed
Mon 29 May – Fri 2 June	Half Term
Mon 5 June	First Day Back
Fri 21 July	Last Day of Term

Reminder to parents & carers:

- Please would you kindly inform the school reception if someone else is collecting your child after school. This enables us to keep the children safe and **we will not allow them to leave unless we have been advised of the change in routine.**
- Please ensure children wear their PE kits for clubs.
- All photographs need to be ordered by this Sunday the 6th November before they come off line

Expectations of school uniform to be worn:

- Grey trousers/skirt/pinafore/shorts
- White shirt or white polo shirt
- Red sweatshirt / zip-up fleece (plain or logo*)
- Grey/white/red socks/tights,
- Plain black shoes (not trainers)
- Summer option: red gingham cotton dress

PE Kit (from Year 1 onwards)

- Plain black shorts/leggings/joggers and plain red T-shirt
- Plimsolls / trainers

Optional Extras

- Red school book bag*
- Red school logo PE bag*



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GLOW IN THE DARK DODGEBALL

WEDNESDAY 14TH DECEMBER

@ IVYBRIDGE LEISURE CENTRE

5:30PM - 6:30PM (AGES 5 - 11)

£7 PER CHILD / PLACES LIMITED

BOOKINGS ONLINE: SPORTYSTARS.CO.UK

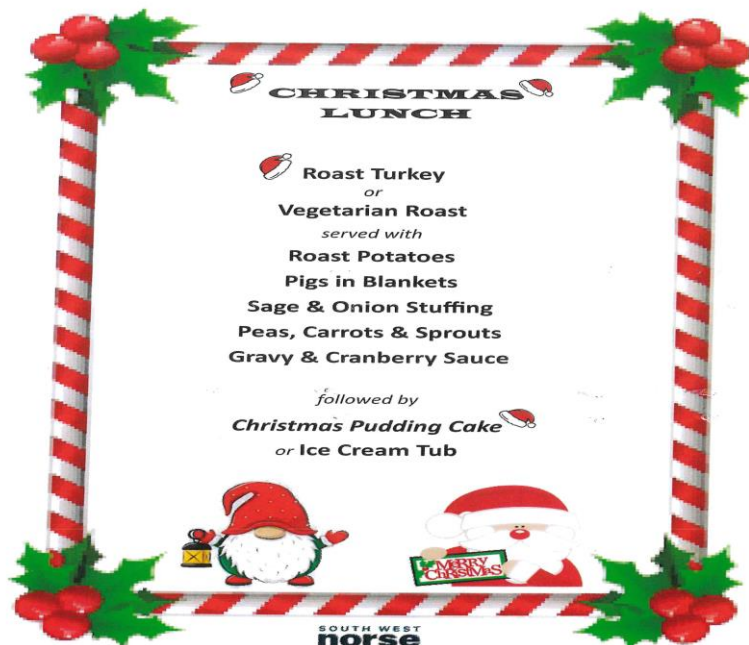
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LIGHTS

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UGBOROUGH PTA
ARE SEEKING DONATIONS
TO REALISE THE PUPILS
CHRISTMAS SHOP AND
MAKE IT AS **SUSTAINABLE**
AS POSSIBLE...

We need donations of small

- Handmade or homegrown items*
- Good quality unwanted or preloved gifts...

...For all ages/family members!

***Any food items must include a full ingredients list otherwise we cannot use them. Please ensure items are non perishable and will last til the 25th Dec!**

Please get making / growing / saving any items now ready for early December.

Donations will help realise our pupils Christmas market - a magical event where pupils buy Xmas gifts for loved ones, which also raises money for school resources. ugboroughpta@gmail.com