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NEWSLETTER Friday 17th May 2018

Dear Parents,

Well we've certainly had a rather busy week in school! I would like to take this opportunity to say a big well done to the year 6's for working so hard this week and to thank the wonderful class 4 SATs team of Miss Barlow and Mrs Redmayne, who have both been up-beat and encouraged the children throughout the test week. The school is so lucky to have such dedicated staff.

VALUES

Having completed our fortnight on Perseverance, Service will be our focus next week. This links nicely with our Big Brekkie.

Jesus said to them "come and have breakfast" John 21:12

THE BIG BREKKIE~ Wednesday 22nd May

Tasty croissants on sale (50p) from 8:40-9:00 to support Christian Aid with a special focus on health care. For example: £10 could buy timber to build a health centre, £15 could pay for a stethoscope, or £60 could provide a community health worker with a bike, torch, raincoat and boots so that they can visit patients in all weathers. I wonder what we can achieve?

Donations of jam much appreciated



GARDENING

All classes have really got stuck into some planting and weeding over the last two weeks! It is great that the grounds are looking nice and the children have a real sense of ownership and responsibility for their school environment.

CLASS 1 VISITS STOVER COUNTRY PARK

The school minibus got its first proper outing this week when Class One had a lovely 'hands on' day at Stover Country Park, touring the lake with Ranger Jo as our guide, and taking part in a range of environmental activities. Catching lots of tadpoles during the pond dipping session was a real highlight!



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CLASS 3 ATHLETICS FESTIVAL

Class 3 completed a carousel of athletic activities this morning ranging from jumping, throwing and relays to running long distances. The children were really engaged and enjoyed interacting with children from other schools. Mrs Smart was very proud of many of our pupils being noted for their good sportsmanship~ great!



CLASS 4 CRICKET FESTIVAL

Class 4 enjoyed an afternoon of fun whilst practicing their throwing, catching, batting and fielding skills at Stoke Gabriel cricket club this afternoon. A great way to end a week of SATS!

Next term we have many more sporting events to look forward to along with KS2 residential trips and whole school swimming lessons at Ashburton pool – more information will follow next half term.



FOLS ~ a message from Kate

Don't forget we are having a Summer Fair Planning Meeting on 6th June at 3.30pm. Please come along if you can. Children can use the After School Club.

A big thank you to Christine Pascoe who has been running the **Bags2School** collections for a number of years. This makes about £500 a year for FOLS so is a very worthwhile exercise. **This time we raised £204, which is a great achievement.**

Christine won't be at the school next year as Megan is moving onto secondary school. I am very pleased that Valda Smith (mum of Rhys in Class 1) has agreed to take this on and Lisa (mum of Olly and Lucy) is happy to provide storage. A big thank you to both of them!

ASHBURTON CHOIRS FESTIVAL 2019

Song machine will be performing at St Andrew's Church in the grand finale concert of the Ashburton Choirs Festival on Sunday at 4pm. Tickets will be available on the door ~ do come and support our talented singers!

SAFEGUARDING AND ATTENDANCE

Our designated safeguarding officer is Mrs Ryder and the deputy safeguarding officer is Miss Barlow. <https://www.childline.org.uk> is a great website for all sorts of information and advice, including staying safe online, ways to feel amazing and much more.

Attendance: our target is 96.8% 6.5.19-17.5.10		Number of sessions missed per class: (session = a whole morning or afternoon)
Whole school	94.4%	
Class 1	97.22%	8
Class 2	96.15%	18
Class 3	90.56%	26
Class 4	94.22%	31
Well done to Class 1!		

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That's all the news for now. Have a lovely weekend.
Jill Ryder

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