

Weekly Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What is happening this week and next

Children are spending time in their new September class today, Thursday and Friday. The PTA Summer Fair is on Friday from 5pm until 8pm. Class photos are back and will be handed out tomorrow.

Themed Week

Next week's Themed week is 'Respecting Our Bodies'. The children will be learning about how to respect their bodies; through being active, healthy eating and mindfulness. Some of the different activities the children will be doing are: cooking, wheelie days, yoga, Forest school and activities at KEVICC, walks and Sports Day!

Athletics Finals Yesterday at Forches Cross, Newton Abbot

Yesterday 3 squads from across years 3/4 and 5/6 represented the school at the school sports partnership athletics finals held at Forches Cross. It was a fantastic day with excellent efforts given by all involved! Not only did the Grove win their initial heats... we also managed to secure a 2nd place for the year 3/4 squad A, 3rd place for the year 5/6 squad and participation certificates for the year 3/4 squad B who did extremely well. The children should be extremely proud of their efforts and teamwork and the fact that they also had the blazing sun to contend with, alongside 9 other schools! Go Grove!

Year 6 Final Performance

The rehearsals for 'Porridge' are going really well and we are sure you will be amazed by the Year 6 performance, which will be at The Ariel Centre/Theatre at KEVICC. There will be two performances on **Wednesday 17th**July, the first at 1.00pm and a later performance at 6pm. Tickets letters have already been sent out. The whole school will be going to watch the 1pm performance.

Lunch arrangements for the Year 6 Performance

We thought it would be really nice for the whole school to have lunch time together next Wednesday before the show and we all need to leave school at 12.30. Therefore for lunch we are asking if children could bring in a home packed lunch on this day. If this is impossible then of course we are happy to supply packed lunch for children.

On Tuesday children in Reception, Lime, Beech and Willow tree classes will be asked if they are bringing a home packed lunch or would like a school packed lunch either a ham, cheese or tuna sandwich.

If parents of children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 could pre order a school packed by this Friday please. Please email admin@the-grove-primary.devon.sch.uk or tell Rebecca.

PTA Thursday Bakes

Have finished now and will hopefully start again in September.

Summer Fair Friday 5-8pm!

Don't forget our Summer Fair is Friday 12th July. We are still short of helpers on the night, so if you can offer an hour of your time we would be really grateful. We want to be able to run all our games stalls for the duration of the fair. Gates open at 5pm, make sure you bring all your family and friends along for a fun evening.

Mufti Day this Friday for donations on Cakes for cake stall at Summer Fair

All children are welcome to come in mufti this Friday. The PTA are asking for donations of homemade cakes towards our Summer Fair Cake Stall or a £1 donation.

Praise Assemblies

Praise assembly this week is Acorn Tree class on Friday at 2.45pm in the hall. Next week's praise assembly is a joint Year 5 which will start at **2.40pm**. Year 6 Leavers assembly is on Tuesday 23rd July at 2pm.

Kind regards

Hilary Priest

Adverts — please note that the school is neither recommending nor supporting the adverts below. If you wish to advertise in our newsletter then please contact the school for details.



<u>Totnes</u> 10k and 1 mile fun run. August 4, supporting Totnes Caring,
Online entry is via this link, or on the day,



Full On Sport - Totnes 10K & I-mile Fun Run Event Profile

Pete Fitness



Outdoor Fitness/Fun Fitness/ Bootcamp. 3

Every Sunday morning at 8am.
Ideal for all fitness levels.
Borough Park, Totnes.
Call Pete on 07794910244 to book.
Or check out;
Facebook: petefitness
Instagram: petefitnesstotnes



FREE ENTRY

TOTNES DECLARES A CLIMATE EMERGENCY WHAT NEXT?

A Community Conversation

Saturday 13th Ju**l**y 10am-5pm, Totnes Civic Hall

Our local councils as well as the UK Parliament have declared a climate and ecological emergency. Come and be a part of conversation to explore what this means for you and your community.

Delicious and affordable lunch will be available.

Relax and reflect over evening drinks... bar opens from 5-7pm.









