



# WIDECOMBE PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

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## World Cancer Day

Well done and thank you for your generosity. We raised a staggering £598.26 for Cancer Research UK.

## X Country Club

For the first 3 weeks after half term, Des will be running a cross country club for Years 3-6. Years 3 and 4 will be on a Friday lunchtime in the school fields. Years 5 and 6 will run after school on a Friday. Their route will start at school, walk up Southcombe Hill, play running games over the top of the Moors, before dropping back down into Widecombe. This is an all weather event and children will need to bring a towel and wear appropriate clothing for the weather conditions on the day. If any parents would like to help with the after school club on Fridays, please let us know.

On March 13th at 4pm, there is a X-country event at Stover School. All children in years 3-6 are invited to participate in this event whether they have attended the cross country club or not. We will send out further details after half term.

## Governor Contact Details

The Chair of Governors, Chris Elliott and Clerk to Governors, Laura Dudman can be contacted by email at

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## Acts of Kindness

We would like to celebrate the outstanding acts of kindness that have we have seen this this year from Lilah, Matilda, Hope, Alesha, Tori, Nancy, Millie, Cosmo, Sylvia and Kaitlin.



These children have selflessly gone out of their way to

support, help, nurture and improve the well-being of those in need.

KINDNESS

## My Week by ... Kaitlin & Tori

Yesterday we went to Newton Abbot Library and we were asking the librarian questions so that we could get some ideas on how to improve our library.

We had a tour around and we got cake in the library café.

We have thought of some things that we're going to do, but it's a secret!



## This Week's Learning Superheroes

Congratulations to:-

Ivy & Alegria

Fern B

James

## ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Well done to Upper & Lower Dart for their excellent attendance this week.

Lower Dart 98%

Upper Dart 98%

Webburn 97%

## EVENTS AFTER HALF TERM

Monday 19th February  
Lego Club

Tuesday 20th February  
Parents' Running Club 9am  
Dance & Arts & Crafts Club  
Webburn Phonics Workshop 3.45-4.45pm

Wednesday 21st February  
Webburn in the Woods am  
Gymnastics Club

Thursday 22nd February  
Parents' Running Club 9am  
Football Club

Friday 23rd February  
Webburn Library  
Widdy Tots in School from 1.15pm

Emailed or sent with the Newsletter

Upper Dart Body Language Costumes

### Parents' Evenings

Thank you to all parents who attended parent's evenings this week. If you were unable to attend and there is something that you would like to discuss, please make an appointment with your child's class teacher.

Thank you to Friends for providing refreshments over the two nights.

### Good Moo-ning!

I was greeted by mum milking her calf this morning! I love where I work!



I hope you have a lovely half term break and we look forward to seeing the children back on Monday 19th February.

Des Stokes

Head of School



**Widcombe Village Hall Steering Group (WVHSG)** is delighted to announce that our National Lottery Awards for All grant application was successful and we are now in a position to really move forward positively with completing the formal feasibility study for a new village hall.

We have been able to draw up an initial specification based on community feedback from surveys and are now working with Architects in order to receive their formal recommendations on location and they can start sharing outline sketch ideas and budgets. This input will feed into the feasibility study so that we can truly assess the viability of building a new village hall in Widcombe.

To find out more or to apply to become a member, take a look at our website:

[www.widcombevillagehall.co.uk](http://www.widcombevillagehall.co.uk)

### Jonah's Joke

*What do you do if you see a spaceman?*

*Park in it, man!*