

24.6.22

Dear Parents and Carers,

Inspire Day

Four of our Year 5 pupils visited Exmouth beach for an Inspire Day this week. It was an amazing day and they all came back talking about paddleboarding, kayaking and enjoying the beach. This was organised by South Dartmoor School Sports Partnership.



Summer Fayre

The Buckfastleigh Primary School Summer Fayre will be starting at 3:20pm on Friday 1st July and will run until 4:45pm. We are planning lots of games for the children to enjoy alongside refreshments and music. We hope as many of you as possible will stay and have some fun in the sunshine to help us to raise some extra money for the school.

FOBS are looking for any volunteers who would like to help so if you have a bit of spare time or have a great idea for a game for the children to enjoy, please contact the school office who can pass on your details.

Grenville House

Year 6 had an amazing time last week at Grenville House. The weather was perfect and every child challenged themselves during the week. This might have been through abseiling, caving, swimming, trying new foods or just being away from home for a whole week. It was great going along with Ashburton Primary School as many of the children were able to make new friends who they will be going to school with next year. The staff team were incredibly proud of the children and I would personally like to thank Emily Light and Roz Woodhead for the extra time they gave up to make sure the trip could happen.



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Parking

Parents have again raised concerns around parking on New Road at the start of the day. Please do not park on the zig-zag lines outside school. This causes an obstruction to traffic and is a risk to our children. Thanks for your help with this.

School Lunches

In September 2022, school lunches will be increasing in price from £2.35 to £2.41. We have held our prices down for as long as we can and have reluctantly made the decision to raise them slightly for the next academic year. This is only a 2.5% increase.

Year 5 Experience Day

Yesterday, Year 5 enjoyed a trip to South Dartmoor Community College to find out more about the school and the exciting learning they will be able to do if they go there in Year 7. As part of the day, the children visited different parts of the site and had fun doing activities such as Sports, Art and Science. The children came back full of excitement and shared some of their experiences with the whole school in assembly this morning.



Sports Day

On Wednesday 29th June, Sports Day will be held at Buckfastleigh Rangers Football Club. All classes will be leaving school at approximately 1pm to walk up for a 1:30pm start. Families are welcome to come along to watch and we hope to finish about 3pm. More details will go out about arrangements at the start of next week.

Have a great weekend,

Eddie Brown

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