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Covid lockdown restrictions are gradually lifting, however, the guidelines for school risk assessments remain the same. So, whilst we have some ideas should there be some easing of restrictions within schools later in the term - for now, we will continue with what we are doing.

Term Dates

A copy of our 2021/2022 term dates are available on our school website via:

<https://rackenfords-primary.devon.sch.uk/term-dates/>

Assessments

At this time of year, we would normally be coming to the end of the usual end of year tests for Years 1, 2 and 6.

Following half term we will be carrying out our teacher assessments which we will share on your child's end of year report.

Garden of Hope

The children have been writing letters to local companies asking for donations towards our garden of hope. We are still on the lookout for slabs, gravel, furniture etc. We would greatly appreciate any help with donations.

Awards

Learning Leaves

Class R – Bobby

Class 1 – Harry

Class 2 – Franklin

Class 3 – Lexi

House Points

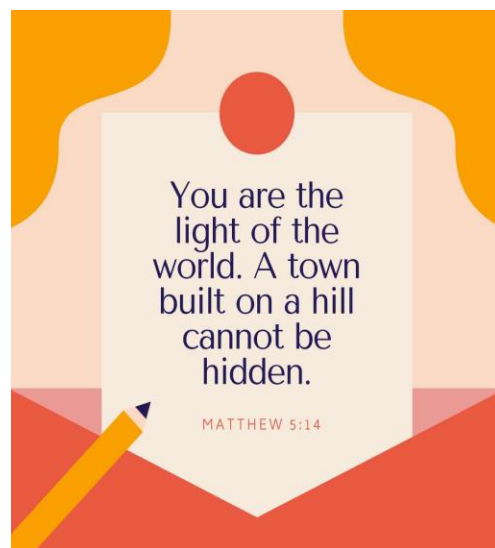
Class R – Charlie

Class 1 – Alfie

Class 2 – Lucy

Class 3 - Holly

Margaux had a certificate for lovely manners





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Uniform

Over the past year we have had a fairly relaxed approach to our school uniform policy due to the lockdowns, and as we understand that there have been issues with uniform shortages in shops.

We are aware that parents may not want to purchase new uniform so close to the end of the school year, so we will continue with our more relaxed approach, but please can you make sure your children are coming to school wearing plain clothing, as close to our school uniform as possible.

From September we would like all children to return to school wearing our correct uniform please.

Our school uniform

- A navy sweatshirt, pullover or cardigan (with or without the school logo)
- Trousers/shorts in charcoal grey or black
- Skirt/tunic in navy blue, charcoal grey or black
- Blue/red and white checked summer dress
- Navy/red/white polo shirt (with or without the school logo)
- Plain socks/tights in white, grey, navy or black
- Shoes should be black. Trainers if worn, should be plain with no bright colours. Sandals should be 'closed toe'.

PE Kit:

- A plain navy sports t-shirt
- Plain navy or black shorts
- Mainly blue tracksuit
- Trainers or black daps

Please ensure that children have a waterproof coat that is suitable to wear during PE, as children will be outside in light showers.

Acceptable Jewellery in school :

Pierced ears with studs or sleepers, watch or medical bracelet.

Please no rings, bracelets, necklaces, etc.



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Save the date

Friday 9th July

We are planning to hold **sports day** and the **PTFA Summer fair** on the same day to create the first Rackenford school **Summer Fun Day**

More details to come...

Next week...

Monday

Football Club (Lunchtime)
KS2 Multisports (Afterschool Club)

Tuesday

Drum Lessons
French club (Afterschool Club)

Wednesday

Piano Lessons

Thursday

KS1 Multisports (Afterschool Club)

We have some spaces available so if you would like to sign your child up to any of these clubs or music lessons, then please email admin@rackenford-primary.devon.sch.uk

Dates

31 May – 4 June

Half Term

Friday 11 June

Wrong Trousers Day

16 June

Science Day

30 June

Transition/Move up morning

9 July TBC

Sports day/PTFA Summer Fair

WC 12 July

End of term reports

23 July

Leavers assembly
Last day of term

8 September

First day Autumn term

Little Angels

The children have had great fun learning about farm animals, procreation and habitats this week, lots of exploring the village and even created a milking station.



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Are you or your friends/family having a clear out?
Rackenford PTFA are collecting your unwanted
clothes for a....

NEW TO YOU CLOTHES SALE

Wednesday 30th June in the school
playground 3.45-5pm

There will be a cake stall to keep your energy up whilst
you shop!



Just pop the items in a bin liner and drop at school or
Springhill House, Rackenford (Ellie Denno's house)
before Friday 25th June

We can take all clothing, paired shoes, handbags, hats,
household linen, curtains, scarves, ties, jewellery, lingerie,
towels and soft toys.

**We will be selling any unwanted school uniform so please donate this in
a separate bag**

Things we can't take are...

Duvets, pillows, carpets, rugs and mats, any logoed clothing, work
uniform, off cuts or material.

Charity number: **1072336**

For more details contact **Ellie 07799060050**