

# **High Street Herald**



Reflecting Life in School

Friday 14th May 2021

#### A Word from Mrs Blake, Headteacher

To all our lovely families,

We are racing towards the end of term five – the last day for the children is Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> of May. Even though Covid restrictions are easing on Monday, we still are working in 'bubbles' within the school and the staggered start and end to the school day will continue for the time being. Unfortunately, we are unable to invite parents to events such as sports day, leavers' assembly etc, but we remain committed to ensuring the children still experience these events and we will find a way to share them with you virtually.

I posted on Facebook this week that we have unfortunately had lots of cases of diarrhoea and vomiting in school. We understand that children do develop symptoms while at school, but please support us by not sending your child in if they are suffering symptoms of this virus. We also ask that children stay at home for 48 hours/two full days after the last bout of vomiting or diarrhoea to allow the bug to be completely eliminated from their system. This means that the virus won't spread to other children and staff.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend despite the wet forecast!

Best Wishes

Mrs Blake

#### **Behaviour Raffle**

The winner of this week's behaviour raffle is Haidar from Stingrays Class.

Well done Haidar!

#### Word of the Week

We are focusing on widening our vocabulary this term. On each newsletter will be a 'word of the week'. See if you can try and use it as many times as you can



Definition – relating to rain or rainy weather

Sentence – The pluvious weather was causing Sam great difficulty.over the course of the week. This week's word is...

#### Bring a Bear to School Day - Thursday 20th May

To support our local charity, Jeremiah's Journey, we are having a Bring a Bear to School Day on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Your child can bring their favourite bear to school with them for a small donation.



If the children have a school dinner on this day, they will get to choose from a special menu and also receive a bear biscuit to bring home. Children with the best table manners will be invited to choose a bear from out 'adoption centre' to bring home.

#### **Holiday Club**



#### Holiday Club

YMCA's holiday club gives young people the opportunity to get active and have fun through a structured date of activities including; team Games, arts & crafts, quidditch, Street Surfing (in the Sports Hall), competitions and lots morel Activities do vary for different clubs and day-to-day so please contact us if you want more specific details on activities that will be running.



#### Sessions

Our main multi-activity session runs each day apart from special trip days where specified. After booking a main Multi-activity session you can also extend this by booking early and late add-on sessions for £3 each.



Children can bring a packed lunch or purchase ho food from our canteen - see more details online.

 Early Add-on
 Multi-Activity Club
 Late Add-on

 £3 per session
 £15 per session
 £3 per session

 8am - 9:30am
 9:30am - 3:30pm
 3:30pm - 5:30pm

#### Booking

Follow the link below to complete our provisional booking form online. Once complete, we will contact you as soon as possible to confirm your place and take a 10% deposit. Your booking is not complete until we have confirmed the place and received your deposit. The remainder of the payment can then be made at our reception desk on first arrival at the beginning of the club. Please book in advance as possible as spaces are limited and will go fast!





**Book Online:** ymcaplymouth.org.uk/HolidayClub

## **Learning Heroes**

Here are our learning heroes for this week. Keep up the hard work everyone!

## Writers of the Week

Starfish - Jessica

Year 1 - Jason

<u>Turtles</u> – Joyce

Stingrays - Angel

<u>Eels</u> - Leon

## Readers of the Week

Starfish – John

Year 1 - Kaiden

<u>Turtles</u> – Ringo

Stingrays - Eszlley

Eels – Liam F

## Mathematician of the Week

Starfish - Kayden-Lee

Year 1 – Darcy-May

Turtles - Sonny

Stingrays – Tommy and Riley

Eels – Ellie-Mae



Dates for your diary.....up and coming events

| Date  | EYFS/KS1<br>KS2  |
|---|--|
| Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> May                           | Bring a Bear to School Day                                 |
| Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> May                           | Last day of term five                                      |
| Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June                             | First day of term six                                      |
| Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July                             | End of year reports sent home                              |
| Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July | Parents' Evenings – appointments will be allocated shortly |





## **HIGH STREET PRIMARY ACADEMY TERM DATES 2020/2021**

|           | September 20 |      |       |       |    | October 20 |     |     |      |      | 1                     | love | emb | er 2 | 20 | December 20 |     |    |    |    |
|-----------|--------------|------|-------|-------|----|------------|-----|-----|------|------|-----------------------|------|-----|------|----|-------------|-----|----|----|----|
| Monday    |              | 7    | 14    | 21    | 28 |            | 5   | 12  | 19   | 26   | 2                     | 9    | 16  | 23   | 30 | П           | 7   | 14 | 21 | 28 |
| Tuesday   | 1            | 8    | 15    | 22    | 29 |            | 6   | 13  | 20   | 27   | 3                     | 10   | 17  | 24   |    | - 1         | 8   | 15 | 22 | 29 |
| Wednesday | 2            | 9    | 16    | 23    | 30 |            | 7   | 14  | 21   | 28   | 4                     | - 11 | 18  | 25   |    | 2           | 9   | 16 | 23 | 30 |
| Thursday  | 3            | 10   | 17    | 24    |    | -1         | 8   | 15  | 22   | 29   | 5                     | 12   | 19  | 25   |    | 3           | 10  | 17 | 24 | 31 |
| Friday    | 4            | -11  | 18    | 25    |    | 2          | 9   | 16  | 23   | 30   | 6                     | 13   | 20  | 29   |    | 4           | 11  | 18 | 25 |    |
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|           |              | M    | ay 2  | 21    |    | June 21    |     |     |      |      | July 21               |      |     |      |    | August 21   |     |    |    |    |
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|           |              | Pub  | lic H | lolid | ay |            |     | Sc  | hool | Holi | iday School Inset Day |      |     |      |    |             |     |    |    |    |