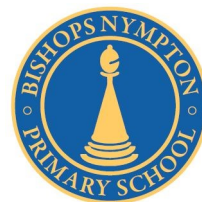


UPDATE



Week Ending: 16th June 2017

STAFF CHANGES FOR 2017-2018

We will be saying goodbye to Miss Whapham, who has been covering maternity leave for Mrs Guy and will be returning in September. We will also be saying goodbye to Mrs Westbury-Wells and Mrs Shelley Kiff and we wish all of them all the best in their new roles.

OPEN AFTERNOON & PARENTS EVENING

As always the children really enjoyed the chance to show their school work to their families during our open afternoon this week. We are now rapidly approaching parents evening and a letter has been sent home today if you wish to book a 10 minute appointment to talk to your child's teacher, some families may feel that you have been able to see and discuss enough of your child's work at the open afternoon this week and you don't require an appointment on this occasion. If so please do not feel obliged to attend.

JUNIOR LIFEGUARD TRAINING

The Year 6 trip to Putsborough last week was a great success, with the children getting lots of surfing, beach safety and first aid tuition. A big thank you to Mr Hart and Mrs Curtler for help with transport on the day.

TRIPS NEXT WEEK

The Year 6 two day residential to London takes place next week. The trip has been slightly adjusted following recent events in the capital, but everyone is really looking forward to it and now can't wait to get going.

Next Friday (23rd June) is very busy with Class 1 out at Rosemoor and Class 3 at RMB Chivenor for Armed Forces Day. Please can you make sure your child(ren) are in school promptly as we need to leave at 9.00am.

PTA - SPORTS DAY PLANS

Sports Day is fast approaching, and the PTA would like to invite you and your family and friends to have lunch with the children (out in the school field if weather is kind!)

We will be offering pasties with a vegetarian option, hot and cold drinks and ice creams, a fun way to start the afternoon. We will also have a few stalls after the Sports Day, a tombola, nearly new stall (clothes, books, toys), plant and cake stalls and sweets. Plus a raffle and hamper draw. If you would like to donate to any of the above stall please give to a PTA member or leave in the school office. A new idea for the tombola is that we will supply a plastic cup for all children to fill with sweets, toys or pens. More details nearer the time.

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

The Summer Reading Challenge is the UK's biggest reading promotion for children aged 4 to 11. Last year, in Devon, 12,000 children took part. Please see over for further details and contact www.devonlibraries.org.uk to get involved.

BISHOPS NYMPTON SEASIDE SUMMER CLUB

The Edgemoor Group of Parishes is this year offering a seaside themed summer club to children of primary school age (as long as the child has been full-time at school for at least one term). Eligible children will either be a resident within the Edgemoor Group of Parishes or attend one of the schools within the group. Places are limited and you must register in advance, as there will be no registration on the day. Registration forms for the summer club are available from the school office, the summer club will run on Wednesday 26th, Thursday 27th and Friday 28th July 11.00am to 3.30pm at Bishops Nympton Village Hall. On the Friday there will be fish and chips, followed by a Punch and Judy show, judging of the sandcastle competition and ice cream. For full details of all the activities please see the registration forms.

Amethyst Achiever Awards

Class 1 achiever: Archie B

Class 2 achiever: Coco L

Class 3 achiever: Aimee-Lea

House Points

Totals so far this term

Ruby	959
Emerald	571
Amber	949
Sapphire	706

Check out our
BLOG



FUTURE DATES AND EVENTS

Wednesday 19th April - Friday 21st July - Summer Term
Thursday 15th June - Open afternoon at 2.30pm
Monday 19th June - Move up day - Year 6 To SMCC
Wednesday 21st & 22nd June - Year 6 children to London
Friday 23rd June - Class 3 - RMB Chivenor Day

Friday 23rd June - Class 1 - RHS Rosemoor Trip
Thursday 29th June - Move up day - Year 6 to S M Community College
Monday 3rd July - Sports Day (reserve Sports Day Mon 10th July)
Week commencing 3rd July - Year 6 Bikeability
Friday 7th July - Class 3 Business Afternoon

Thursday 6th July - Parents Evening 1
Thursday 13th July - Parents Evening 2
Tuesday 18th July 1pm - School Play
Wednesday 19th July 4pm - School Play
Friday 21st July - Last Day of Term

Website: www.bishopsnympton-primary.devon.sch.uk

Email: bishopsnympton@exmoorlink.org

School Blog: www.bishopsnympton.edublogs.org

SOUTH MOLTON YOUNG GENERATION

(Sophie Kerslake - Barnstaple Young Generation)

We are recruiting young choir members (10 - 16 years old) for a Choir Fest Performance on July 15th at South Molton Pannier Market.

We will be performing songs from Disney / Jungle Book

Rehearsals start June 4th, 6-7.30pm at

South Molton Parish Church Rooms

Please register in the first instance - jparkhouse110@gmail.com
or text 07971 963943

Come on kids, lets put South Molton on the map!

THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT

ANIMAL AGENTS

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2017

animal-agents.org.uk

The 2017 Summer Reading Challenge launches in Devon Libraries on **Saturday 15th July**.

Pick up a free challenge pack and investigation kit from your local library to help the animal agents catch the crooks.



Find out about events, activities and how to get involved:

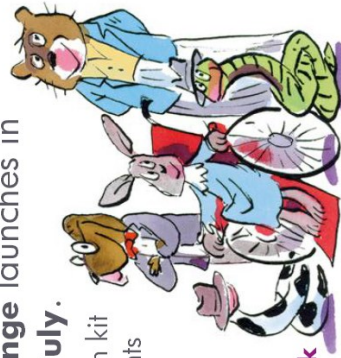
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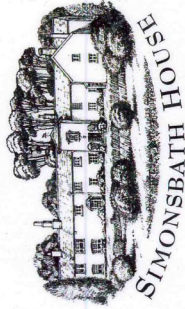
THE READING AGENCY



What's On?

Simonsbath House Outdoor Centre

All Activity Days run from 9:30 am - 4 pm
£19 per child unless stated otherwise.



May Activity Days

Tuesday 30th May "Superheroes" for 6 to 8 year olds
Dress up as your favourite superhero for the day and complete heroic quest!

Wednesday 31st May "Murder Mystery" for 8 to 11 year olds
Go undercover to discover the Simonsbath secret...



Summer Activity Days

Skills Week

Tuesday 8th August Circus Workshop 6 - 8 year olds
Wednesday 9th August Survival Day 8 - 11 year olds



Woodland Adventures Week

Tuesday 15th August Teddy Bears' Picnic 6 - 8 year olds
Wednesday 16th August Exmoor Explorers 8 - 11 year olds



Natural Art Week

Tuesday 29th August Lymington Beach Art* 6-11 year olds
Wednesday 30th August Woodland Art Attack! 6-11 year olds
*this activity day will be limited to 14 places only and will cost £22 per child.

Summer Camp for 8 - 12 year olds

Monday 21st to Friday 25th August £240 per child*
This action-packed week will include:

Exmoor Zoo trip and Surfing at Croyde Bay, Mountain Boarding, Climbing, Outdoor Survival, Grass Sledging, Circus Skills evening & Circus visit, Beach Games, Mountain Biking Skills & Ride at Wimbleball Lake, Outdoor Cooking and Stream Scrambling

*maximum 24 children; places allocated on first come, first served basis
Please note, activities are subject to change.

Thursday Mountain Bike Club for 9-13 year olds

1st June, 3rd, 10th, 17th and 31st August

Join our mountain bikers for a day of tricks, skills and maintenance tips ending with an afternoon ride exploring the local area.



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