

Weekly Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What's happening in school this week and next

Year 2 children from Banyan Tree class went to KEVICC to participate in team invasion games organised by staff and pupils from KEVICC. They all had a great time and it was great to get out in the fresh air especially after all the rain we have had. After school today a few children will be participating in a Tag Rugby Competition organised by Totnes Learning Community. We will let you know the results next week. Tomorrow children from Year 3 and 4 are going to The Barn Cinema at Dartington to watch 'Finding Dory'.

Last Friday - Children in Need Fundraising event - MUFTI

All the children came to school wearing something spotty, or dressed with an animal theme and we had quite a few children wearing pyjamas! You all donated £241.75. Many thanks.

After School Club - The Orchard

More information on the after school club was emailed to all parents the other day. Laura has started to receive bookings. Please hand them in as soon as possible. Unfortunately, we have no one to run a before school club currently so we are still preparing the business plan for just that and will continue to discuss with Devon.

Parent Governor Election Results

Congratulations to Ceri Goddard and Jennifer Tierney who were voted in by parents to be governors.

Leadership and management

Between now and Christmas I will be spending a half day in each class with the children. It will be great to spend a little more time with them and to see how they are progressing in their classrooms. This will benefit my full picture of each child when I meet with the teachers to discuss the assessment week findings with them.

Clubs

This is the <u>last week</u> for school clubs, however Shear Soccer continues on Tuesdays and Wednesdays until the last week of term.

Praise Assemblies - all assemblies will be on Fridays at 2:45pm

Praise assembly this week is Lime Tree Class on Friday and the next praise assembly is Flame Tree Class on Friday 2^{nd} December at 2.45 pm.

Kind regards