



# Horwood and Newton Tracey Community Primary School Newsletter

Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> May 2019

Dear parents, carers and children

This week the Year 6 children have completed their SATs tests and I could not be prouder! Every single child, without fail, tried their very hardest. I am delighted with them all.

Today I have launched our "Walk to School Week" for after half term (3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> June). The children are being encouraged to: walk from home (if they can), walk from Lovacott nursery (if they attend Breakfast Club), get the school bus (if they are entitled) or walk from the Village Hall.

This initiative coincides with the launch of the Walking Bus. There are still spaces if you would like your child to be escorted from the Village Hall car park.

There is a competition to design a "Walk to school" logo and/or poster – details were sent home today. Children walking on the Walking Bus will be given a free pedometer. There will also be rewards for children walking regularly and for winning the competitions.

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## Warmer Weather

As the weather improves, please can you make sure that your child has a sunhat in school and has had sun cream applied before they come to school. Children should not keep re-applying sun cream throughout the day and cannot share sun cream as some children have allergies. Thank you for your help with this.

## Sports Day

KS2 competitive events will be held on the field from 9.30 am and Family Group team events will be held from 1.30 pm on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May. Please can children come to school in their PE kits.

## Upcoming Events

The school is holding a fundraising event "**A Day at the Races**" on **Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> June** at 2 pm. Letters explaining the details and asking for sponsorship were sent home last week.

Class 4 will be going on **residential** on **11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> September**. A first letter with information and payment details were sent home last week.

**Swimming** is starting after half term for Class 4.

## w/c Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May

Tue 21<sup>st</sup>: Rounders GTS C4 AM  
Rounders GTS C3 PM  
Tag Rugby festival (Y6s)  
Multi-skills club (YR/KS1)

4.45 pm Premises  
Governors Committee

Wed 22<sup>nd</sup>: GTS Transition Meeting  
in school for Y6s

Thu 23<sup>rd</sup>: Sports Day  
Volleyball club (KS2)

Fri 24<sup>th</sup>: Art club (KS2)  
Football club (KS2)

**w/c 27.5.29 HALF TERM**

## Tea at 3

The children having tea at 3 with Mrs Eadie this week are: Sam, Florrie and Caydence (C3) and Marley (C4). Well done!

## Fundraising

Ella Grant has been growing her hair to donate it to the "Little Princess Trust". Please see Ella or her family if you would like to sponsor her.

Ella, Kasey, Evie and Lucie have been inspired by our recent Devon Air Ambulance assembly to plan some fundraising. More details to follow.

We recently had an assembly at school about the Devon Air Ambulance. The Air Ambulance is an amazing rescue team. They usually come and help us when there is a road ambulance that can't get to you. When children get airlifted to hospital they get given a cute teddy named Ambrose. The "Amb" part of the word means "Ambulance" and the "rose" part of the word means "blood". One of the two people who came in had been air lifted before.

There is a lot of equipment on board the helicopter and it is very small, so they have lots of compartments. The air ambulance only delays when the Queen is in the air.

Myself and 3 friends - Kasey, Lucie and Ella have decided since the assembly to do some fundraising because we think the Air Ambulance is so amazing.

Written by Evie Class 3

## Devon Air Ambulance Trust



### Community news:

At Newton Tracey Cricket Club, we wish to hold an "all stars taster session" next Wednesday, May 22 from 6 – 7pm prior to the start of the programme on June 5th

Please contact me on 07760197550 or Tim Fryer if the child wishes to try it out, Tim Fryer number 07772 125555

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