



SEATON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Valley View, Seaton
Tel 01297 20922
www.seatonprimary.co.uk

NEWSLETTER

5th May 2017



All Stars Cricket is a

Dear Parents

FIDGET SPINNERS

Can I remind parents that children are not allowed to bring in toys from home. The latest craze is Fidget Spinners. They are proving a distraction in and out of class. Please be advised that they are not allowed in school.

K G McFarlane
HEAD OF TEACHING & LEARNING

MEDICAL LETTER REMINDER

Before the Easter Holidays we sent home letters to those pupils whose records showed that they had a medical condition asking for up to date details on medication and symptoms. Please ensure you return your form as soon as possible so that our records can be updated accurately.

ART CLUB

Mrs Hambi-Hilder has a few places left for her art club on Monday and Tuesday after school. If your child would like a place please contact the school office.

THANKS FROM RUPERTS PRE-SCHOOL

Rupert's Under 5's Preschool would like to thank everyone who has helped raise funds for the redesigning and redevelopment of the outdoor play area by using their membership cards in Co-op stores and donating their spare change. A fantastic £3934 was raised. Rupert's would like to thank you for your generous support and they look forward to getting the work started.

NON UNIFORM DAY

On Thursday 22 June, children are invited to come to school in non-uniform, in exchange for a bottle for the summer fete tombola stall.

HEADLICE

When headlice are detected in classes, we normally send a parentmail message advising parents to check their child's hair and to treat accordingly. Unfortunately it appears that some parents are not doing this and some children keep catching headlice repeatedly which is very frustrating. If you receive a message to say that headlice have been detected in your child's class please take some time to check that your child is not affected.

SCHOOL CATERING AND MEALTIME ASSISTANTS

We currently have several part-time vacancies for Catering, Mealtime Assistants and delivering school meals at both Seaton and Colyton Primary schools. Further information is available from end of Friday on our website – www.axebeaconfederation.co.uk - or ring Federation Business Manager 01297 20922.

SCHOOL WEBSITE

Don't forget to check the school website regularly for up to date information, class blogs, news about events, dates, photos and previous copies of the newsletter.

ALL STARS CRICKET

All Stars Cricket is a brand new 8 week programme for 5 to 8 year olds who are new to the game. The focus is on having fun, making friends and learning new skills through cricket related games and activities. Seaton Cricket Club is running the programme on Friday evenings from 1600hrs and would love to see you there. All participants get their own bat, ball, backpack, drinks bottle, hat and t-shirt to bring along and to practice with at home! To find out more or if you have any questions, please contact Stephen Pritchard at steve.pritchard@devoncricket.co.uk or chat to him outside Miss Mabin's classroom in the morning.

BEER BLAZER – SUNDAY 7TH MAY

Beer Church of England Primary School are organising three running races on Sunday 7th May to help raise funds for the school. There are three races for various abilities with a fun run suitable for eleven year olds and under plus 5 and 10km runs suitable for secondary age students

Website: <http://beer-ce-primary.devon.sch.uk/files/BEER-BLAZER-ENTRY-FORM-2017.pdf>

TRY TENNIS FOR FREE

You can try tennis for free at Seaton Cricket and Lawn Tennis Club on Saturday 13th May. For more information go to www.lta.org.uk/gbtw

SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS

Don't forget we're collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids tokens. Please bring them to school and pop them in the box near the office.

ABSENCE AND SICKNESS

Please remember if your child is unwell you should contact the school office by 9.30am at the very latest on 20922, via Parentmail or by email. You should contact us every day that your child is ill unless informed by the office not to do so (eg Chicken pox or another longer illness).

PLEASE SAVE YOUR STAMPS

Please save any postage stamps and bring them to school for the Children's Hospice South West. All used British and foreign stamps are welcome and can help raise funds for the charity. The box is on the shelf just outside the office.

DIARRHOEA AND VOMITING

In line with NHS and Department of Education guidelines, children should not come in to school for at least 48 hours after the last episode of diarrhoea or vomiting.

NUTS – ALL YEAR GROUPS May we respectfully ask parents NOT to provide their child with nuts for their mid-morning snack or lunch as some children have severe nut allergies.

All Sports Day is a special non-SATS programme for 5-6 year olds who are new to the game. The focus is on having fun, making friends and learning new skills through cricket related games and

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 8 th May	- Year 6 SATS this week
Friday 12 th May	- Year 6 trip to the cinema to see "Boss Baby"
Friday 19 th May	- School photographer visiting for class group photos.
Monday 22 nd May	- Year 1 Parent Involvement 9.30 to 11.30am
Tuesday 23 rd May	- Sponsored Scramble
Friday 26 th May	- SCHOOL CLOSED (Occasional day)
Monday 29 th May	- SCHOOL CLOSED for Bank Holiday Monday followed by half-term week
Monday 5 th June	- SCHOOL CLOSED for staff training day
Tuesday 6 th June	- Children return to school
Wednesday 21 st June	- Year 6 pupils going to Woodroffe taster day.
Thursday 22nd June	- Non uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the summer fete tombola
Wednesday 28 th June	- Year 6 pupils going to Axe Valley Academy & Colyton Grammar taster day.
Friday 23 rd June	- Sports Day for whole school
Monday 26 th June	- Year 5 walk to Seaton Hole
Friday 30 th June	- Reception Sports Day (morning)
Mon 3 rd , Tues 4 th , Wed 5 th	- Year 6 pupils going to Sidmouth College transition days.
Thursday 6 th July 7 TH	- Provisional sports day (if bad weather the week before NOTE CHANGE OF DATE FROM
Friday 7 th July	- Natural Seaton Festival
Saturday 8 th July	- Summer Fete 11am to 2pm
Tuesday 11 th July	- Year 5 Beer to Branscombe walk
Monday 17 th July	- Parents open evening (informal) 3.30pm to 6pm
Tuesday 18 th July	- Year 6 production 2pm & 6pm (tickets available nearer the time)
Wednesday 19 th July	- Year 6 production 6pm (tickets available nearer the time)
Wednesday 26 th July	- Year 6 leavers assembly for parents at 9.15am
Wednesday 26 th July	- Break up for summer holidays (1pm finish after lunch)
Tuesday 5 th September	- Children return to school

K G McFarlane

HEAD OF TEACHING & LEARNING

ing the programme on Friday evenings from 180hrs and would love to see you there. All participants