



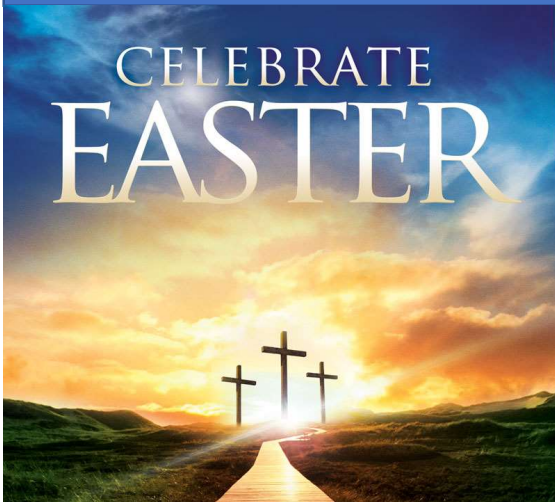
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Easter Service at All Saints Church

In the last week of term on Wednesday 6th April there will be an Easter Service at 2:30pm. Each class will be taking part in this celebration of Easter. Everyone is welcome!



Parents

Please remember to contact the office by 9am **each morning** that your child is unwell, unless you have given an indication of the time they are likely to be home eg Covid19, Chicken Pox etc. A phone call or email is appreciated. Many thanks.

Spring Term dates

Easter Service in the Church
Wednesday 6th April

Last day of Term/Easter
Friday 8th April 2022

Learning Leaves

CR
Jack

C1
Bobby

C2
Millie

C3
Jessica

Please remember to bring a coat to school every day, as the weather can be very changeable!





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EASTER SCHOOL HOLIDAY CLIMBING

12 - 15 APRIL

**1 HOUR
SESSION £4.50**

Slots from 9.30 - 3.00pm

THEWALLINTHEHALLTIVERTON@GMAIL.COM

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PTFA meetings

29th March 2022

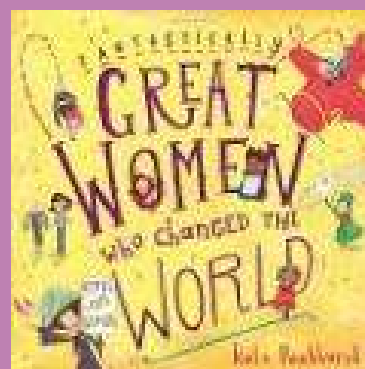
26th April 2022

24th May 2022

28th June 2022

Little Angels news

'Great Women who changed the World' by Kate Pankhurst was our book of focus this week. Looking at celebrating Mother's day, we have been looking at history and exploring women that have had an impact on our lives by becoming scientists, detectives, creative designers and learning about 'every voice matters'. It's been a week of new discoveries and experiments.



Word of the week

We are involved in a vocabulary project to help improve the children's range and confidence with vocabulary. Each week every class will learn a new 'Word of the week'. Please could you talk to your child about this word and practice using it.

w/c 28/03/22

Class R = turn

Class 1 = upset

Class 2 = hysterical

Class 3 = agile



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Safeguarding and Child Protection

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility and all child protection concerns need to be acted on immediately. If you are concerned that a child may be at risk or actually suffering abuse please contact Tracey Taylor or Ruth Alpey within school or alternatively if not in school hours please contact MASH (Devon County Council multi agency safeguarding hub) who are available to discuss your concern and advise 0345 155 1071.

PTFA dates for your diary...

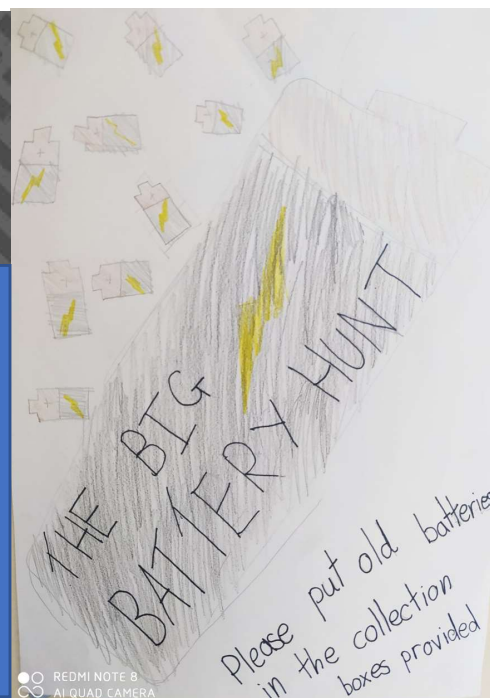
New to you, clothes sale + Cake Sale
Tuesday 5th April 3:30 pm in the playground

Easter Egg Hunt
Sunday 17th April 10am

Don't forget our Ptfa meeting this Tuesday the 29th of March at 7.45 pm at Cecile's house (Bradford House), everyone welcome!



Duracell's The Big Battery Hunt is back!
You helped us to recycle over 11 million batteries during the first two years of the Big Battery Hunt. Now it is time to recycle even more! Look out for the collection boxes, soon to be appearing around the school.





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join us for

RACKENFORD EASTER EGG HUNT

Easter Sunday

17th of April

10 am Rackenfurd Common

Please bring your own containers/baskets to collect the eggs. All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Organised by Rackenfurd School PTFA and chocolates kindly donated by Rackenfurd Community Shop



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Knitters!

One of the Maths teachers at Heathcoat Primary School has been knitting teddies for Ukrainian children. Would anyone in our school/community like to be involved too? If yes, the knitting pattern for the Teddy shown below is available for you to share, email admin@rackenfords-primary.devon.sch.uk



NEW TO YOU CLOTHES SALE with CAKE STALL

Tuesday 5th April 3.30pm
Rackenfords School playground...

Come and grab a bargain!!

For this event Rackenfords PTFA are collecting and recycling your unwanted clothes

Just bag them up and drop at Springhill House,
Rackenfords (Ellie Denno's house) on or before

Friday 1st April

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

Things we can't take are...

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

Charity number: 1072336

For more details contact Ellie 07799060050



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The Author's visit...

The School thoroughly enjoyed the discussion with Claire Barker, the author who came to visit us this week. Maybe one of our pupils may go on to become a published author of children's books!

Sun 10 Apr, 3pm

Easter holiday fun at Theatre Royal Plymouth!

Please spread the word to your students and parents about an exciting opportunity with **Welsh National Opera...**

Kickstart the Easter holidays by exploring opera and classical music in an entertaining and interactive style, together as a family with **Play Opera Live.**

Presented by Tom Redmond, these concerts are lively and accessible, with music you'll recognise from film, television and the stage. Dance the afternoon away to the Mambo from Bernstein's *West Side Story* before clicking your heels and joining us 'Somewhere Over the Rainbow'...

Tom will lead you through the programme with fun facts and singalongs, introduce you to WNO singers and members of WNO Orchestra and tell you a bit more about the pieces being performed.

Tickets from £7.50



Join us before the performance and take part in our free family activities from 1pm.



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Salvete! Parents and Pupils,

I am pleased to say that your son or daughter will have the chance to learn Latin at the "Minimus" club after school on a Monday from 3:30pm to 4:15pm, starting on Monday 25th April 2022 and continuing until the end of the Summer Term.

This club is being offered free of charge.

There will be lots of exciting things for you to do, like arts and crafts, drama, and games and all with lots of fun!

This club is for Class 2 and 3 children and all are welcome. Minimus provides an exciting introduction into the world of the Romans in Britain with lots of colourful pictures and comic strips.

It's based on the lives of a real family who used to live at the Roman fort of Vindolanda, near Hadrian's wall, in 100AD: Flavius, the fort commander, his wife Lepidina, their three children, assorted household slaves, their cat Vibrissa.

It is brought to you by the small mouse "Minimus" – 'mus' meaning mouse in Latin!



If you would like to find out more about Minimus, then there is a website with information, as well as fun Latin activities. It is <http://www.minimus.com>

Places in the club are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis and we hope for a lot of interest! So please reply quickly so as to be sure you have a place!

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Vale!



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Clubs w/c 28th March 2022

- Football Club Monday
- Tuesday French After School Club All Classes – French Monuments.
- Tuesday Maths Club Year 3.
- Thursday Multi-sports 1 After School Club C1, 2 and 3.
- Friday Multi-sports 2 After School Club C1, 2 and 3.

We also have free sports clubs Thursday and Friday lunchtime.

AN EGG TO SPARE, TO SHOW WE CARE!



WE ARE COLLECTING EASTER EGGS FOR CHAT!

Many children will go this Easter without an Egg or Treat.

We really hope everyone could donate even just a small easter egg or treat for us to send to CHAT Tiverton.

Please bring in your donations by Friday 8th April 2022

A little gesture goes a long way!

Thank you

Sophia, Harrison and Lucas Gollidge

WILD ABOUT DEVON



COMMUNITY GRANTS OF UP TO £500 AVAILABLE!

Are you a community group, parish or town council, or collaborative local community partnership in Devon (including Torbay)?



Do you have a wildlife project idea that you want to kickstart?



Are you looking for funding to advance an existing wildlife initiative?



Would you like to start a new group with a wildlife focus?



This grant scheme recognises the vital role community action can play in creating long term benefits for wildlife. This could range from gardens and parks, to churchyards, orchards, window boxes, ponds and ditches, buildings and more!

APPLY ONLINE TODAY!

tinyurl.com/yc85faw7



Summer Term dates

Pupils' Term starts

Monday 25th April 2022

May Bank Holiday

Monday 2nd May 2022

Wilcombe Wobbler

Wednesday 18th May 2022

Summer Half Term

Monday 30th May – Friday
3rd June 2022

including Queens Platinum Jubilee

Last day of Term

Friday 22nd July 2022