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Good afternoon,

What a lovely sunny week it has been! The children are really enjoying playing on the field and the trim trail - it makes such a difference when the sun shines. Miss Cotter has even been teaching phonics outside! Please can I remind everyone to apply a liberal amount of sun cream in the morning, remember hats and a water bottle. There are 10s of unnamed jumpers outside of Class 4 if anyone has lost one - I'm afraid that we are unable to reunite them with their owners without a name...

Our Year 6s gave very positive feedback about the first aid training that they had on Monday - it was a 3-hour heart start course and covered the basics of CPR alongside other skills. They are thoroughly prepared for the Exmoor Challenge on Saturday and we wish them luck as they participate in this amazing event alongside hundreds of other teams.

Class 2 had a lovely history walk around Tiverton this week and learnt lots of interesting facts about our town. Next week their topic will culminate in a joint trip to Knightshayes with Class 4.

DIARY DATES

Rotary Exmoor Challenge - 20th May Year 5/6 Girls Tag Rugby (Rescheduled) -23rd May Wilcombe Wobbler -24th May FoBS Disco - 25th May May Half Term - 29th May - 2nd June Bikeability Y5/6 - 5th June Cycle to School Day -9th June Sports Day - 30th June Reserve Sports Day -13th July Leavers Assembly - 21st July End of Summer Term -21st July

Next Tuesday will be the last swimming session for Year 4 and the last choir practice of the term. On the same day our year 5/6 girls will take part in the postponed tag rugby festival at THS (during school time).

On Wednesday we will be taking part in the annual Wilcombe Wobbler. We have entered 2 teams meaning that 32 children will be able to compete. The weather looks good so far, so please remember very smart PE kit, sunhats, suncream and a drinks bottle. Parents are welcome to watch and thankyou to those who have offered to help with transport, we will be in touch on Monday with transport arrangements.

Finally, FOBs are organising a disco next Thursday and I know the children are really excited about it! Thank you to all of the parents and friends who are giving up their time to help with the event and creating fun memories for the children.

Have a lovely weekend and enjoy the sunshine!

Mrs Sarah Milne, Headteacher



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LEARNING LEAVES

<u>CLASS 1</u>

Evie – For being so knowledgeable about lots of subjects and sharing her knowledge with all of us in class.

Isla, Bailey and Jessica – For being enthusiastic and making Mrs Worthington laugh when learning how to talk like a pirate! Brightened my day!

CLASS 2

Ruby - Well done for working so hard on your Mrs Armitage story. Emily - Well done, you have worked really hard on your Mrs Armitage story.

CLASS 3C

Alice - For her consistently stellar effort across all her learning this week. She has not only met my expectations but exceeded them!

CLASS 3M

Aria – For showing such determination and perseverance in DT. Her team's carousel finally spins, using gears!

Cohen - For brilliant ideas to ensure his team's DT carousel project works. You have strong DT skills!

CLASS 4

Thomas - For his consistent, positive learning attitude - even when he finds new learning difficult. Isobel - For her consistent, positive learning attitude - a great role model around the classroom.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

CLASS 1

Special mention to Freya for being super helpful and checking everyone has hats to be safe in the sun.

<u>CLASS 2</u>

Special mention to the girls who looked after Harriet when she was ill this week.

CLASS 3C

Special mention to Declan and Esther for their brilliant effort in our reading comprehension this week.

CLASS 3M

Special mention which was chosen by Eloise who wanted to say thank you to Esme and Holly for looking after her at break and lunch times.

CLASS 4

Special mention to all the Year 6's taking part in the Exmoor Challenge - good luck!



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Congratulations t	o those childrer	n who achieve	d the followin	g badges this	s week:		
	5 Club	7 Club	10 Club	11 Club	144 Club Part 1		
	Evie	Jackson	Jessica	Caleb	Isabella		
Here are this we	ek's Golden Mile		GOLDEN MIL	E			
	KS1				K52		
				9			
1st - Class 2					1st - Class 4		
2nd – Class 1					2nd - Class 3M		
				3rd - Class 3C			

Mr Hodge





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YEAR 6 FIRST AID TRAINING















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BOOK TALK



A big thank you to our wonderful librarians. The library is looking fantastic! The librarians are a proactive bunch, not only do they sort out the books and keep it tidy but they have organised their own displays, given recommendations for good books and even organised a bookmark colouring competition! Well done librarians you are a credit to our school. I can't wait to see what you have planned next!





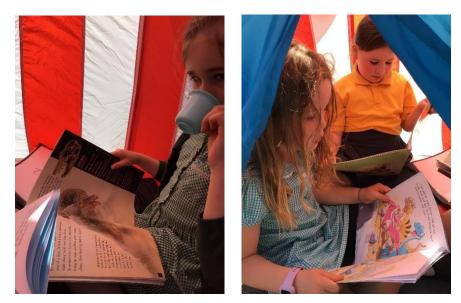
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WELL DONE HARRISON!

You might remember earlier in the year that Harrison set himself the challenge of reading all the Roald Dahl books. Well he has completed his challenge! Well done. I wonder what he will read next? Any suggestions for a new challenge for Harrison?



The sun has come out and with it the reading tent. Class 2 enjoyed the sunshine and the opportunity to read a book with friends. Cup of imaginary tea anyone?!



Thank you as always for all your support at home with reading - Mrs Hillier



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CLASS 2 NEWS

It's been another busy week in Class 2. The sun has come out and we have enjoyed using the outside area. Here we are practising using money in a shop and working with clay as preparatory work for tile making.

Not everyone was happy however, who was it that planned a daring escape over the fence dressed as Spiderman?!





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CLASS 2 NEWS

On Wednesday, we found out more about the life of the Heathcoat family. Ros who is very knowledgeable about the subject showed us around lots of the places connected with the Heathcoat family around Tiverton. We thoroughly enjoyed our walk and learnt a lot. And of course, we had to finish off at the West Exe Park which was partly paid for with a donation by the Heathcoat family.

