



WIDECOMBE PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

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Health and Safety

Through the process of reviewing health and safety policies we are trying to reduce the risk of an accident happening around the entrance to the staff car park. From Monday, we will be trialling a new entry to school through the main gates (the ones which children normally leave school through at the end of the day). The side gate will now be locked and the main gate will be open from 8.40. A member of staff will be in the vicinity of the main gate, which will be closed at 9.00.

Maths Books to Africa

We have a number of maths text books, across all age ranges in KS1 and KS2, which are out of date with regards to the new curriculum. If you would like any of these books please ask your child's class teacher.

The remainder of the books are going to be donated to charity and shipped across to schools in Africa. If you are able to assist in delivering the two boxes of books to the collection point in Taunton, please inform Barbara.

Beauty and the Beast

Good luck to Kayden, Charlie, Angelo, Lilo, Dominic and Sylvia who are all starring in the Postbridge pantomime this week and next. You will be having a few long days and nights so remember to eat well and get rested when you can. As the saying goes- Break a leg!

Webburn Toys

Next Friday 5th February, please can children in Webburn bring in a toy and talk about why it's so special.

Webburn Clothes

If you have any spare wellies or

splash-suits that your child has outgrown, they would be very pleased to have them in Webburn.

Lost Property

Francis in Lower Dart has lost a pair of named, green wellies. Please could you check in case these have been brought home by mistake.

Year 5/6 Residential

Please note the deadline for receiving deposit payments for the residential visit to Barton Hall in June is today. Please log into ParentPay to make your payment if you haven't already done so.

Webburn Visit to Yellow Frog Café

Webburn's trip to the Yellow Frog Café has been postponed and will now take place on Tuesday 9th February. We will send out details again next week, and school packed lunches on that day can be ordered on the menus which will be sent home with next week's newsletter.

Year 4 Gymnastics Festival

This is advance notice to Year 4 parents that children will be taking part in a gymnastics festival at South Dartmoor Community College on Wednesday 10th February from 2 to 4pm (parents will need to collect their children from SDCC). We may need help transporting children to this event. Letters will be sent home next week.

Lower Dart PE

PE will now be on Mondays, so please make sure your child has their PE kit in school all week.

Des Stokes

Head of School

This Week's Learning Superheroes

Congratulations to:-

Dylan

Tawny

Lilo

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Well done to Lower Dart for their excellent attendance this week

Lower Dart	98%
Upper Dart	94%
Webburn	92%

EVENTS NEXT WEEK

Monday 1st February

Maths Breakfast Club @ 8.10am
Board Games Club

Tuesday 2nd February

Football Club

Wednesday 3rd February

Maths Breakfast Club @ 8.10am

Thursday 4th February

Gymnastics Club

Friday 5th February

Literacy Breakfast Club @ 8.10am
Webburn Children to bring in a toy
Webburn Library Day
Widdy Tots in School from 1.15pm

Emailed or Sent with the Newsletter

Upper Dart Body Language Letter
Half Term Hockey Course Details

WIDECOMBE FACTFILE

Julia Young

Roles in School:	Piano/Singing/Choir Teacher
Hobbies:	Music, golf, dog walking & swimming
Favourite Food:	Steak and chips
Super Power:	To fly
Pets:	2 English Pointers called Boris & Luke
Starsign:	Aries

Which two are true?

- ◆ I have swum the Channel
- ◆ I've been on the radio
- ◆ I have a grand piano

