We have been enjoying the lovely weather this week getting out on the field for PE and break times. During our forest school sessions some of us made a fire and cooked root vegetables whilst the other children took part in a practical session to work out how rivers flow.

The Year 2 children have worked really hard with their assessments - well done everyone.

Over half term we would like the children to enjoy a good book or two, maybe you could visit Barnstaple Library and take part in one of their themed weeks. We will start homework after half term.

The children were very excited to take home their sunflowers that they have been nurturing. They should all know how to look after them and bring them back after half term to compare how much they have grown.

RHS Rosemoor Gardens - 4th, 6th and 7th June

Thank you all for returning your permission forms and contributions. We start the week with Mr Quilter's and Mrs Benn's class visits to Rosemoor on Monday, 4^{th} followed by Miss Cawthorne's class on Wednesday, 6^{th} and Mrs Huggins' on Thursday, 7^{th} .

Lunch menu for next week is 'Week One".

Tuck Shop - Tuesday, 5th June

The Friends of Orchard Vale will be holding a tuck shop during morning playtime in the Food Technology Room.

Barnstaple Schools Olympic Legacy Festival - Thursday, 7th June Good luck to the 4 children who will be taking part in this Festival.

Diary Dates

Have you visited our website lately for the school calendars 2017/18 news of school events $\underline{\text{www.ovschool.co.uk}}$. Mon, 28^{th} May to Fri, 1^{st} June – Half Term.

Sat, 14^{th} July - FoOV Summer Fayre (contact Claire Knight for info regarding stalls)

Have a wonderful half term.

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If you are interested in having a craft stall or table top please contact either Sarah 07740310102/sarah3short@yahoo.co.uk or Sam 07852281637/sam.ayres@yahoo.com