

Newsletter

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Macmillan coffee morning

Thank you to all who came along to our coffee morning! It was lovely to see so many helping to raise money for this charity! We managed to raise an amazing £127.54.

Huge thanks to Mrs. Taylor for organising it, Jane for sorting out the bacon sandwiches and everyone who donated cakes to sell.





Experience life at our school through different activities and challenges. Meet our Headteacher, subject teachers, current students – and school dog, Bramble. See our excellent facilities with a school tour.

> Plus: open mornings available on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th October Please email for an appointment.

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Learning Leaves Class 1 – Isaac & Buck Class 2 – Ellie & Jessica Class 3 - Drake

House Points Exe Class 1 William

Reading Raffle Mabel Daisy Ruby

Tempest Photos



Tempest Photography are visiting on Friday 4th October. If your child has siblings who do not attend Rackenford, but you would like the opportunity to photograph them together, then please arrive at school between 8.30-9am. Little Angels children will also be joining us to have their photos done.









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Meet The Teacher – 30th September

Victoria Teehan who has been providing us with 'process art' sessions on Wednesday afternoons will instead do an art workshop for families

There will also be creative activities for you to do with your children (who you can collect from class after the talk)

So join us for refreshments at 2.00pm, meet our new families, catch up with friends, learn more about play and then meet with your teachers.

2.00 - 5.00pm (Teachers are available from 3.30)

All welcome

Why Do We Play?

Next Thursday 3rd October from 2.30pm, Hannah Odonnel – tutor and expert in primary practice and the importance of play, will be visiting us to talk with parents about the importance and influence play has in physical development in writing, fine gross motor skills and brain development.

Please do come along and join us.

Beam House Residential Year 3,4,5 & 6

Deposits for this Residential are due by **Wednesday 2nd October**. Reminder - The deadline for completing the Flu consent online will now close on September 29th. Please follow the link <u>https://schoolimms.virginc</u> are.co.uk/flu/2019/devon

Sickness

If your child has Diarrhoea and/or sickness they should not return to school for 48 hours. If this happens at school, we will ask you or your emergency contact to take your child home. We appreciate that this is inconvenient in many cases, and you may not believe your child is ill, but you will appreciate that we do this in all cases and it should reduce the risk of infection for all children in school. As an example, if your child is sick at lunchtime on a Tuesday, they should not return to school until after lunch on Thursday, provided there have not been any further episodes of vomiting.









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Diary Dates for Autumn Tern

30th September Meet the teacher drop in

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4th October School Photos 'New to you' clothes sale - after school.

9th October Harvest Service 2pm at All Saints Church

10th October R – Y6 Vaccinations

18th October Film Night Half term 21st - 25th October

22nd November PTFA Bingo Night

30th November Lantern Parade Tiverton

6th December Christmas Fayre

11th December Nativity 2pm

13th December Christmas Disco

18th December Beauty & the Beast Panto

<u>PTFA</u>

Bags to school/New to You Sale. More bags are available at the office. The 'New to You' sale will take place after school 4pm-6pm on Friday 4th October. Any Clothing left from the sale will be collected on Tuesday 8th October. If you DO NOT want your bags used for the 'new to you' sale, then please specify this on the bag. There will also be a cake sale, so donations are welcomed and greatly appreciated.



 Thank you so much to everyone who supported the PTFA cake sale last week. We raised a staggering £125!!! Totally amazing, thank you.!

School Census

The census funding for the school is calculated on the number of children who have a cooked meal on this day. Please could we encourage all children to have a school dinner on Thursday 3rd October, even if this is the only day that they have a school dinner. The menu for this day is Salmon & Sweet Chili Noodles, Cheese Pizza or Jacket Potato.



We've had three weeks of our online learning journal, Famly, now. We are all loving it and hoping you are too! If you have any questions don't forget to come in and ask Gemma.



