

UPDATE



WB: Monday 8th May 2017

PTFA BINGO

Please come and support our fundraising efforts in a fun night of Bingo! It takes place on Friday 19th May at West Anstey Village Hall; 7.00pm for eyes down at 7.30. Pay bar and light refreshments available. £10 for all games or £2.50 for individual games. Please contact Jodie (07855 217430 or jodieg1992@aol.co.uk) to book a table. Raffle donations would be greatly appreciated. We hope to see you there!

UNIFORM

Please can you make sure that your child has the correct uniform for the school day? No leggings or trainers - also no make up or nail varnish at school please. Please can you also ensure PE kit and outdoor learning clothes are in school on the appropriate days? Infants Tues/Wed, Juniors Tues/Fri - many thanks.

MEALTIME ASSISTANT

We are still looking for a mealtime assistant to help us for one or two of our lunchtimes. If you think you can help (particularly on Monday or a Friday) or know anyone who might be interested, then please contact the office for more information.

PARKING AT HENLEY

A reminder that due to major ongoing construction works, parents are **not allowed** to park on the gravel area belonging to Henley (just below the school). This area is private land and access for heavy building equipment is required at all times. There may also be an increase in traffic as the works proceed so do take extra care when parking and walking the children into school.

CHILDCARE FUNDING

The government have published a new website called 'Childcare Choices' to help parents navigate through the options available to them for the various types of childcare funding. The link to the site is <https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk> and is well worth a look.

You can also check how much you may be entitled to by using the government calculator - <https://www.gov.uk/childcare-calculator>

SCHOOL ASSESSMENTS

Well done to all the Year 6 pupils who approached the Key Stage 2 tests this week with such maturity. End of Key Stage 1 (for Year 2s) and in-house assessments for the remaining children will take place over the next two weeks. These are quite informal and will be nothing that the children are not completely used to.

SHOWJUMPING (from Mr Scandrett)

Is your child a junior jockey? A young rider keen to show off their skills in the saddle? Hold onto your reins –we've got just the thing for them. Showcasing show jumping talent this year is the inaugural North Devon Schools Show Jumping League. It's what children and ponies were built for. A friendly, local competition, the newly established league is encouraging all pupils with ponies to take part in the event. Representing their respective schools, the successes of individual pupils will be tallied across the league tables for the duration of the competition. Open to all school children from Year 4 upwards, the monthly qualifiers for this unique event started this April, with the Championship taking place in September. Don't worry if you missed the start of the league; you can still join in and enjoy each event as a one off competition.



This is an exciting and new sporting opportunity to be offered at our school. I have no experience with horses but I am well aware that many of our pupils do ride and compete in various competitions outside of school.

For this to be a successful venture, I am looking for experienced parents to assist, or even take on the role as team manager. Please contact the school if you would like further details or indicate your child's interest below and whether you may be able to offer any assistance or leadership.

Kind regards, Mr Scandrett


Summer Term Achievers

Weekly Achievers

Class 1 Achiever: **Louise**

Class 2 Achiever: **Oliver**

Class 3 Achiever: **Finn**

House Points 

Totals so far this term

Ruby	92	points
Sapphire	90	points
Emerald	100	points
Amber	107	points

FUTURE DATES & EVENTS

- Mon 15th May Cricket/Rounders at SMCC (years 3/4)
- Fri 19th May Spellathon
- Fri 19th May PTFA Bingo
- Mon 22nd - Fri 26th May KS1 SATs
- Tue 23rd May NSPCC Assembly
- Mon 29th May - Fri 2nd Jun HALF TERM

Show Jumping Reply

Child's name.....
 is an experienced show jumper and is interested in representing their school.

I.....
 am experienced and interested in assisting with the organisation of entering a show jumping competition

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