



Sampford Peverell C of E Primary School

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Newsletter: 28 March 2024

Dates for your diary:

Return to School - 15 April

Exmoor Challenge Practice Walk (Year 6) - 19 April

London Residential (Year 5) 1 - 3 May

Exmoor Challenge - 4 May

Bank Holiday - 6 May

Half Term - 27 - 31 May

Non Pupil Day - 3 June

Stars of the week

Ash: Jack B
Beech: Skyler
Cedar: Lily
Oak: Orion
Willow: Harvey

Golden Leaves

Ash: Bethany
Beech: Martha
Cedar: Flora
Oak: Jos
Willow: George P



Message from Sarah Price

This week all the children had the opportunity to bake some tasty Easter treats. This was an opportunity for them to work in collaboration with someone else and use their knowledge of measurements to weigh their ingredients. The children have also been learning about the Easter story and why Easter is important to Christians. A big thank you to Rev Glyn for his lovely Easter Service in the Church yesterday. We really will miss you when you and Mandy leave! Mrs Ledger is also leaving us today and I am sure you will join me in wishing her all the best at her new school. Mrs Holland will be returning from maternity leave after Easter so I know the Year 2 children will continue to be in good hands.

It has been a busy term full of wonderful learning opportunities to excite and inspire the children. Have a great Easter and we look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 15 April for more of the same. Happy Easter!

Willow Class (Pre-school)

Hello everybody. It has been a lovely week in Willow and our EYFS space. We have been taking part in and enjoying some super Easter activities, especially the cooking and Easter song sessions. We have also explored how Easter is celebrated around the world and in our families. Our story for the week was called "Rabbityness" which is a lovely story about friendship and being part of something. We wish you a happy and peaceful Easter and look forward seeing you in the new term.



Oak Class (Reception and Year 1)

We have had a very busy and enjoyable last week of the term in Oak Class and we are really looking forward to a wonderful Easter holiday. For our Design and Technology project this term we have been making Spring themed finger puppets using felt and we have worked hard to practice our sewing skills. We particularly liked our Easter baking project making chocolate nest cakes using butter, chocolate, cornflakes and lots of teamwork for stirring! The children have continued to enjoy our flower shop role-play and have created their own springtime small world area to play in. Have a lovely Easter break and we look forward to starting the Summer Term when we return.



Cedar Class (Year 2)

What a fun end to the term it has been, with biscuit baking and puppet making! The children used their measuring skills to weigh the ingredients, and worked together to make some yummy shortbread. They have also been designing and making finger puppets, sewing and sticking the different sections together. In maths, we have been working on lots of different word problems, and the children have risen to the challenge really well. In RE, we investigated how different countries celebrate Easter, and thought about the traditions that we have in this country as well. It has been a pleasure teaching Cedar Class since September, and I wish them all the very best for the rest of Year 2 and beyond!



Beech Class (Years 3 and 4)

Beech Class have had a marvellous last week at school. The music concert was nothing short of amazing and we are all very proud of the courage and resilience the children demonstrated performing to an audience. Within English, the children have thoroughly enjoyed created their very own 'Nen and the Lonely Fisherman' themed stories; they have been a joy to read in the classroom together. Within maths, the children have developed their understanding of decimals even further and applied their understanding to some tricky problem solving tasks. We hope you have a well-earned break and look forward to seeing you after the Easter holidays.



Ash Class (Years 5 and 6)

What a jam-packed four days we have had in Ash. The children have completed their Mars rover explanations using the book Curiosity as their inspiration. In maths, we have covered the final parts of statistics - looking at pie charts and timetables. Our big project this week was to complete our design technology projects. The children have designed their own Victorian-inspired cam toy, made the wooden frame themselves as well as the cam mechanism. They then evaluated the process at the end - saying what went well and what they would improve next time. Some of the children went to an 'Introduction to Dance' event at Uffculme as part of our school sports partnership. The children had a fantastic time creating their own dance inspired by the poem 'Jabberwocky' and the accompanying music. We also completed our Easter cooking by making some delicious hot-cross buns with the Year 6 children recalling their experience from last year.

