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Newsletter 16





Spring Term 2013

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Thursday 17 th January	SPSA Meeting at 8pm in the staff room		
Wednesday 23 rd January	Parent Forum at 7pm in the staff room		
Friday 25 th January	SPSA Second Hand Uniform sale at 3.15pm		
Tuesday 29 th January	Resources Governors Meeting at 7pm		
Tuesday 5 th February	Teaching and Learning Governors Meeting at 7pm		
Sunday 10 th February	Family Service at St. Peter's Church at 10am		
Monday 11 th February	Bags2school collection 9am-1.00pm		
Friday 15 th February	SPSA Coffee Morning 9am-10.am in the School Hall		
Friday 15 th February	SPSA Bake sale 3.15pm		
Monday 18 th February to Friday 22 nd February -	Half Term		
Friday 1 st March	SPSA Second Hand Uniform Sale 3.15pm		
Thursday 7 th March	World Book Day		
Thursday 7 th March	SPSA meeting at 8.00pm		
Sunday 10 th March	Family Service at St. Peter's Church at 10am		
Wednesday 20 th March	Parents Evening from 4-7pm		
Thursday 21st March	Parents Evening from 4-7pm		
Friday 22 nd March	SPSA Chocolate Easter Bingo at 6.30pm		
Monday 25 th March	Whole School Cross Country		
Tuesday 26 th March	Resources Governors Meeting at 7pm		
Thursday 28 th March	Easter Church Service at 10am		
Thursday 28 th March	SPSA Second Hand Uniform Sale at 3.15pm		
Thursday 28 th March	End of Spring Term		
Thursday 28 th March	SPSA Bake Sale at 3.15pm		
Sunday 14 th April	Family Service at St. Peter's Church at 10am		

Peace

Dear Parents/ Carers,

It was lovely to see everyone back at school last week following the holidays. Children were really engaged in their learning and looking forward to the term ahead. The cross country running event on Friday was wonderful; it was super to see so many keen runners. Thank you to all those that helped out at the event and to Mr Lee for organising it. Mr Lee is going to organise another cross country event for later in the term (more details to follow in due course).

Thank you to all the children and parents that attended the Family Service last Sunday. In particular, well done to Thomas Hewett who read a passage from the Bible beautifully as part of the Service.

We hope that you will be able to attend the SPSA meeting tomorrow night from 8pm in the Staff Room and look forward to seeing you there.

As the weather forecast predicts a patch of colder weather over the next week, please can you make sure that your child has a warm coat and if possible a hat and gloves in school for them to wear at break times and for their outdoor learning.

Twitter and the School Website

Don't forget the school website has our twitter feed so news and updates appear in real time on the website. If you are on twitter and wish to follow tweets directly follow us at @BudleighStP. You can also keep in touch with us through direct message and share links or interesting tweets by tweeting to us. Links to interesting articles about education and lives of children as well as resources you can use with your children are also regularly tweeted and shared.

Parent Questionnaire Feedback

Results from the Parent Questionnaire can be found attached to this newsletter.



Education City

Please enjoy using Education City to further develop your English and Maths skills.

Our username: 878stpetersprimary

Password: 695939



Grid Club

This is a wonderful learning resource that enables children to participate in a wealth of activities that cover lots of curriculum areas.

Our log in details are: Username: stp900 Password: ex96qf

Parent Forum Meeting- Next Wednesday

Our next Parent Forum meeting is next Wednesday (23rd January) at 7pm. We hope that all our class representatives are able to make it. The agenda is already full for this meeting. All are welcome.

Spring Term Clubs

Mr Williams will be running a Tag Rugby Club on Wednesdays from 3.50-4.20pm. The club will start on the 23rd January. Sign up sheets are available from the School Office.

Gymnastics Clubs

The Gymnastics Clubs being run by Miss Kilburn on a Monday morning (beginners) and on a Friday morning (improvers) will run from **8-8.50am**. Thank you!

Year 1 and Year 2 After School Multiskills Club

This is a reminder that the Year 1 and Year 2 Multiskills Club with Mr Lee does not start until Friday 25th January.

Cross Country Event

On Friday 11th January, we hosted our re-scheduled Cross Country event involving pupils from Foundation, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. This event is part of a three race series for Key Stage 1 and a six race series for Key Stage 2.

Thank you to all the members of staff and parents who supported this event. It was fantastic to see so many pupils taking part in School Sport and having fun at the same time.

The next Cross Country event for all pupils in Key Stage 2 is the Exmouth Primary Schools Cross Country event which will take place at Bicton College on Monday 11th March at 16:00 (further details will be sent out nearer the time). Whilst we do not have a date set for the next Key Stage 1 Cross Country event, we would like to host an event just before the Easter holidays.

Mr Lee

Results

Every participant scored 1 point for their House, regardless of their overall position. Further Bonus Points were awarded as follows:

First Place: 10 Bonus Points, i.e. the winner will score a total of 11 points

Second Place: 8 Bonus Points Third Place: 6 Bonus Points Fourth Place: 4 Bonus Points Fifth Place: 2 Bonus Points Sixth Place 1 Bonus Point

Race 2 Results

Foundation: We do not intend to record results for Foundation pupils - we just want them to have fun and enjoy the experience.

Year 1 Girls: 1st place Mabel Gillingham; 2nd place Marliyah Lee; 3rd place Miia Hunt.

Year 1 Boys: 1st place Nate James; 2nd place James Adesina; 3rd place Ryan Harris Cotton

Year 2 Girls: 1st place Fleur Larson-Carter; 2nd place Jessy Sturgeon; 3rd place Tassy Mitchell.

Year 2 Boys: 1st place Finlay Cotton; 2nd place Robin Squire; 3rd place Jack Barnham-Tetlow.

Year 3/4 Girls: 1st place Esme Kilburn-Thompson; 2nd place Annie MacAllister; 3rd place Amy May.

Year 3/4 Boys: 1st place Sonny Cox; 2nd place Toby Richards; 3rd place Lewis Marsden-Swain. Year 5/6 Girls: 1st place Tess Gebbie; 2nd place Lorna Gebbie; 3rd place Annabelle Moger-Taylor.

Year 5/6 Boys: 1st place Jake Yarwood; 2nd place Charlie Levi; 3rd place Theo Burne.

Overall Leading Individuals (After one race for Key Stage 1 and two races for Key Stage 2)

Leading Year 1 Girls: 1st place Mabel Gillingham; 2nd place Marliyah Lee; 3rd place Miia Hunt. Leading Year 1 Boys: 1st place Nate James; 2nd place James Adesina; 3rd place Ryan Harris-Cotton.

Leading Year 2 Girls: 1st place Fleur Larson-Carter; 2nd place Jessy Sturgeon; 3rd place Tassy Mitchell.

Leading Year 2 Boys: 1st place Finlay Cotton; 2nd place Robin Squire; 3rd place Jack Barnham-Tetlow.

Leading Year 3 Girls: 1st place Amy May; 2nd place Annie MacAllister; 3rd place Bethany Browring.

Leading Year 3 Boys: 1st place George Moger-Taylor; 2nd place Sonny Cox; 3rd place Jake Howarth.

Leading Year 4 Girls: 1st place Esme Kilburn-Thompson; 2nd place Lily Allen; 3rd place Phoebe Woodthorpe.

Leading Year 4 Boys: 1st place Toby Richards; 2nd place Freddie Squire; 3rd place Jude Levi. Leading Year 5 Girls: 1st place Annabelle Moger-Taylor; Joint 2nd place Liberty Barry, Lauren May and I sobelle Williams.

Leading Year 5 Boys: 1st place I euan Brockway; 2nd place Jon Dobel; 3rd place Leo Knowles. Leading Year 6 Girls: Joint 1st place Tess Gebbie and Lorna Gebbie; 2nd place Molly Bell; 3rd place Emelia Smith.

Overall Houses Key Stage 1

1st place Blue House with 59 points 2nd place Green House with 58 points 3rd place Yellow House with 41 points 4th place Red House with 27 points

Overall Houses Key Stage 2

1st place Yellow House with 118 points 2nd place Red House with 116 points 3rd place Green House with 99 points 4th place Blue House with 59 points

Overall House Results for the Whole School

1st place Yellow House with 159 points 2nd place Green House with 157 points 3rd place Red House with 143 points 4th place Blue House with 118 points

FREE 2 hour cycle confidence sessions

FREE 1:1 or 1:2 two hour cycling confidence sessions are available for adults living or working in Exeter, Exmouth and the surrounding areas. From complete novices to those who just haven't ridden for a while, friendly instructors are there to help you get where you need to go.

LED are working in partnership with Devon County Council and the Department of Transport to offer this opportunity. If you are over the age of 16, live or work in the Exeter and Exmouth area and have thought about cycling more, LED can help.

The Exe Estuary Route offers one of the most enjoyable cycle paths in the country and can take you between Exmouth and Exeter almost entirely on a traffic free path. An enviable commute or a fun few hours make a great day. Exeter has an extensive network of its own paths, including the fabulous Quayside route, making the bike a great way to avoid the traffic congestion and stresses of driving. Traffic free trails are proving increasingly popular and can now be found linking Broadclyst and Killerton or Exmouth and Budleigh Salterton as well as plenty further afield.

Cycling to and from work can be one of the most effective ways of fitting in regular physical activity and the daily commute can become a pleasurable part of the day especially with some of the best views around.

To book your training please call 01395 562507 or email <u>outreach@ledleisure.co.uk</u>. For more information on cycling in Devon please visit <u>www.cycledevon.info</u>

Year 6 Pupils



Pupils from Year 6 have been studying Microorganisms and applying their knowledge and understanding to real life contexts.

On Wednesday 9th January, pupils from Year 6 pupils taught pupils from Foundation 2 how to wash their hands based upon the methods advised by the Great Ormand Street Hospital.

SPSA NEWS

Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on Thurs 17th January (tomorrow) at 8pm at the school, as always new members are very welcome, just come along. If you can't make the meetings but would like to be involved in helping at our various events, please contact a member of the SPSA, who will add you to our "friends of SPSA" list. Or call Kate Harrison on 443082 (email mrsharry3@yahoo.co.uk)

Bag2School

As a nation we throw away about 1,500,000 tonnes a year of clothes of which the textile industry handles around 300,000 tonnes, there are, therefore, over 1,000,000 tonnes still going to landfill sites. Bag2School is working with DEFRA on the Textile Roadmap Process for reuse and recycling and the newly formed RITE Group which is committed to sustainability and ethical production of textiles.

Since 2001 Bag2School has paid £15,000,000 to schools.

They will pay the school for good quality second hand adults and children's clothing, sheets, blankets, curtains, soft toys, shoes, belts and handbags. The children should all come home with a bag today, there are a few spare bags in the office should you need any. Please ask friends and family to have a clear out too, any money made will be payable to the SPSA, and will in turn directly support the children of our school. We will be having a collection from **Bag2School on 11**th **February at 9am** please bring in your bags on this day only, as we don't have the space to store them beforehand.

Many thanks for your support.

Lunch Bunch Cafe

Chinese New Year Celebration- Year of the Snake Wonday 11th February 2013



Prawn Crackers, Duck Spring Roll, Sweet & Sour Chicken served with Vegetable Rice For dessert, Sliced Mango and Ice cream

Lunch Numbers week commencing 07/01/2013

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Average
Actual	Inset Day	81	96	70	112	90
Target	100	100	100	100	100	100

- I talian Special is this Thursday. There is a choice of Macaroni Cheese or Pizza with garlic bread and vegetables. Neapolitan ice cream for dessert. Mama Mia!
- Remember Burns biscuits next Friday 25th January. Celebrate at break time with a traditional Scottish shortbread available from the Tuck Trolley for 40p.
- Chinese New Year dinner on Monday 11th February. Book for a family lunch. Tickets available from the School Office or complete the attached booking form and return it to the School Office by Wednesday the 5th February 2013. Spaces are limited so book early. £2.00 for a child dinner and £3.00 for an adult dinner.



How do I qualify for Free School Meals?

For more information call this helpline number 08451551019. Application forms for free school meals are in the main entrance foyer.

If you have recently become unemployed but are still receiving Working Tax Credits, you **may** be entitled to Free School Meals for a four week period only, please call us on **0845 155 1019** for advice.

Community News



IT'S THIS THURSDAY 17TH JANUARY

IN THE PETER HALL BUDLEIGH SALTERTON

STARTS AS SOON AFTER 3.30 PM AS YOU CAN BE THERE!

Otterton Mill

East Devon attraction Otterton Mill will re-open on Wednesday 16^{th} January, after a two month closure following catastrophic flooding.

The ancient Mill was engulfed by flood waters at the end of November last year, and has been closed ever since while extensive building works and cleaning takes place. Mill owners Caroline and Simon Spiller, and a handful of staff and contractors have been working throughout the Christmas period to repair damage, clean and dry the buildings and site.

Caroline said "We are delighted to announce that the buildings works have been completed on schedule, and we will re-open from Wednesday 16th January. The nature of flood damage is that more issues emerge over time, and we've had to deal with a few more last minute repairs over the past few days. However, we are now raring to go, and welcome back our customers."

Caroline added "We're celebrating our re-opening with a sold-out gig with local folk hero Steve Knightley on the evening of Thursday 17th January. And next week, on Thursday 24th January, the mill workings will come alive as we mill for the first time since the November floods. Amazingly, the ancient mill machinery was undamaged by the flood waters."

Following the re-opening, the Mill's cafe-restaurant and food shop will operate from Tuesdays to Sundays (closed Mondays). The Mill building which houses the Mill workings, shop and Gallery will be partially open until the end of February. From March onwards, the whole site will be fully open 7 days a week. Opening dates and hours are listed on the Mill's website and Facebook site.

Caroline added "We'd like to thank everyone who has provided support and practical help during our closure, including Otterton villagers, our customers, members of the local business community, and our wonderful team of staff."

More information on the clean-up and resumption of business, including opening days and times is available via the Otterton Mill website, www.ottertonmill.com and Facebook page

- Otterton Mill (official).

Otterton Mill is situated between Budleigh Salterton and Sidmouth on the River Otter. It features a one thousand-year-old working watermill, award-winning café-restaurant and food shop, art gallery, wildlife, homeware and gift shops, artisan bakery, and music venue. Opening hours are 10:00am to 5:00pm daily. Free entry. Tel: 01395 568521. Web: www.ottertonmill.com.



We are Budleigh Salterton F.C. a football club based in $\underline{\text{Budleigh Salterton}},$

 $\underline{\text{Devon}}, \underline{\text{England}}. \text{ The club plays in the } \underline{\text{South West Peninsula League}} \text{ Division One East}.$

Forth coming fixtures at Greenway Lane Budleigh Salterton

Date	Home		Away
17/11/12	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Exeter University
1/12/12	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Exeter Civil Service
8/12/12	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Alphington
15/12/12	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Appledore
5/01/13	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Crediton United
12/01/13	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Stoke Gabriel
19/01/13	Budleigh 1 st Team	V	Axminster Town

We are very keen to welcome young people and their families to come and watch local football at Budleigh Salterton FC.

Adults entrance fee.....£3.00

Children Go Free!

Please support your local football club!

For more information please visit our website.

http://www.clubwebsite.co.uk/budleighsaltertonfootballclub/Home

Best wishes Mrs Vicky Lewis Deputy Headteacher



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Parent Questionnaire Feedback

Thank you to all families that took their time to fill in and return parent questionnaires in November. It is fantastic to have nearly 60% returned. Please find below the percentages that agreed with the statements asked. So we can track the improvement of the school we have included the percentage that agreed with the statements in 2011 and the percentage change. We also received many constructive comments about all elements of the school life. These will be discussed along with class by class results and considered at governor, senior leadership and staff meetings to continue to improve the school further. This data will also be shared with Ofsted to assist any inspection.

We always value your comments and feedback and remind you that you can continue to do this in the following ways:

- By speaking to Mr Elliott, Mr Lewis and Mr Perkins on the playground before school.
- By seeing your child's class teacher before or after school.
- By completing a 'Message to Teacher' form in the entrance lobby and handing it in to the School Office.
- Attending Parent Forum meetings or speaking to your child's Parent Forum Class Representative or putting a suggestion in the Parent Forum box by the School Office.

Parent Questionnaire Responses compared to previous year with percentage change

Stater	ment 114 responses = 57% of 201 Y1-6	SA AND A	2011 %	+/-
1	My child likes school 105	94%	96%	-2
2	My child is making good progress 113	90%	89%	1
3	Children behave well at the school 114	94%	84%	10
4	My child is not bullied at school 106	88%	81%	7
5	Teaching is of a good quality 114	95%	90%	5
6	I am kept well informed about how my child is doing at school 114	85%	75%	10
7	The church ethos and values are strong at the school 114	97%	94%	3
8	Teachers expect my child to always do their best 114	91%	95%	-4
9	My child is treated fairly 114	89%	89%	0
10	The school seeks the views of parents takes account of their concerns and suggestions	89%	82%	7
	114			
11	The school explains well how I can help my child at home 112	92%	94%	-2
12	Home learning set is appropriate for my child 114	88%	84%	4
13	There is a range of opportunities and activities the school offers for my child 114	100%	92%	8
14	The arrangements and support provided when my child started school were good 112	91%	92%	-1
15	The school is led and managed effectively by school leaders 108	91%	93%	-2