

Landscore Primary School Newsletter - No. 4 Summer 2024

Friday 10th May 2024

Landscore Tea Towel

Don't forget to place your orders for the whole school tea towel through the school online shop or in the office before 24th May (by Thursday 23rd May). The cost is £5.00 for one tea towel and £8.00 for



Laser Tag Event at Landscore

Nathan Keast from
Primary Sports is
running a Laser Tag
event on Wednesday
15th May in the school
hall from 6:00pm7:00pm. Tickets cost
£7.50 and you will need
to book a place online
at:

https://www.primarysports.co.uk/events/202 4/05/15/landscoreprimary-school-lazertag-may-2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

Dates for your Diary

Monday 13th – Thursday 16th May Monday 13th May – Friday 17th May

Tuesday 21st – Thursday 23rd May

Monday 27th - Friday 31st May

Monday 3rd June

Thursday 13th June

Monday 17th – Friday 21st June

Tuesday 2nd July

Monday 15th & Tuesday 16th July 6pm

Thursday 18th July

Monday 22nd July 2:00pm

Tuesday 23rd July

- Year 6 SATs week
- Year 5 Bikeability
- Year 6 London residential
- Half term holiday
- Non pupil day
- Happy's Circus
- Year 5 Grenville residential
- Sports Day
- Year 6 Performance
- Whole school disco
- Year 6 Leavers' Presentation
- Last day of the year 3:10pm Leavers' Tunnel

KS2 SATs week Next week is KS2 SATs week and I know that lots of our Year 6 children are feeling a little anxious about the tests. I am sure parents will help to reassure all of the children that they have nothing to worry about and we just want them to do what they always do - try their best. Please do encourage them to get a good night's sleep every night though and ensure they arrive at school on time each day. On Monday morning, in order to help them wake up and feel fully refreshed from the weekend, we will be doing some exercise first thing and then providing them with a healthy breakfast. On Monday morning only, we would like them to arrive at school any time between 8:30am and 8:45am (Year 6 children only).

<u>Happy's Circus - June 13th</u> Please ensure that you have bought your tickets for 'Happy's Circus' before they all sell out. You can use the link: https://buytickets.at/landscoreprimaryschoolpta/1070541.



Tickets cost £10 each and children will receive a games/activity card to use on the games and stalls which will be available from 4:00pm in the grounds before the Big Top opens at 5:30pm. The tickets have now been opened for sale to the general public so buy your tickets today to avoid disappointment – there are only a limited number of tickets left so don't delay.

<u>Meal Price Increase</u> Unfortunately, due to the ongoing rise in prices, particularly food prices, Fresha, our catering company, have had to make the difficult decision to increase the price of a school meal by 10p. Therefore, after half term a meal will cost £2.55.

<u>School Census Day</u> Thursday 16th May Next Thursday is this term's Census day when we have to report our numbers to the DFE. These numbers are then used to determine our funding for the following year. It really helps us if we have a large number of children having a school meal on that day, particularly from KS1 and EYFS, so I would really appreciate it if you could encourage your child to have a school meal next Thursday. The children in KS1 and EYFS may also bring their packed lunch if they want to but will still be able to take a school meal and try it. The menu that day is Pepperoni or Margherita pizza with ice cream.

Mid Devon Show Art Competition All of our children have been invited to enter the Mid Devon Show art competition. All entries need to be landscape on A4 paper and your name, year group and school must be put on the back. Year 5/6 children need to draw a 'Wildlife on the

Bikeability

Our year 5 children will be doing 'Bikeability' next week. The course begins on Monday and runs through the whole week. We will obviously be having a number of bicycles arriving and leaving school each day so please be extra vigilant when driving to and from school. All bikes should be stored in the bike shed or in the concrete area outside the Year 3/4 classrooms at the front of the school. Please ensure all of the children bring a coat/ rain jacket as the forecast is not good for next week.

Waterway' picture, Year 3/4 children can draw anything under the heading 'Rivers and Streams', Years 1 & 2 are invited to decorate or colour a Kingfisher outline (which is available from the school office) and Reception children are invited to decorate or colour a Swan (also available from the school office). Entries may be handed into Mole Avon, office@middevonshow.co.uk or taken along to the Mid Devon Show Office, Halberton, EX16 7AF by Thursday 27th June.

Prizes for each category will be: 1st £20, 2nd £15, 3rd £10, 4th £5 and 2 x adult tickets to the show. The presentations of prizes will be made at the show on Saturday 27th July. As many entries as possible will be displayed in the Food and Drink Marquee on Show Day.

Kidz Star Club Playworker Vacancy Hours: 13.75 per week – term time (7.45-9.00am and 3.15-4.45pm Mon-Fri) Starting July 2024 - term time only. This is an exciting opportunity for someone special, who has a passion for providing high quality care and education, to join a fantastic team. For an application form please email: - pippinsnurserycrediton@gmail.com Closing date - 17th May 2024 Interview - Tuesday 21st May 2024.

Help Needed We are really hoping to be able to introduce another flock of chickens into the school in the near future but we are unable to do this without some dedicated help from parents. We would need a list of families who are happy to help out with feeding the chickens at weekends and during the holidays before we can commit to getting more chickens. If you are happy to sign up to this, please contact the school office or send me an email. Many thanks.

Congratulations to all of our swimmers this week who have worked really hard to achieve their certificates. Daria, Hannah and Olivia Komar have all been awarded their STAnley level 3, Jasper Silk-Rundell has achieved his STAnley level 4, Lola Saldo Shimmin has passed her Shark level 1 and Chloe Bee has been awarded both her 50 metre and her 100 metre certificates. What fabulous achievements all round – very well done to you all!











Congratulations also go to Annlise Mears who has been awarded her Acro level 1 gymnastics award. Well done Annalise – great work. Final congratulations go to Adelaide Cann who was a mascot for the Exeter City Ladies team on Sunday when they won the league. Adelaide plays for Twyford U11's and is photographed with the captain Manfy Sharpe wearing the winner's medal. What a fantastic experience Adelaide!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and enjoy the sunshine.

Debbie Main

