



Newsletter 7



Autumn Term

Dates for the Diary 2012-13

Autumn Term 2012	
Thursday 25 th October	Parents' Evening from 4-7pm
Monday 29th October to Friday 2nd November	Half Term
Tuesday 6 th November	Y2 Trip to Bygones in Torquay
Wednesday 7 th November	Y1 Trip to Bygones in Torquay
Friday 9 th November	Mufti Day
Sunday 11 th November	Remembrance Family Service at St. Peter's Church
Monday 12th November	Non Pupil Day
Monday 12 th November	Year 6 SATS Parent meeting 6pm - 7.30pm
Wednesday 14 th November	Stocklands Cross Country
Wednesday 14 th November	Letters and Sounds Tea Party 7-8pm
Monday 19 th November - 23 rd November	Nursery Family Fun Day to the Donkey Sanctuary
Thursday 22 nd November	Parent Forum 7.00pm
Tuesday 27 th November	Full Governors Meeting 7pm
Friday 30 th November	SPSA Christmas Fayre
Sunday 9 th December	Family Service at St.Peter's Church 10.00am
Tuesday 11 th December	Christmas Dinner
Wednesday 12 th December	Christmas Dinner
Friday 14 th December	Christmas Dinner
Thursday 13 th December	KS1 Christmas Performance 10-11am at St.Peter's Church
Tuesday 18 th December	FSU Christmas Party 1.30 - 3.00pm
Tuesday 18 th December	KS2 Christmas Concert rehearsal pm
Tuesday 18 th December	KS2 Christmas Concert at 7pm St.Peter's Church
Friday 21 st December	End of Autumn Term

Collective Worship
Forgiveness

Dear Parents/ Carers

As we approach half term I should like to thank you for your continued interest and support. It was good to meet many of you at the first of this week's open evening and to get some positive feedback about how well the children have settled this school year. In November we shall be sending out the parent questionnaire once more (it is hard to believe that a year has passed since the last one) to collect your views on the effectiveness of the school.

Last Monday, 57 children represented the school at the Bicton College cross country run and we were the largest team by far. It was good to know that St. Peter's children are making a valuable contribution to school life and that they are prepared to have a go at a challenge. I congratulate them and feel pride in their achievement.

When we return on November 5th we shall very quickly have opportunity to make new contributions. It would be wonderful if you could support the following:-

On Friday 9th and Saturday 10th November at the Town Hall there is to be an evening concert to support the Christmas Lights Appeal and some of our children in the choir will perform. Tickets are available from the Card Shop in the High Street. Why not make it a family occasion?

On Sunday 11th November there is the Family Remembrance Service at Church at 10am and in the afternoon the laying of wreaths at the war memorial. I shall be laying a wreath on behalf of the school and it would be wonderful if some of the children could accompany me.

Also remember our special '**Bonfire Lunch**' on the day we return and also the **SPSA annual general meeting** at 7.30pm in the Hall. The SPSA have had a wonderful year in supporting the school and it would be great to see and have your support and interest.

Finally, I hope that the children will enjoy their Half Term break and that they have some decent weather to enjoy themselves outside.

Mr Elliott

Stockland Cross Country

On Wednesday 17th October, sixteen pupils represented St. Peter's Church of England Primary School at the Stockland Cross Country race. As expected, the ground conditions were heavy. However, even those who had not run at Stockland before did not let the mud destroy their spirit and all our runners showed great determination in completing the course.

Performances of note included: Esme Kilburn-Thompson who won the Year 3 and Year 4 Girls' race; Toby Richards who came 8th in the Year 3 and Year 4 Boys' race; Lorna Gebbie who came 17th in the Year 5 and Year 6 Girls' race and Jake Yarwood who came 20th in the Year 5 and Year 6 Boys' race.

Full results have now been published on the Stockland website (www.stockland.devon.sc.uk) and photographs can be seen on the School Sport 2012-2013 page of our school website

Bicton Cross Country

On Monday 22nd October, fifty seven pupils represented St. Peter's Church of England Primary School at the Exmouth School Sport Partnership Bicton Cross Country race. Our bright yellow t-shirts dazzled the opposition!

For some pupils it was the first time they had taken part in Cross Country and the first time that they had represented St. Peter's Church of England Primary School. All the runners should be really proud of their achievement!

Performances of note include: Esme Kilburn Thompson who won the Year 3 and Year 4 girls race overall and Lukas White who won the Year 5 and Year 6 boys race overall.

This was also the first race in our six race Cross Country House Competition series and the House results will be shared on Friday. In the meantime, photographs can be seen on the School Sport 2012-2013 page of our school website.

Friday Extra-Curricular Clubs

Gymnastics with Killer and Year 3/Year 4 Girls' Football are still happening on Friday 26th October.

Premier Football

Due to parents evening tomorrow there will be no Premier Football. Premier football will take the cost of this session of the next terms fees.

Mr Lee

School Dinners –numbers of school dinners last week.

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Average
Actual meals taken	87	70	103	79	116	91
School's meals target	100	100	100	100	100	100

Kitchen Update

Attached to this newsletter is the menu for after half term.

Mrs Smith

Headteacher awards from 27th September 2012 -

Age Group	Name and award number since 27th September, 2011	
Foundation	Adam Smith 1st Writing,	
Year 1	Josie Larmour 3rd Science Ben Nelson 2nd Writing Lois Cox 1st Story-telling telling Josie Larmour 4th Story telling independence	Leah Van de Bunte - 2nd - Writing Marliyah Lee - 2nd -Writing Maybel Gillingham- 2nd - Story I mogen Hitchcock 1st Growing
Year 2	Tassy Mitchell 3rd Writing, Edward Argent 2nd History Fleur Larsson-Carter 3rd Mathematics Oliver Cassidy 4th Mathematics Oliver Cassidy 5th History Stephen Blyth 3rd Good attitude	Finlay Cotton 3rd - History Molly Turner 4th - Writing Leo Wood 2nd Mathematics Miles Dobel 2nd History Miles Dobel 3rd - Sentence work
Year 3	Jasmine Hill 2nd Writing, Baxter Williams 3rd Geography Maria Hooton 1st Home-learning Jake Howarth 3rd Geography Chloe Annan 3rd - PSHE (Caring and thoughtfulness) George Moger-Taylor 4th Roman numerals Jack Garner 3rd History Grace Gillingham 4th History	Luke Crompton 3rd -Writing George Moger-Taylor 3rd Geography Seth Eaton-Terry 3rd ICT Jasmine Hill 3rd -Home-learning Seth Eaton-Terry -4th Writing Ella Crowhurst 3rd History
Year 4	Lewis Marsden-Swain 1st History, Bethany Hillyard 3rd Geography Lucy Rose 4th Home-learning Astrid Palmer 4th History Lily Allen 2nd Reading the lesson in Family Service Katherine Eley 4th History (additional writing)	Isla McIntosh 1st History Emily Archer 3rd Geography Alice Gittoes-Davies 2nd Mathematics Lucy Rose - 5th History
Year 5	I sobel Babbage 5th Mathematics, Bechan Wills-Dixon 4th Home-learning, Amber Sturgeon 4th Home-learning Sophie Harris-Cotton 3rd Mathematics Sophie Harris-Cotton 4th Spelling Lewis Hillier 2nd Spelling	Freddie Cotton 5th Home-learning, Liberty Barry 4th Home -learning, Ffion Morgan 7th Mathematics Mitzi Cunningham 2nd Spelling Annabelle Moger-Taylor 4th Spelling Tegan Gibbins 3rd Science
Year 6	Jack Crowhurst 2nd Additional Home-learning Katherine Mitchell 1st Technology Harry Phillips 2nd Home-learning Emilia Smith 5th Home-learning Ottie Harrison 4th Home-learning Comprehension Tegan Marratt 3rd - Writing (100 word challenge)	Lorna Gebbie 6th Home-learning Finn McGlashan 3rd - Home-learning Molly Harrison 3rd - Home-learning Oliver MacAllister 3 rd - Reading

Star of the week

Date	Name	Class and Year
28.09.12	Tassy Mitchell	Class 2MH - Year 2
05.10.12	I sobel Marsden-Swain	Class 3 PS - Year 3
12.10.12	Lewis Marsden-Swain	Class 4CT - Year 4
19.10.12	Sophie Harris-Cotton	Class 5VD - Year 5

Second hand uniform

This will be available again this Friday in the Music Room from 3.20 to 3.45 p.m. As usual all items will be available on a voluntary contribution basis. We always welcome any clothes donations you may have (especially larger jumpers!). If you have any old uniform which you would like to donate, please can you leave it in the box in the foyer. Thank you.

Mufti Day - 9th November 2012 - date for your diary

We are having a Mufti day on Friday 9th November in order to collect items for the school Christmas Fair tombola. On that day, children wearing mufti should bring item/s into school e.g. unwanted gifts, canned goods (in date please) toiletries etc. or alternatively children can bring in 'Christmas jazzy jars' which can be filled and decorated as you see fit. They can be placed into the box in their classroom. The class with the most items will win a treat for the class which will be presented during assembly.

SPSA AGM on Tuesday 6th November at 7.30 p.m.

Who wants to help the SPSA?

What is it for? You say backing away.

The short answer is fundraising, pennies and pounds,
The school's stretched budget can't always go round.

We buy extra resources, for learning and play,
To enrich and enhance our children's school day.
Computers and equipment, gym mats and seeds,
Playground equipment and library best reads.

Who wants to help the SPSA?

What do you do? You gingerly say?

Well, we run discos, the Christmas Fayre and the Summer fete,
The Centenary Ball, Killers quiz, we've a lot on our plate!

We serve teas and coffees at school events,
On baking and biscuits much time is spent,
Christmas parties, is for most of us the best bit,
Enjoying our Christmas dinners and Santa's visit.

Who wants to help the SPSA?

Is it all mothers' meetings? You nervously say.

It's true we chatter at the school gate,
Lots of business gets sorted around half past eight.
But we really are a very mixed bunch,
Business people, professionals, and ladies that lunch.
You don't have to be female to be part of our club...
Did we mention that we have held meetings in the pub?

So, who wants to help our SPSA?

I've heard it's quite cliquy, as a last ditch you say.

No, not the slightest, we welcome everyone.

There's a lovely team spirit, it's hard work but fun.

Between staff and parents we strengthen the link.

Are you interested? Will you join us? What do you think?

If you're convinced or just curious about what we got up to last year,
Come along to the AGM, there's much more to see and hear!

Our AGM on the 6th November at 7.30pm. We would love to see you there.

Community News

Mission His Way
U.K. Reg Charity : 1126287

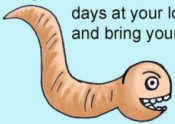
UGANDA SHOE CAMPAIGN 2012-13

Who We Are: 'Mission His Way' is a Charity that aims to help children and elderly people in the developing world. Through sponsorship we provide education, build schools, develop water projects and feeding programmes for the elderly.

Our Aim: is to be able to provide scholastic materials, sponsor teachers wages, complete buildings and provide shoes and school uniforms.

Why?.. on our recent visit we found many children with 'Jigger fleas'. Jigger fleas are a parasite which lay their eggs under the skin of passing mammals, which includes people and especially children who play on the soil without any shoes.

How You Can Help: if you have unwanted, good quality shoes that dont fit anymore, you can donate them through Mission His Way and we send them via a container straight to our school in Uganda. There will be collection days at your local school and churches. so look out and bring your shoes along to donate them.



UGANDA • HA ha ha I'm Gonna Nibble your feet !!!!!

U.K. SCHOOL •Oh no you won't we can stop you.....come on everyone, I know what we can do!!

YOU • **HOW YOU CAN HELP...**
I've got an old pair of shoes that don't fit any more and I'd love to give them to you, to stop the Jiggers eating your feet!!!

Please send shoes to the school office, collection date to be arranged.

🎵 Exmouth Heavy Orchestra 🎵

www.exmouthlightorchestra.co.uk

Do you enjoy playing an orchestral instrument but don't feel good enough to join an orchestra?
Do you have an instrument in the loft that you played once and would like to start playing again?
Or are you slightly more experienced player who would like to play some "light music" - film music, songs from the shows, light classical etc?
Then, **this is for you!!**
No frightening auditions required!
The emphasis will be on enjoyment, encouragement and improvement.
Looking for players Grade 0 to Grade 8!!

Saturday Mornings: 10.15 -12.30 am
(Exmouth Light Orchestra - mainly for string players, started Autumn 2011 and 35 strong, also looking for more players if you're free on Friday mornings)

Both groups directed by experienced musician and teacher, Daphne Harlock ALCM.
For more details, please ring 01395 278497
or email: enquiries@exmouthlightorchestra.co.uk

Best wishes
Malcolm Elliott, Headteacher

New Winter Menu 2012

Lunch Menu Winter 2012 – St. Peters Kitchen		
	Week 1	Week 2
	Weeks commencing: 12/11, 26/11, 10/12, 7/01, 21/01, 4/02	Weeks commencing: 5/11, 19/11, 3/12, 17/12, 14/01, 28/01, 11/02
Monday	Beef Burger or Veggie Burger in a wholemeal bap with pasta and vegetables Peaches and Ice cream	Homemade Pizza Served with potato wedges and vegetables Jelly and Ice cream
Tuesday	Sausage and chips or pasta with vegetables Tomato Ketchup Sticky Toffee Pudding with custard	Popcorn Chicken and chips or pasta With vegetables Tomato Ketchup Farmhouse cake and custard
Wednesday	Roast Turkey Or Homemade Vegetarian Roast. Served with roast potatoes & vegetables with gravy. Strawberry or Chocolate Mousse	Roast Gammon Or Homemade Vegetarian Roast. Served with roast potatoes and vegetables with gravy Strawberry or Chocolate Mousse
Thursday	Pasta Bolognese served With wholemeal bread and vegetables Chocolate Sponge Cake with chocolate sauce	Pasta Bake Vegetables Ginger Cookie
Friday	Fish and Chips or pasta or Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Baked Beans Tomato ketchup Fruity Flapjack Fresh fruit and low fat yogurt will be available Monday – Thursday for dessert.	Oven baked Salmon Fishcakes or Veggie burger with Chips or pasta served with vegetables & ketchup. Chocolate Cracknell Jacket Potatoes are available daily ,request by 9.30am to the kitchen.